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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)**

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## *FIND THE NUGGETS OF GOLD*

**“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*)

## *MY PROMISE TO YOU TODAY*

*It's not time for you to leave yet. But I will tell you when it is the right time. So just wait for Me, Joan. I am your strength and your song. I am your Savior and your delight. I am your bright morning Star. I show you the way to walk and live and think each day of your life. And I will continue to be all of that for you every day that you live on earth. That is My promise to you today.*

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PRAY HIS SCRIPTURES

The Lord had me look up on the wall near my computer and see the cross with Numbers 6:24-26 on it. He told me to pray that over T, B, and me, so I did that.

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26)

He told me to pray His scriptures. He reminded me that when I was praying with a group, and didn't have a specific word from Him to pray, that I could pray scriptures like Psalm 91, Psalm 23, and Psalm 103.

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## *TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS*

The Lord began to show me that I have the attitude that "all ailments should be healed by the Lord", and if that doesn't happen to me, then I am not spiritual enough to bring that about healing. He said that those who taught

me that everything should be healed, have not understood or taught me His whole plan, and the whole truth about who He is and how He works. Therefore I have felt I was getting less than His best when I wasn't healed supernaturally.

He showed me that His plan for His Bride here on earth at this time is for them to be taught and strengthened and prepared to rule and reign with Him as His queen in the future. So while we are on earth, we are here to go through whatever He has for us to go through that would prepare us for that future plan for us.

He gave me the inner image of a boxer or athlete hitting against a large punching bag to build up his strength...the idea being we need to be punching against something to build up our strength spiritually while here on earth. That "punching bag" for us is our trials and tribulations. We are to be "overcomers" while here, and so we need things to overcome to accomplish that.

Then He gave me this scripture about His overcoming the world:

**In this world you will have trials and tribulations. But fear not, little flock, for I have overcome the world. (John 16:33)**

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HOW TO ASK FOR HEALING

During the night around 3:00 a.m. the Lord taught me regarding how to ask for healing – about what is the right protocol to do that. These are the things He mentioned:

- 1. Ask Me if you may ask Me about it (the healing we want or question we have)*
- 2. You **must** ask on the basis of something (you may ask Me which of these next three I want you to base your request on)*
- 3. It could be on the **basis of My Word** (especially a Rhema Word)*
- 4. It could be on the **basis of My name** which I gave you to use*
- 5. It could be on the **basis of our covenant relationship***
- 6. **Ask** and it shall be given unto you (questions) Matthew 7:7*
- 7. **Seek** and you shall find (needs, provision, help)*

8. *Knock and the door will be opened to you (open doors needed)*

If I have found favor in your sight, teach me Your ways, so that I may know You and continue to find favor with you. (Exodus 33:13)

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## ASK ME

*Ask Me for T's healing on the basis of My Word first.*

I ask for complete and total healing for T on the basis of Your Word: “by His stripes we are healed” (1 Peter 2:24), “He forgives all our sins and heals all our diseases” (Psalm 103:3), “He sent forth His word and healed them; he rescued them from the grave.” (Psalm 107:20).

*Now ask Me for his total healing on the basis of My Name.*

Jesus, You told us to use Your name, and whatever we asked for in Your name You would do for us (John 16:23-24), so I ask for complete and total healing for T on the basis of Your word which tells me to use Your name.

*Now ask Me to heal T on the basis of our covenant relationship together.*

Jesus, T belongs to you and I belong to you. We have given our lives to you and have a covenant relationship with You. On the basis of our covenant relationship with You, I ask You for total healing for T as soon as it is Your perfect timing to do that – today if that is right.

*Ok, I hear your requests. So now you know you have what you have asked of Me based on My Word in 1 John 5:14-15 which says:*

**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)**

**Let them give thanks to the Lord for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for men. Let them sacrifice thank offerings and tell of his works with songs of joy. (Psalm 107:21-22)**

Thank You, Lord, for your unfailing love and wonderful works for T. We offer thank offerings to you and tell of Your works with songs of joy.

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WORK TO DO IN HEAVEN

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)

During the night the Lord taught me again. This time He taught me about how a person has work to do when he goes to heaven. When we listened to webinar #49 last evening by Paul Keith Davis, he mentioned Wade Taylor who was mentored by Walter Beuttler. He said Walter was taken by death from cancer when he was not very old yet, and Wade sought the Lord as to why he was taken so early. The answer he got was that Walter was needed more there in heaven than he was on earth.

So during the night (maybe between about 2:00-3:00 a.m.) the Lord talked to me about that. He said each of us who goes to heaven has work to do there. He said that work would be just right for us, and satisfying to us, as it was what we were prepared to do. Our preparation on earth contributed to it. With regard to this, He said if a friend of mine (whom He named) is translated/dies, he could still fulfill his destiny while in heaven.

This destiny could be accomplished by such things as this friend being translated from heaven into remote places of the earth to preach the gospel to remote tribes and peoples there. I got the picture that he could just “appear” in those places and preach to the people. He would not be susceptible to being killed or hurt there because he would be in his heavenly spiritual body, like Jesus’ body. The Lord reminded me of how Jesus could appear to people in various places after His resurrection.

And He still is (appearing to people in various places) and this friend can join Him in this ministry when he leaves earth.

And you are helping him get ready for this, Joan.

This reminds me the Lord has told me on past occasions that when I get to heaven I will be involved in *intercession*, and involved in *learning* things and then *teaching* that to others.

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## *GOD IS IN CONTROL*

I am concerned about a friend who is in the hospital. The Lord assures me that this is all in His hands and I am not to be anxious about it. He reminds me of Job and all that he went through. Job might have wanted to hurry through the difficulty and get to the great circumstances that came after his trial, but the Lord says He used what Job went through to help many people through his testimony.

To me this indicates that He has great use for the trial that my friend is going through, and therefore I am not to be anxious about it, but be in peace that He is in control.

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GETTING INTO THE LORD'S PRESENCE

Today it was hard to get into the presence of the Lord quickly due to the events of last night still running through my mind. So the Lord told me to go and read His Word. When I did that, it drew me to Him and into His presence.

He told me that He and His Word are One and that the Holy Spirit is “in” His Word. When I read His Word, then the Holy Spirit can speak to me through it, since the Holy Spirit is in me too. He said whenever I have difficulty getting the world out of my mind and thoughts, I am to read His

Word, and that will draw me to Him. He said basically that He, Jesus, the Holy Spirit, and His Word are all One.

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## THE LAW OF RELINQUISHMENT

Someone told me about a law of relinquishment. Then I said to the Lord: “I didn’t know there was a law of relinquishment.” Then I heard:

*It is the law of letting Me be in charge.*

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PRAYING FOR HEALING OF A FRIEND

In that day you will no longer ask me anything. I tell you the truth, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name. Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and your joy will be complete. (John 16:23-24)

As I read John 16:23-24 today I asked for a supernatural healing of a friend’s heart and kidneys and all his internal organs (lungs too) to give the Lord glory and give him a great testimony in his ministry.

As I read 1 Corinthians chapter 2, the whole chapter, I felt it was meant for this friend also, especially verse 9.

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

Later I was led to pray this: We fill this friend’s room with the Spirit of God and God’s angels to minister to him and protect him.

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## *A TITHE OF MY DAY FOR THE LORD*

I was meditating on what a tithe/tenth of my day was to give to the Lord, and heard to figure one tenth of a 16-hour day (with 8 hrs for sleeping). I figured that was 1 hour and 36 minutes.

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DAILY SCRIPTURES I LIKE TO PRAY

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26)

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)

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I put my hope. (Psalm 130:5)

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)

In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength. (Isaiah 30:15)

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. (Galatians 2:20)

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)

Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. (Psalm 139:23-24)

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

Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

**Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits,
Who forgives all your iniquity,
Who heals all your diseases,
Who redeems your life from the Pit,
Who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,
Who satisfies you with good as long as you live, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. (Psalm 103:1-5 RSV)**

Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. (Psalm 23:6)

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## *HIDDEN TEACHERS OF ADVERSITY AND AFFLICTION*

The Lord leads me to this scripture today:

**Although the Lord gives you the bread of adversity and the water of affliction, your teachers will be hidden no more; with your own eyes you will see them. Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it." (Isaiah 30:20-21)**

He is teaching me that adversity and affliction are like hidden teachers to us, and we learn a lot through them. But there are also times when we learn through hearing His voice and following that.

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PRAISING THE LORD IS LOVING HIM

The Lord wants you. He wants you to praise Him for the situation you are in. He wants you to praise Him for every little thing you can find to praise Him for in this situation. Praising Him is loving Him.

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## *AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS*

When I came to the part of the Lord's Prayer that says, "forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors," I asked the Lord if there was anyone I needed to forgive, as I usually do. Then the Lord had me forgive Him for allowing Satan to live and function in the world, along with his evil spirits, and cause so much trouble and difficulty for us humans. I did this.

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HEAVENLY CLOTHES

I was thinking about the white jacket with red flowers lining the front, which a lady was wearing in the waiting room at KCIM where I got blood drawn this morning. I stopped to compliment her on it and she said she got it at the Alfred Dunner discount store in Branson. As I thought of it, I thought I wouldn't go there and shop anymore in this life. Then He said:

You will have beautiful clothes to wear in heaven. And you won't have to put on and take off, put on and take off, like you do now. I know, because I have already "put on" My own heavenly clothes. And I know exactly what your heavenly clothes will look like and be like. Your clothes in heaven also signify who you are and what your

rank or authority is, just like Paul Keith Davis said your voice indicates. Everything indicates that: your voice, your light, your clothes, your authority, your place/position

You will have something much more beautiful than that pretty jacket you saw today (pure white with pretty red flowers decorating it). It will be made of things you don't even know exist, because they don't exist on earth. And it will be just the colors you like, because I made you that way – to like certain colors – as you were thinking of this morning.

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## CLOSENESS IN HEAVEN

*I know you like the closeness we have here on earth now. It will be even better in heaven. It will be even closer than you experience now here on earth. You may believe that and look forward to that. There will not be blockades to our closeness when you are in heaven with Me.*

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IT'S ALL A MATTER OF TIMING

My kingdom IS coming and My will IS being done on earth as it is in heaven. And very soon I will be ruling and reigning on earth as I do in heaven – that which you have prayed for since you were a child in church. AND YOU WILL rule and reign with Me. We will be doing that together, you and I. It is SOON, Joan, VERY SOON. It is so close you can almost taste it, as you would say on earth.

And you are ready. And I am ready. That's why things on earth have gotten so bad so quickly recently (with ISIS doing despicable acts, and other things). This is all leading up to the rise of the anti-Christ, who will be revealed soon. It is timing. It is all a matter of timing, My timing. So bear with Me and My timing, and know you will be raptured out of the earth soon because you don't need to go through

this time of trial/trouble on the earth. None of My people need to go through this. I mean what I say in Revelation 3:10.

Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come upon the whole world to test those who live on the earth. (Revelation 3:10)

And remember:

These are the words of him who is holy and true, who holds the key of David. What he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open. I know your deeds. See, I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. (Revelation 3:7-8)

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## *IN THE SECRET PLACE*

These are the promises from Psalm 91 for those who dwell in the shelter, the secret place of the Most High:

- I will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.
- I will say of the Lord, “He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.”
- He will save me from the fowler’s snare
- He will save me from the deadly pestilence
- He will cover me with his feathers
- Under His wings I will find refuge
- His faithfulness will be my shield and rampart
- I will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day
- I will not fear the pestilence that stalks in the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday.
- A thousand may fall at my side, ten thousand at my right hand, but it will not come near me
- I will only observe with my eyes and see the punishment of the wicked

- No harm will befall me
- No disaster will come near my tent
- He will command His angels concerning me to guard me in all my ways
- They will lift me up in their hands so that I will not strike my foot against a stone
- I will tread upon the lion and the cobra
- I will trample the great lion and the serpent
- He will rescue me
- He will protect me for I acknowledge His name
- I will call upon Him and He will answer
- He will be with me in trouble
- He will deliver me and honor me
- He will satisfy me with long life
- He will show me His salvation

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A SONG

The song going through my head this morning after awakening is this:

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild restless sea
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth
Saying "Christian, follow Me."

So I committed to following Him.

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## COMING TO KNOW HIM MORE

*How much you come to know Me on earth, is very, very, VERY important to things in heaven. It determines your position in heaven; it determines your service in heaven; it determines the people you are near in heaven; and it determines your closeness to Me and My throne.*

*So every day I give you to live on earth is important – since each day on earth you come to know Me more...even if you don't "feel" like it. Take My word for it, not your feelings.*

*Therefore I am taking you through some trials right now to give you the right and privilege of coming closer to Me and to know Me more.*

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LOOKING TO ME

This is My secret truth to you today. Keep looking to Me.

It is a "secret" truth, Joan. It is secret to the world and even secret to most Christians. Some may be experiencing it, but not even know it. LOOKING TO ME is the great secret to living victoriously on earth. It is the secret to "overcoming faith". I am all things that you need. I am all things. I am your all in all. I AM.

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## A SONG IN MY HEART TODAY

There's within my heart a melody,  
Jesus whispers sweet and low:  
"Fear not, I am with thee, peace be still,"  
In all of life's ebb and flow.  
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus,  
Sweetest name I know.  
Fills my every longing;  
Keeps me singing as I go.

This is the song singing in my heart today.

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OUR SPECIAL TIME

Our special time. Our special time. Just our special time. I want to be near you and you want to be near Me. It is precious time. No one else can have this special time with you but Me. I am the only one. Just rest until you hear Me completely. Do not worry about anything. All things are under My control. Do you know this?

Yes, Lord.

Then trust Me to take care of everything. Everything you have to deal with. Everything you have to decide. Follow Me. Listen to Me and follow Me. When you do this, you must deny yourself, because your self often thinks and wants things that are not following Me. So you must deny yourself to follow Me. I know that is what you want to do.

Yes, Lord, it is.

Watching at My doors, waiting at My doorway – that is what you are doing now (Proverbs 8:34). It is a good place to be, a great place to be, the best place in the whole world to be – watching at My doors, waiting at My doorway. Notice what you get as a reward when you do that...whoever finds Me, finds life, and receives favor from the Lord.

Thank You Lord.

You're welcome, My child. You are now inside My gates and courts. You are with Me where I am. I am with you where you are. We are together, never to be parted. I will ALWAYS be with you – ALWAYS. I will never let you go out of My hand. I will protect you and keep you in all your ways. Know this is true.

I will rapture you up here to be with Me – whether by yourself or with My bride. One way or the other, you get to come up here. And it will be soon. Very, very soon, My daughter. I am so eager to get this phase of ministry done and get to My kingdom on earth. But it WILL be very soon...even by earth time.

Yes, that is what I want you to work on today – Nuggets 7. I will show you what to put in it and what to leave out, just like I did with all the other Nuggets books. It's a joint project we are doing together. AND I will use those books for My glory and My pleasure. They glorify Me, Joan, and I know that is what you want to do.

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## *HIS NAME*

**The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26)**

I prayed this scripture over my prayer bundle. Then the Lord said:

*They now have My Name on them, Joan. Even the extended families of your brothers and sisters. And My Name on them will have great effect. My Name is powerful and effective, Joan. More than you know or understand. Just trust Me in this. And keep putting My name on all of them in your prayer bundle. It has power to do things you know not of.*

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AN INSTRUCTED TONGUE

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)

As I prayed this scripture, He told me this applies to the *Nuggets* books. He said those books have in them “the word that sustains the weary” that He has given me morning by morning, and He will use those books to do that for those who read them.

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## IT IS NO SECRET

The song in my mind this morning was:

It is no secret what God can do,  
What He's done for others He'll do for you;  
With arms wide open He'll welcome you,  
It is no secret what God can do.

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BLESSED IS THE MAN WHO LISTENS TO ME

Right now I want you to pray for whatever is in My heart. This is the most important prayer you will pray today.

I prayed for that in tongues. Then I had the thought that I have been praying in tongues (in the Spirit) for close to 40 years. Then I felt I was to look up 40 and see what the symbol means. It means: “symbol of trials, testing. Closing in victory or defeat (Israel in desert, Jesus in wilderness).”

And you're closing in victory, Joan.

Is that right?

Yes, you are near the closing of your time of trials and testing and you are closing in victory. You have been faithful to Me and for Me for all these 40+ years, Joan. I wanted you to know that today. I have been faithful to you, and you have been faithful to Me.

And, yes, you are a part of My kingdom, and, yes, it is coming on earth as it is in heaven, and, yes, you will be part of My kingdom on earth when it comes in its fullness. This will be soon, very soon.

Well done, good and faithful servant. Good means being righteous as I am righteous. Faithful means being faithful to Me as I am faithful to you. You have been both good and faithful.

You see, I have a lot to say. And when I have a lot to say, I want you to give Me the time and opportunity to say it. But you have to prove you want to hear Me by faithfully sitting and listening “at My doorway” until I speak it to you. Some days you are willing; some days you aren’t.

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)

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I put my hope. (Psalm 130:5)

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## I AM

*For now give Me the next hour and let Me minister to you. I am your Rock that you stand on. I am your Anchor that holds you in place and steady in the time of storms and turbulence. I am the One who covers you with My wings and protects you. I am your Refuge, your Fortress, your Covering, your Protection, your Light to light the way, your Counselor, your Wisdom, your Understanding, your Knowledge, the Mighty One with all power to help you on the way. I am the narrow Door leading to salvation and hope. I am your Love, your Kindness, your Joy, your Hope. I am Everything you need. Count on Me and lean on Me. I want you to do this. That’s Who I Am and Who I want to be for you.*

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IN AS MUCH

The Lord keeps bringing to my mind that “inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these, My brethren, you have done it unto Me.” (See Matthew 25:40) This is in regard to helping our friend in his great need right now. He belongs to the Lord and is one of His brethren, so what we do to him, we have done it to the Lord - IN AS MUCH.

That's right, Joan. And you see it lived out daily. It is all recorded here in heaven with Me.

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## SCRIPTURES FOR CHRISTMAS

Today I have such a burning desire to type the Christmas scriptures, so I looked some of them up and wrote them in a file under the Scriptures folder:

**In the sixth month God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee, to a virgin pledged to be married to a man named Joseph, a descendent of David. The virgin's name was Mary. The angel went to her and said, “Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you.”**

**Mary was greatly troubled at his words and wondered what kind of greeting this might be. But the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, you have found favor with God. You will be with child and give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever; his kingdom will never end.”**

**“How will this be,” Mary asked the angel, “since I am a virgin?”**

**The angel answered, “The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the holy one to be born will be called the Son of God. Even Elizabeth your relative is going to have a child in her old age, and she who was said to be barren is in her sixth month. For nothing is impossible with God.”**

**“I am the Lord’s servant,” Mary answered. “May it be to me as you have said.” Then the angel left her. (Luke 1:28-38)**

**Blessed is she who has believed that what the Lord has said to her will be accomplished! (Luke 1:45)**

**So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David. He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child. While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. (Luke 2:4-7)**

**And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord. This will be a sign to you. You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.”**

**Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, “Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests.” (Luke 2:8-14)**

**But Mary kept all these things and pondered them in her heart. (Luke 2:19 KJV)**

**Simeon: “Sovereign Lord, as you have promised, you now dismiss your servant in peace. For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in the sight of all people, a light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glory to your people Israel.” (Luke 2:29-32)**

**Simeon: “This child is destined to cause the falling and rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be spoken against, so that the thoughts of many hearts will be revealed.” (Luke 2:34-35)**

**And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was upon him. (Luke 2:40)**

**For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David’s throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this. (Isaiah 9:6-7)**

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LIGHT HAS COME INTO THE WORLD

These are the scriptures I put in our Christmas letter. The Lord gave me the title and led me to the scriptures He wanted in the letter. He also gave me the idea about the picture He wanted on the special Christmas stationery He wanted me to buy. I found the right stationery at www.Christianbook.com.

The people living in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned. (Matthew 4:16)

Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you. (Isaiah 60:1)

The Lord is my light and my salvation. (Psalm 27:1)

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. (Psalm 119:105)

God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. (1 John 1:5)

Jesus said: “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” (John 8:12)

In him was life, and that life was the light of men. (John 1:3)

I am...the bright Morning Star. (Revelation 22:16)

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## *DAILY BIBLE READING*

Today I was looking for a Bible near my chair to look up John 17 and read again what Jesus said about His being in the Father and the Father in Him. I found my Amplified Bible nearby and looked it up in that. As I did, I opened to John 16:33 and was so pleased at the way the Amplified translated it. I have often wondered what He meant when He said: “But take heart, because I have overcome the world.”

**I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.” (John 16:33 NIV)**

**I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world.” (John 16:33 NLT)**

**I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have [perfect] peace and confidence. In the world you have tribulation *and* trials *and* distress *and* frustration; but be of good cheer [take courage; be confident, certain, undaunted]! For I have overcome the world. [I have deprived it of power to harm you and have conquered it for you.] (John 16:33 AMP)**

Then, as I was reading from the Amplified Bible, the Lord began to tell me this idea – in 2016 He wants me to read my daily bible readings from this bible, just as in 2015 I read the bible through in the New Living Translation and before that in the New International Version. He wants me to divide it with markers, as I have done previously, into 5 sections (1) beginning of OT, (2) Psalms, (3) Proverbs and rest of OT, (4) Gospels, (5) rest of NT) and read it through in this translation – reading from each section daily. He said it would answer some of the questions I have had about various passages...like it did in John 16:33.

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SPOKEN WORDS

I had a problem with my ear feeling partially blocked. I sought the Lord about it. The Lord showed me something that happened in my childhood and life that He wanted to reveal to me. He reminded me that my problem ear was responding to vibrations, and the vibrations bothered it. He then revealed that words are spoken with vibrations, and there were words spoken to me during my childhood (and life) that were not of Him, and were offensive to His Spirit in me. He had me come out of agreement with all words spoken to me in my lifetime that were not of Him.

Then little children were brought to Jesus for him to place his hands on them and pray for them. But the disciples rebuked those who brought them. Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these. (Matthew 19:14)

As I pondered the thought of His Spirit being in me as a child, He revealed that if I had died as a child, I would have been saved. Therefore I belonged to Him (to the kingdom) during that time. When I reached the age of accountability I gave my life to him (about age 10) and then I belonged to Him by my choice. So I always belonged to Him (to His kingdom).

Therefore, when words were spoken to me that weren't in alignment with Him, they were offensive to His Spirit in me. He reminded me of certain people in particular, and how I used to hear them argue. He had me bind off me all words ever spoken to me that were not of Him, and I did that.

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## WORSHIP

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

*It's not that I need to be worshipped, it's that you need to worship Me. It does things in you and to you that are beneficial. You need it – daily. That's why you are to say the Lord's Prayer daily and worship Me.*

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

*Yes, Joan, it's coming, it's coming, it's coming – quickly. It will be here so soon you will marvel at it. It has almost arrived even today. I am doing so much around the world that you are unaware of, that you would be amazed if you could see it all like I do. That's why I am telling you this – to amaze you.*

Give us this day our daily bread

*I know exactly what each one needs – each one in your prayer bundle, and each one of My saints that you are praying for. I WILL PROVIDE.*

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THE FELLOWSHIP OF HIS SUFFERINGS

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. (Philippians 3:10)

I heard Paul Keith Davis in a webinar talk about “the fellowship of His sufferings” mentioned by Paul (see Philippians 3:10) and what the Lord showed him when he asked what that meant. He said it meant - a rapport and relationship brought about by suffering together, or relating to someone who is suffering, due to your previously going through something similar.

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## HIDDEN ANGER

*I want you to think back to disappointments in your childhood and what you did in response to them. Remember what it felt like when you were disciplined and not allowed to speak a harsh word or not allowed to show the anger you felt inside. THAT is what I want you to get in touch with now...that anger. THAT is what is coming out on your forehead – the anger from childhood that you were not allowed to express. It is still inside you, Joan, and needs to be dealt with. How do you deal with it?*

- *You give it to Me*
- *You smash, crush, and destroy it in Jesus’ name*
- *You bind it off of you and out of you and command it to leave you and this house and never return*
- *You come out of agreement with it so it cannot stay with you anymore...there is no place in you where it can sit and flourish or smolder.*
- *Then you ask Me what I want to give you to replace it.*

I asked Him what He wanted to give me to replace it.

*I want to give you My love, My all-consuming love, that you heard Paul Keith Davis talk about today in the webinar. Ask for it and I will give it to you.*

I asked Him for it.

*I give it, and it will grow. It will start small and grow exponentially. You will see it and know it when it comes. It will be entirely of ME, supernaturally of Me, none of you.*

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LISTEN

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)

Today I am awakening your ear to listen like one being taught. This is from Me; this is My gift to you today. Listen, My daughter, My child, for I am with you and I am awakening your ear to listen to Me and hear Me right now, today.

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## ONLY THE HUMBLE

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

I asked Him to keep my mantle of humility on for protection and so I could see clearly, and for every other reason He wants it on me. Then I heard:

*It sets you apart as Mine. Only the humble come to Me. Only the humble listen to Me. Only the humble will inherit My kingdom. No arrogant one will be in My kingdom. I cannot stand arrogance and will not tolerate it in My kingdom which I set up on earth when I return. Only the humble will rule and reign with Me. So be humble, My child, and we will get along beautifully. When you are humble you will believe Me, accept Me, and eventually rule and reign with Me. I will be found by you – when you are humble. Humility is a*

*mark of those who belong to Me. They are willing to repent and listen to Me and deny themselves and follow Me. THEY HAVE MY HEART IN THEM.*

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SECRETS

I KNOW ALL THINGS and I CAN COMMUNICATE ALL THINGS as I choose to you. That is the new way I want to be for you – the One Who Communicates All Things To You. Ask Me to be that for you today and every day of your life.

As I asked this, He said:

And I want to be the One who reveals the secret of the rash on your skin. That's why you haven't been able to figure it out yourself, or through the world's ways. I want to be the One who reveals it to you. Ask Me.

I ask You, Lord, what is the secret of the rash?

Here it is – come to Me, come to Me and I will reveal secrets that only I know. I know this secret, and I want to share it with you. Do you want to know it?

Yes.

There is something out of balance in your skin system. Ask Me to bring it into balance, and then wait for Me to do that. I know what I'm doing.

I ask You, Lord, to bring my skin system into balance...in Jesus' name.

It is done.

I prayed it through, proclaimed it, and prayed in tongues. Thank You, Lord!

And now you wait and watch it unfold.

**Wait for the Lord
Be strong and of good courage,
And wait for the Lord. (Psalm 27:14)**

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## ASK ME

*It's time for Me to handle your physical body care now, so keep seeking Me for that daily as you do for safety, protection and provision.*

*I will do that now. I will lead you as to whether you are to go to any doctor for body care now. Only go when I tell you to, and to whom I tell you. I know the way, and I will show it to you as you ask and wait on Me to reveal My way, My choice. This is the humble way to walk with Me. Don't go unless I tell you to go.*

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I WORK THROUGH PEOPLE

During the Lord's Prayer I heard this:

You will know Me in a new and deeper way today.

Since you are My writer, I will give you things to write slowly and carefully, just as I did Moses. I know all things, and I communicate to you just the things I want you to write for others to read and learn through you.

This is the way I function. I work through My people, one to another, one teaching another, one praying for another, one loving another. That is the way I work most often in the world. And I use you in that way too.

"They will know we are Christians by our love" – one to another.

And this is love – to lay down one's life for others...just as I did.

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## *LIFE*

**I tell you the truth, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be condemned; he has crossed over from death to life. (John 5:24)**

Today the Lord talked to me about LIFE. God is Life. Jesus is Life. When we have God inside us, we have Life inside us. Life is eternal. We have that Life inside us when we believe what Jesus did for us, and when we give our life to Him, and receive His life into us.

**Choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve...but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord. (Joshua 24:15)**

A child is not responsible for that eternal decision to receive Christ into his life until he is old enough to understand it. When he understands it, then he needs to choose life or death.

**Then little children were brought to Jesus for him to place his hands on them and pray for them. But the disciples rebuked those who brought them. Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these. (Matthew 19:14)**

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BEHOLDING ME

As I read down through Psalm 91 with my eyes, He spoke to me and said:

That is beholding Me, when you look at My Word, and focus on Me, and know that you are looking at My Word that I SPOKE. What I spoke, and what/who I am, are the same. So when you behold My Word, you behold Me. This word is not for everyone, but for those who belong to Me. Those without the Spirit do not behold Me in My Word.

The man without the Spirit does not accept the things that come from the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him, and he cannot understand them, because they are spiritually discerned. (I Corinthians 2:14)

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## *TRANSFORMING MY BODY*

**But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body. (Philippians 3:20-21)**

Lord Jesus, I am so thankful that my citizenship is in heaven. I eagerly await Your return, Lord Jesus. You have the power to bring everything under Your control, and You will transform my lowly body so that it will be like Your glorious body. I am so grateful for Your power! Thank You Lord! I look forward to Your transforming my body so it will be like Yours!

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TRUTH

This is on my list to pray through each day:

- *Ask Me to guide you into all the truth I want you to have.*

As I asked Him to guide me into all the truth He wanted me to have today, I heard this:

I will, and I have a lot of truth to reveal to you today, so keep listening (and writing) what I bring to you all day.

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## BEAUTIFUL

In our conversation time today the Lord told me that in heaven everyone is beautiful, no one is ugly. There is nothing ugly in heaven. Everyone is beautiful, as they were created to be, but weren't necessarily looking that way on earth.

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POWER

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

It IS coming, and you will rule and reign with Me.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Ok, I WILL do that.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power

Yes and you will have that power someday. You have no way to conceive of that power right now, Joan. But it will be yours someday to use - to My glory and for My kingdom.

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## THE LAND OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH

As I read Matthew 4:16 what caught my attention was the phrase "in the land of the shadow of death". I recalled a similar phrase was used in Psalm



23 (“the valley of the shadow of death”), so I wrote out both verses in two translations and pondered the meaning of those words.

**The people living in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned. (Matthew 4:16)**

**The people who sat [dwelt enveloped] in darkness have seen a great Light, and for those who sat in the land and shadow of death Light has dawned. (Matthew 4:16 AMP)**

**Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me. (Psalm 23:4a)**

**Yes, though I walk through the [deep, sunless] valley of the shadow of death, I will fear or dread no evil, for You are with me, Your rod [to protect] and Your staff [to guide], they comfort me. (Psalm 23:4 AMP)**

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THE LIGHT OF LIFE

Today the Lord brought my attention to this scripture about “the people living in darkness have seen a great light”.

Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you. (Isaiah 60:1)

The Lord is my light and my salvation. (Psalm 27:1)

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. (Psalm 110:105)

God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. (1 John 1:5)

Jesus said: “I am the light of the world, whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” (John 8:12)

In him was life, and that life was the light of men. (John 1:3)

I am...the bright Morning Star. (Revelation 22:16)

This is the same theme He has been giving me over and over the last few months...about His being Light and what that means.

His life was the light of men...the light of life. We live in a land of the shadow of death, yet we walk in the light of life in the midst of that.

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## *I WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU*

*I am with you, Joan, and I love you. I will never leave you nor forsake you. Remember this always. I am ALWAYS with you, no matter where you go, because you belong to Me and I live in you, inside you. I know this is hard for you to understand, but it is true, nonetheless.*

*I will be with you as you go today to meet with others for Christmas dinner. I will be with you when you come home and spend the evening together with Beth here. I will be with you EVERYWHERE you go, no matter when. I will ALWAYS be with you. Do you understand this?*

Yes, Lord, I believe I do.

*Then keep reminding your self of this every day, all the way to the end of your earth life.*

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UNDER HIS WINGS

He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge. (Psalm 91:4a)

Ask Me to hide you under My wings for every day of your life.

I asked Him what that means.

It means I protect you, I watch over you, I cover you to keep you safe from all harm and evil, and I only allow to come to you that which I allow for My healing/maturing purposes. It means safety for you, and it means special attention, protection, and guidance. It means more than you know or understand, but it is all good for you.

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## A DREAM

In this dream I was the main person observing a flock of wild fowls, looking much like geese, clustered close together in the sky overhead. They were so close together it looked like a dark cloud. They all had their feet down and were touching each other in this cluster. They weren't flying but were suspended in the air together. Then something happened and they disappeared from that place, and I saw them again clustered in the sky a short distance away. As I watched them, they just disappeared, and I was amazed and felt this was something supernatural.

My guess interpretation: the birds represent spirits hovering over us that look like possible trouble, but they disappear from us and appear in another place, then disappear altogether. Perhaps this represents the physical difficulties some of us are all going through right now. They eventually totally disappear.

Lord's interpretation:

*This is right, Joan. These troubling situations (that look like they are going to land on you and cover you) move elsewhere and then disappear. That DOES refer to the current troubles you are dealing with right now in your health and finances.*

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PERFECT

In heaven everything will be perfect. There will not be one single thing that is not perfect. The sky will be perfect; the mountains will be perfect, the valleys will be perfect; the flowers, bushes and trees will be perfect; AND all the people there will be perfect – in their transformed perfect beautiful bodies. And all thoughts will be perfect, nothing will be ugly or disrespectful, or distasteful. Perfect is what I am, and perfect is what you will be too when you are there.

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## 2016

Today I worked more on preparing the 2016 Journal. The Lord said He wanted to talk to me about 2016, so I want to be listening to Him regarding that. This is the week to do that.

I believe that the Light that He has been bringing to my attention many times recently (especially in the Christmas letter) is what is coming in 2016. I believe He is preparing us, His people, His glorious army, for 2016 and what He plans to do during that year. I did not think I would be here for 2016, but I am here. So, whatever He wants to do, I want to be involved in the portion and part of that that He has for me to be.

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LAST DAY OF 2015

It's the last day of the year, Joan, and I want you to listen to Me. I want to talk to you about the New Year coming.

This New Year will be totally different than 2015 in that 2015 was a "preparation year" and 2016 is a "go out and do" year. The whole year of preparation is done – today. You are prepared. Beth is prepared. And your friend is prepared. Now I will send you three out as a team to work for Me the end times prophecies.

What are those end time prophecies?

That is why I am having you read Rick Joyner's new book Army of the Dawn. It is going to tell you those prophecies. And when you read about them, then I will reveal to you what YOUR PART is in fulfilling them.

So set aside today to read that book. And listen to Me as you read, and write down all the thoughts I give you as you read it. That's what I want you to go and do now.

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## QUESTIONS FROM THE BOOK: ARMY OF THE DAWN

As I read Rick Joyner's book *Army of the Dawn* I asked myself many questions, regarding things he mentioned, as a way of determining if I am where I am supposed to be so I can be part of this Army. Here are some of the questions I asked the Lord:

Lord, am I fitting together rightly with Your body?

Am I pursuing my purpose in Your body? And what is that purpose?

Am I in my right place?

Do I have my mind renewed? (Romans 12)

Am I proving the perfect will of God? (Romans 12:2)

We must wait for Your orders. Have I done that?

Am I in Your will – seeking Your kingdom first?

Am I given over to comforts of this present world?

There cannot be victory without battle. Am I in battle?

Am I one of those who can hear the truth?

Do I accept reproof?

Do I embrace the cross and take it up every day and follow You?

Do I repent, Lord?

Am I faithful even unto death?

Quote from page 33:

“They will not be afraid to die because they will have already died to this world, and they live to do all things for the sake of His gospel.”

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PROPHECIES MENTIONED IN THE BOOK: ARMY OF THE DAWN

1. Wheat and tares: Tares bundled together and taken out before wheat is harvested.
2. His people volunteer freely. Psalm 110:3. It's our choice.
3. They will use “the key to the kingdom” to unlock the kingdom. The key is to seek first His kingdom in everything we do.
4. Many falling away and turning against brothers and sisters in Christ.
5. Some will awaken and some will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.
6. Fellowship of true messengers (a small group) who are called “flames of fire.” (Hebrews 1:7)
7. Willing to endure hardship. 2 Tim. 4:5
8. Remain vigilant, sober, full of oil of Holy Spirit. Not run from trials
9. These are the times when even greater things than Jesus did will be done in His name, just as He promised.
10. When the true adventure of Christianity is recovered, the youth will flock to it.
11. Battle between light and dark won by light – Isaiah 60

12. Matt. 24:14 Gospel preached in all world

13. Matt. 6:10 – Gospel of kingdom is about Jesus' returning to set up His kingdom and will on earth as it is in heaven.

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## *THE ARMY DESCRIBED IN BOOK: ARMY OF THE DAWN*

**Cross** - The most basic training in the use of God's power is to understand the basic principle of walking in His supernatural power stated in 1 Corinthians 1:18 "For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God." So the word of the cross – is the power of God. The cross is the most powerful force that has ever been on the earth.

**Truth** – sets men free. His army sets captives free

**Army** – will have two basic parts: those who engage the enemy and those who support and supply those on the front lines

**Weapons** – Its weapons are spiritual, not natural.

**Concentration of forces** – put most effort on one thing at a time to create a breakthrough

**Initiative** – seize and hold the initiative

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BUILDING AN ARMY - FROM BOOK: ARMY OF THE DAWN

Today the Lord had me read in Rick Joyner's book *Army of the Dawn*. I read pages 63-66 which is the beginning of Chapter 6 called "Building an Army". Then He told me to go and type that much into my journal and send it by email to several people whom He named. This is quoted from those pages:

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## BUILDING AN ARMY

As God's people rise up to be the army we are called to be, we must pass through specific phases of growth in order to mature and become effective. Just as civilians do not automatically become excellent soldiers but must endure the rigors of training, so too do God's people need a systematic process that requires five basic stages.

They are:

- 1) Mobilizing
- 2) Teaching
- 3) Training
- 4) Equipping
- 5) Deploying

Each of these stages is critical and must be accomplished in sequence. Only when we have been through all five will we have an effective fighting force ready for the ultimate conflict between light and darkness. Here we will briefly examine each stage.

**PHASE 1: Mobilization**—Mobilization is the call into the Lord's army. We should hear this call at the time we commit our lives to the Lord. When we accept the salvation of the cross, we have been bought with the blood of the Son, and we are no longer our own, but belong to Him. The call of salvation is individual, and we must each be born again by our own faith in Him, but then we become part of His body, the most important gathering of people there has ever been. His body is also His army.

**PHASE 2: Teaching**—Once we are mobilized, we must begin the maturing process. Growing up in the knowledge and wisdom of the Lord begins with renewing our minds, conforming our thinking to His. We do this by becoming disciples, studying His Word and allowing the Holy Spirit to "teach us all things" (see John 14:26). This is where we build our biblical worldview, which is learning to see the world as the Lord sees it. As we do this we will also begin to see things in unity with others in the body.



Through the process of renewing the mind, we discover our specific calling and placement in His body, His army. This is a crucial stage in our growth in the Lord. Teaching is an important stage, but we must go beyond it to make an impact.

**PHASE 3: Training**—Training comes after teaching. It is practicing what we have learned in the teaching stage. At this stage we should have instructors and mentors to ensure proper application of learning, but students must be allowed to grow through the testing of wisdom gleaned through the teaching.

Training prepares the student to be released.....

Book knowledge is not enough...Unfortunately much of the body of Christ is stuck at the teaching level. Multitudes are gathered and taught, but that is not enough. Congregations are often like big sheep pens where the flock is thrown food a couple of times a week, resulting in many well-fed Christians who are bearing little or no fruit for the kingdom.

Jesus did not just teach His disciples. He let them practice what He did, in His presence first, and then he sent them out two by two.

**PHASE 4: Equipping**—The fourth stage, equipping, is when you receive your weapon. In aviation, for example, you may be assigned to fly a certain plane. In the infantry, you are given a rifle or machine gun. In artillery, you are assigned to a gun and crew on a specific cannon. In the body of Christ we are given divinely powerful weapons like love, truth, and wisdom. In place of guns we have pulpits, books, television, and other media. The weapons of our occupation forces are schools, charities, and missions that reinforce the people in the Lord.

In Ephesians 4, we see that the primary mandate of apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors, and teachers is to equip the saints to do the work of the ministry. Where can you find this being done today? If there are true apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors, and teachers leading, you will not find them doing the ministry in a congregation, but rather you will find the saints doing the ministry under their guidance.

**PHASE 5: Deployment**—The final stage, deployment, is when we get in the fight. This is the commission to ministry with a specific mandate: fulfill our purpose to set the captives free, tear down strongholds of darkness, and prepare the way for the coming of God's kingdom. At this stage, all our prior preparation, trials, and training pay off and are measured in fruit.

Being engaged in a ministry, whether within the church walls or not, is essential for a healthy Christian life. Each member of God's army is uniquely gifted and must be equipped to make an impact in his or her sphere of influence. When we engage in our God-given mission, the life and power of Christ within us is manifested. No matter how old or young, every believer is called to a ministry, and every believer has a mission.

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WHERE AM I LORD?

You are fully mobilized.

You are being taught daily by Me and situations and materials I bring into your experience (i.e. talking with Me, books, TV, conferences, church, visions, dreams, words of knowledge from others, etc).

You are being trained by the life situations I give you to go through.

Your equipment, which I've given you, is made up of several things: words of knowledge, loving, caring, praying in your language, praying in tongues, writing, books on the web for others to read, listening to Me as in Proverbs 8:34, listening to others, and an instructed tongue as in Isaiah 50:4.

You used to be deployed into Discipleship Training, worshipping, teaching, administering, organizing, and leading.

You are now deployed in the area of books you put on your website to help others learn and grow. You are deployed into prayer ministry with and for others. You are also deployed as My intercessor to pray for the needs I place before you.

More deployment is to come – soon. You will need to wait and see what that is when it comes to you...and it WILL be brought TO YOU.

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## *THE NEED TO BE TRAINED IN HOW TO MINISTER AS JESUS DID*

After finishing Rick Joyner's book *Army of the Dawn* I knew lots of people **needed to be trained in how to minister** as Jesus taught His disciples to do. He showed them as He did the things He did. They watched and did the same things. The empowering came from the Holy Spirit working through them as earthly vessels.

During the night the idea formed in my mind that He wanted me to write out today the answers to three questions by searching the scriptures. I am to use the study section of my Scofield Study Bible, and my Disciple's Study Bible, plus my PTL Counselor's Edition of KJV Bible. The three questions:

1. What did Jesus do?
2. Examples in the Bible of where He did it.
3. How did Jesus do it?

What did Jesus do?

Examples in the Bible of where He did it.

He traveled around teaching, preaching, and healing every disease and sickness among the people.

**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)**

He healed people by touching them.

**When Jesus came into Peter's house, he saw Peter's mother-in-law lying in bed with a fever. He touched her**

**hand and the fever left her, and she got up and began to wait on him.**

**He touched the man's ear and healed him. (Luke 22:51)**

He drove out spirits with a word

**When evening came, many who were demon-possessed were brought to him, and he drove out the spirits with a word and healed all the sick. This was to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet Isaiah: "He took up our infirmities and carried our diseases." (Matthew 8:14-17)**

Jesus spoke the word and healed.

**Then he said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." So he stretched it out and it was completely restored, just as sound as the other. (Matthew 12:13)**

Jesus fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah regarding healing.

**The Spirit of the Lord is on me...He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind. (Luke 4:18)**

Jesus healed by forgiving sins, because of faith, and when the power of the Lord was present for him to heal the sick.

**One day as he was teaching...and the power of the Lord was present for him to heal the sick...some men came carrying a paralytic on a mat...and lowered him on his mat through the tiles [of the roof] into the middle of the crowd, right in front of Jesus. When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven...But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins..." He said to the paralyzed man, "I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home." Immediately he stood up in front of them, took what he had been lying on and went home praising God. (Luke 5:17-25)**

People were healed when they touched Jesus at times because power was coming from him.

**Those troubled by evil spirits were cured, and the people all tried to touch him, because power was coming from him and healing them all. (Luke 6:18-19)**

**Jesus said, "Someone touched me, I know that power has gone out from me." Then the woman...told why she had touched him and how she had been instantly healed. Then he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace." (Luke 8:46-48)**

How did Jesus do it?

He touched.

He spoke a word.

He forgave sins.

He carried power.

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EMPOWERING AND INSTRUCTING HIS DISCIPLES

Power to heal was bestowed upon Apostles.

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)

When Jesus had called the Twelve together, he gave them power and authority to drive out all demons and to cure diseases, and he sent them out to preach the kingdom of God and to heal the sick. (Luke 9:1-2)

He gave them instructions when He sent them out...(Matthew 10:1-42)

He instructed them *where to go*.

**These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions:
“Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. (Matthew 10:5-6)**

He instructed them *what to preach*.

As you go, preach this message: ‘The kingdom of heaven is near. (Matthew 10:7)

He instructed them *what to do*.

Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. (Matthew 10:8)

He instructed them *where to stay*.

Whatever town or village you enter, search for some worthy person there and stay at his house until you leave. As you enter the house, give it your greeting. If the home is deserving, let your peace rest on it; if it is not, let your peace return to you. (Matthew 10:11-13)

He instructed them *what to do if they were not welcomed*.

If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake the dust off your feet when you leave that home or town. (Matthew 10:14)

He instructed them *what to do if arrested*.

I am sending you out like sheep among wolves. Therefore be as shrewd as snakes and as innocent as doves. Be on your guard against men; they will hand you over to the local councils and flog you in their synagogues. On my account you will be brought before governors and kings as witnesses to them and to the Gentiles. But when they arrest you, do

not worry about what to say or how to say it. At that time you will be given what to say, for it will not be you speaking, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. (Matthew 10:16-20)

He said He would *reveal hidden information* to them.

So do not be afraid of them. There is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known. What I tell you in the dark, speak in the daylight; what is whispered in your ear, proclaim from the roofs. (Matthew 10:26-27)

He taught them about *those who would receive them*.

He who receives you receives me, and he who receives me receives the one who sent me. Anyone who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and anyone who receives a righteous man because he is a righteous man will receive a righteous man's reward. (Matthew 10:40-41)

He taught them about *ministering to those who belong to Him*.

And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is my disciple, I tell you the truth, he will certainly not lose his reward. (Matthew 10:42)

His *power is given as a gift, and as He determines*.

There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit. There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. There are different kinds of working, but the same God works all of them in all men. Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good....All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he gives them to each one, just as he determines. (1Corinthians 12:4-7, 11)

He taught them about *who needed Him*.

Jesus said to them, “It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.” (Mark 2:17)

He taught them about *how He drove out demons*.

If I drive out demons by the Spirit of God, then the kingdom of God has come upon you. Or again, how can anyone enter a strong man’s house and carry off his possessions unless he first ties up the strong man? Then he can rob his house. (Matthew 12:28-29)

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## *HOW DO CURES OF DISEASES COME?*

Healing can come *by cures from God*

**Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases... (Psalm 103:3)**

**See now that I myself am He! There is no god besides me. I put to death and I bring to life, I have wounded and I will heal, and no one can deliver out of my hand. (Deuteronomy 32:39)**

Healing can come *by prayer*

**His father was sick in bed, suffering from fever and dysentery. Paul went in to see him and, after prayer, placed his hands on him and healed him. When this had happened, the rest of the sick on the island came and were cured. (Acts 28:8-9)**

**Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make**



**the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. (James 5:14-15)**

Healing can come *by means provided...*

**Then Isaiah said, "Prepare a poultice of figs." They did so and applied it to the boil, and he recovered. (2 Kings 20:7)**

**But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. (Luke 10:33)**

Healing can come *by miracle...*

**Some time later the son of the woman who owned the house became ill. He grew worse and worse, and finally stopped breathing..."Give me your son," Elijah replied. He took him from her arms, carried him to the upper room where he was staying, and laid him on his bed. Then he cried out to the Lord, "O Lord my God, have you brought tragedy also upon this widow I am staying with, by causing her son to die?" Then he stretched himself out on the boy three times and cried to the Lord, "O Lord my God, let this boy's life return to him!" The Lord heard Elijah's cry, and the boy's life returned to him and he lived...Then the woman said to Elijah, "Now I know that you are a man of God and that the word of the Lord from your mouth is the truth." (1 Kings 17:17-24)**

Healing comes *in God's time.*

**There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven:...a time to kill and a time to heal. (Ecclesiastes 3:3)**

Healing comes through *what Jesus did for us.*

**Surely he took up our infirmities (sicknesses) and carried our sorrows (pain), yet we considered him stricken by God,**

smitten by him, and afflicted. 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)

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DON'T WASTE A TRIAL

Lord, do You want me to keep having this problem?

I want you to learn something from it.

What do You want me to learn from it Lord?

I want you to learn that I am with you, no matter what you are dealing with, and that I will show you the way OUT OF IT or THROUGH IT.

In this case, I am showing you the way through it by leading you to products you can use to alleviate the problem.

I want you to go through trials, Joan, to train you and teach you. Remember Rick Joyner said in his book "don't waste a trial." Don't waste this trial, Joan.

Am I wasting it Lord?

No, you are learning from it. It will soon pass.

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## A GIFT BACK TO THE LORD

I thought about BL who tried to edit my writings for publication back when I lived in Columbia. And the Lord began to talk to me about that situation, and had me forgive him.

*How could he criticize your work when your work was from Me and he was criticizing it with his natural mind, from an earthly standpoint. He could not. That is why I stopped that process. That is why I didn't put My work through you under any editor or publisher, but just had you put it on the web as it was. Then, at the right time, when I lead someone to it, My Spirit will use it to teach, correct, instruct and bless that person. It will be Spirit to spirit, My Spirit speaking through your writing to the spirit in the person I lead to read your writing. That is My plan and purpose, and that is what I will do.*

*I had you place the writing "out there" for such a time as I choose to use it, for My purposes. And you were obedient to do it that way, with no prize, no reward on earth, no fame or attention to come to you from it. It was placed out there on the web as a gift back to Me of what I gave to you.*

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HEALING

What do You want to give me, Lord?

Healing. From now on I want to spend a lot of time/gifts on healing you from things the enemy has put on you. I can heal you from ANYTHING, Joan. Trust Me. I can. What would you like healing from today?

I would like healing from...I named the problem. Is that ok with You?

That's ok with Me. Now look for it; expect it. It WILL come because I have determined that. I will tell you. You and I will work together to get this issue healed for you. Trust Me. I CAN and WILL do this. So start praising and thanking Me now.

Thank You Lord! You WILL heal me from this. I declare it in Jesus' name.

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## I AM YOUR DOCTOR

*I am your Doctor. It's time for your healing to begin – through Me. It's time to look to Me for ALL advice, counsel, direction, correction, steps to take, and timing for all things.*

*This is the year, 2016, when you will need to do this all the time – because of what is happening in the world in relation to the end times scenario you are now involved in. I am the Way through this time, and I am the ONLY Way through this time. So look to Me from now on for EVERYTHING - all advise, all counsel, all wisdom.*

*I told you many times that there would be a time to heal you, Joan, and NOW IS THE TIME. It has arrived; it is here; now, so follow Me all the way from now on. Do not lean on your own understanding, because I know all things, and you don't.*

*And you have lots of things that need healing, so we will work on them one at a time. Follow Me and I will show you the way through this to complete healing. I know the way.*

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A DREAM

I had a dream last night and it has stuck in my mind until evening, so I will write it down in case the Lord wants to teach me something from it.

This dream seemed to be about my sister, J, and me. I experienced us getting out of a car, which she drove and parked along a street. As she walked away from the car, I asked her if she had the key to the car before I shut the door so I could be sure we could get back in. Evidently I didn't have a key, although we didn't say that.

It seemed we two were going on a voyage by train together. I already had my ticket, but she didn't yet have hers. My thought was that if she couldn't get a ticket for the seating area where my ticket was, then I would go to the area where her ticket was.

As we walked along the street I saw her from behind on the right side of the street, on the sidewalk. I was slightly behind her on the opposite side of the street. On her legs she had striped leggings and a skirt that came to her knees. I noticed she looked like she walked a little strange, like a bit bow-legged or something.

We walked along until we came to a shopping area. I was looking for a place to eat, as I didn't want to have a blood sugar drop. She seemed to want to shop for things. We kept walking and walking past weird looking stores. We looked in shops that had many items very closely placed together. I saw umbrellas and wanted to get a small fold-up one to put in my luggage for our trip in case it rained.

We had walked so much I wasn't sure I knew how to get back to the car. I remember asking her just before I woke up, "Do you remember where the car is?"

Do You want me to try to interpret this, Lord?

No, I want you to just listen to Me to interpret it.

J represents the church – your sisters in Christ. She is busy looking for things. She doesn't yet have her ticket for the voyage away from here. She has a strangeness to her walk and her legs (walk) that you can see/perceive.

She needs to remember where her car is – her ministry. She says she has the key to that car/ministry, but you are uncertain and need to ask her. You don't have the key because it is her ministry/car and she is driving. You are walking with her, but observing her as you go. Her legs represent her strength, her earthly walk. It is a bit strange looking to you.

You are hungry and want to eat (be filled with My Word, your food).

In all the earthly goods displayed in the dream in the stores, what you want is an umbrella because you want to be ready when the rain comes (the great harvest with My Spirit).

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## *THE HAND OF GOD*

I feel I am to do a topical study on the HAND OF GOD. It has come up in my scripture reading so often lately, and recently a friend said he saw the hand of God in a vision picture.

**So I will stretch out my hand and strike the Egyptians with all the wonders that I will perform among them. After that, he will let you go. (Ex. 3:20)**

**If you refuse to let them go and continue to hold them back, the hand of the Lord will bring a terrible plague on your livestock in the field—on your horses and donkeys and camels and on your cattle and sheep and goats. (Ex. 9:3)**

**When my glory passes by, I will put you in a cleft in the rock and cover you with my hand until I have passed by. Then I will remove my hand and you will see my back, but my face must not be seen. (Exod. 33:22-23)**

**Surely it is you who love the people; all the holy ones are in your hand. (Deut. 33:2)**

**So they called together all the rulers of the Philistines and said, “Send the ark of the god of Israel away; let it go back to its own place, or it will kill us and our people” For death had filled the city with panic; God’s hand was very heavy upon it. (1 Sam. 5:11)**

**I also told them about the gracious hand of my God upon me and what the king had said to me. They replied, “Let us start rebuilding.” So they began this good work. (Nehemiah 2:18)**

**Have pity on me, my friends, have pity, for the hand of God has struck me. (Job 19:21)**

**You have made known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand. (Psalm 16:11)**

**My times are in your hands; deliver me from my enemies and from those who pursue me. (Ps. 31:15)**

**If the Lord delights in a man's way, he makes his steps firm; though he stumble, he will not fall, for the Lord upholds him with his hand. (Psalm 37:23-24)**

**In the hand of the Lord is a cup full of foaming wine mixed with spices; he pours it out, and all the wicked of the earth drink it down to its very dregs. (Psalm 75:8)**

**If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea, even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast. (Psalm 139:9-10)**

**You open your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing. (Psalm 145:16)**

**A man can do nothing better than to eat and drink and find satisfaction in his work. This too, I see, is from the hand of God, for without him, who can eat or find enjoyment? (Eccl. 2:24-25)**

**Therefore the Lord's anger burns against his people; his hand is raised and he strikes them down. (Isaiah 5:25)**

**Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand, or with the breadth of his hand marked off the heavens? (Isaiah 40:12)**

**Yet it was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer, and though the Lord makes his life a guilt offering, he will see his offspring and prolong his days, and the will of the Lord will prosper in his hand. (Isaiah 53:10)**

**All day long I have held out my hands to an obstinate people, who walk in ways not good, pursuing their own imaginations... (Isaiah 65:2)**

**No one can hold back his hand or say to him: “What have you done?” (Daniel 4:35)**

**“I am,” said Jesus. “And you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of the Mighty One and coming on the clouds of heaven.” (Mark 14:62)**

**After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. (Mark 16:19)**

**I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father’s hand. I and the Father are one.” (John 10:22-30)**

**It is a dreadful thing to fall into the hands of the living God. (Heb. 10:31)**

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WAYS OF THINKING

As I began my Quiet Time today I had the thought that we, as humans, learn our ways of thinking from others – parents, aunts, uncles, cousins, teachers, etc. And those ways of thinking are not always right with the Lord. So I asked Him to strip me of all those ways of thinking that are not in agreement with His thinking, His heart, His will. I came out of agreement with all things I was taught and thought that were not of Him. And I placed in myself all the thinking that IS of Him.

Teach me your ways, so that I may know you and continue to find favor with you. (Exodus 33:13)

May YOUR WILL be done in me. May YOUR THINKING be in me. May YOUR HEART be in me.

As he thinks in his heart, so is he. (Proverbs 23:7 KJV)

I want to be Yours, Lord, completely and totally. I want to carry You and display You everywhere I go. I want to think Your thoughts and commune with You all the time, day and night, wherever I go. That is my heart's desire, Lord. You put that desire in me. Thank You for that.

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## COME AWAY MY BELOVED...TOGETHER

Lord, You are my beloved. And I am Your beloved. That's just amazing to me. You really love me, don't You? I really AM Your beloved.

*Yes, Joan, you ARE My beloved. You are My chosen, My elect, My loved one, My son/daughter, My family of God. You really belong to Me, and I belong to you. We have a covenant together. We stick together. We are a team and we work together. Together, Joan. Together. That's My word for you today, Joan – together. Never apart. Always together. No matter where we are, we are together. Together is a good word, and I want you to remember it. Together.*

And we will be like that in heaven, Lord?

*It will be even better in heaven. We will be even closer than here on earth and I know you can't imagine that, but it is true. I will NEVER leave you or forsake you – never includes heaven and all eternity. It includes the Millennium too when you rule and reign with Me on earth. And it includes what comes after the Millennium – the forever.*

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I AM THE ULTIMATE WISDOM

You need someone to help you learn how to live as an 80 year old. I am that Someone. I can help you. I want you to go to this new doctor next Monday and see what he says about your back, shoulder, and knees. Then come home and ask Me about what he said, and we will talk about it.

Remember I am your Doctor. I use men on earth to help each other, to learn wisdom about certain issues, and to counsel one another – but I am the ultimate Wisdom and I know everything. They don't. They have limited knowledge, and I have all knowledge. I give some knowledge to one, and some to another, but not all to anyone. So continually seek Me for your wisdom and understanding and knowledge about how to treat your body while you are on earth in it.

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## CHANGE YOUR ATTITUDE

Yesterday the Lord said this to someone:

*Change your attitude and I WILL change your circumstances.*

Lord, do I have a wrong attitude that is keeping You from changing my circumstances?

*Yes, you do. I have been waiting for you to ask Me about that. Now you know. Ask Me what the wrong attitude is and what the right attitude is, and I will tell you. I won't withhold from you the right way of thinking.*

*That's what I wanted you to ask Me. Now, listen and I will tell you.*

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TRUTH

Ask Me to guide you into all the truth I want you to have.

What truth do You want me to have right now, Lord?

I want to tell you the truth about your condition. Ask Me WHY you have the problems.

Why, Lord, do I have the problems?

It is because of your attitude towards some things, which produces thoughts towards those things, which, in turn, produces your spoken words on those things. Ask Me what those things are.

I ask You, Lord, what are those things about which I have a wrong attitude?

This is highly important, Joan. Don't treat it as if it is not. Treat it as very important and special for you to learn. Seek Me, Wisdom, with ALL your heart, and you will find Me.

THIS is what I want to spend this day on – teaching you, giving you revelation, because it is highly important to your future and ongoing health and well-being.

Just follow My leading. This will not be a one-time event. It will be an ongoing teaching I want to give you, reveal to you. Watch for it.

Seek Me for it, and I will give it to you. That is My promise. Hold Me to My promise.

If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. (2 Chronicles 7:14)

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## ASK ME

*I want to renew your heart and mind with MY WAY of thinking. Ask Me for that.*

I ask you to renew my heart and mind with YOUR WAY of thinking, Lord. I want to think like You think.

*I know your fears and I know why you have them. I want to change you, so ask Me.*

I ask You, Lord, to change me. Change me so I think like You think, and so I trust You will all my heart. Lord, change me.

*I will. You will see. I will change you as you keep humbling yourself before Me, and asking Me to change you so you will be like Me. I am working to make you like Me, Joan. That is My goal. And that is also your goal. So we will keep working on this together. I will show you the way.*

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FEELINGS AND THOUGHTS

There the Lord made a decree and a law for them, and there he tested them. He said, “If you listen carefully to the voice of the Lord your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am the Lord, who heals you.” (Exodus 15:25b-26)

- Listen carefully to the voice of the Lord your God.
- Do what is right in His eyes.
- Pay attention to His commands.
- Keep all His decrees.

Lord, You are the same yesterday, today, and forever.

I choose to do these four things. Will You give me back Your favor, Lord?

You never lost My favor. You still have My favor. But now I need to teach you some things to help you. I WILL do that. I will teach you. But follow Me and I will lead you to the way.

Thank You, Lord. I choose to deny myself, take up my cross, and follow You, Lord.

What do I need to do, Lord?

Listen to Me and follow Me. I must have complete obedience in order to make you ready to rule and reign with Me. Do not go by your own understanding, but by My word to you.

I allowed this to happen to teach you to follow Me better. You WILL learn – as I am the Author and Perfecter of your faith. We'll keep working together on it. I don't give up on you, because you belong to Me. I will never leave you or forsake you, My child. I WILL keep teaching you. It is what all My people have to deal with – their feelings and their thoughts.

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## *SPEAKING IT ACTIVATES IT*

*Don't worry about little aches and pains occasionally in your body, for I AM taking care of your body.*

*It delights Me and gives Me joy to have you “come away” with Me. It benefits both of us.*

*I am your Guardian. I am your Soldier standing right beside you to protect you all day, all the time, night and day. Think of Me as that.*

*My angels are with you too. They look after you and protect you every day of your life. They never leave you or forsake you, and I never leave you or forsake you. Know this and count on this, depend on this.*

I spoke all this out loud as He instructed me to.

*That's good.*

*Speaking it activates it.*

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LOOK ONLY TO JESUS

Let us look only to Jesus, the One who began our faith and who makes it perfect. He suffered death on the cross. But he accepted the shame as if it were nothing because of the joy that God put before him. And now he is sitting at the right side of God's throne. Think about Jesus' example. He held on while wicked people were doing evil things to him. So do not get tired and stop trying. (Hebrews 12:2-3 NCV)

I have summoned you by name; you are mine. (Isaiah 43:1)

Always remember this, Joan. You are Mine. You belong to Me. Yes, I paid a dear price for you and all who come to Me. Yet I loved you so much it was worth all I went through to please My Father, and to gain you/the whole world.

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## SPEAK THE WORDS OF LIFE TO YOURSELF

**Who heals all your diseases (Psalm 103:1-3)**

*That is the truth, Joan. Believe and you will receive. Speak the words of life to yourself. My words are the words of life. Speak My words to yourself, to your body, to your soul, and believe them, and they will bring life and health to you.*

What words (of life/My words) do You want me to speak, Lord?

**I am the Lord that heals you. (Exodus 15:26b)**

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

**My son, pay attention to what I say; listen closely to my words. Do not let them out of your sight, keep them within your heart; For they are life to those who find them and health to a man's whole body. (Proverbs 4:20-22)**

**Surely he took up our infirmities and carried our sorrows... and by his wounds we are healed. (Isaiah 53:4-5)**

**As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish..., so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it. (Isaiah 55:10-11)**

**"But I will restore you to health and heal your wounds," declares the Lord... (Jeremiah 30:17)**

**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. (Matthew 7:7-8)**

**He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering." (Mark 5:34)**

**"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)**

**The Spirit gives life; the flesh counts for nothing. The words I have spoken to you are spirit and they are life. (John 6:63)**

**I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.  
(John 10:10b)**

**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)**

**Faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is  
heard through the word of Christ. (Romans 10:17)**

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

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DECLARATIONS

As I read the book *The New Covenant Unveiled* by David Wilkerson, I made this declaration: “I speak to You, Holy Spirit, to work in me all the promises of God – including “I am the God that heals you.”

As I read this book today I made these declarations along with David:

(p. 64)

Ezekiel understood clearly that he was to challenge the Holy Ghost with the promises of God’s covenant. He was to say to the Spirit, “It is written—God has given me an oath that he would send you to indwell me. You, Holy Spirit, inspired holy men to record these glorious promises. You promised to take full possession of my new heart, according to your own inspired word. And you’re to cause me to walk in holiness—to empower me to obey all his commands. So I say to you, Holy Spirit, with all respect—you are under oath to fulfill that promise. I hold you to your own word. I lay hold of your promise by faith. This the word of almighty God—and I commit my soul to it.”

(p. 66)

“Lord, I’m going to believe you’ve given me your Holy Ghost. I believe he alone can deliver me from every chain that binds me. I believe he will convict me, lead me and empower me to overcome. I believe he causes me to obey your word. And I believe he will never depart from me, nor will he let

me depart from you. I won't limit your Spirit in me. I'll wait on him, call on him and trust in him—live or die.”

“Holy Ghost, the heavenly Father promised me he would put you in my heart—and I've committed myself to that promise. I will yield and I will cooperate, for I want to be holy. You said you will cause me to walk in his ways and obey his every word. I don't know how you plan to do that—but you made an oath, and you cannot lie. This is all written in the word, Holy Spirit. So, come—do your work in me. I've entrusted my very soul to this promise.”

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## *NEEDING TO GET CLOSE TO THE LORD*

When I awoke this morning I had such a sense of need to get close to the Lord. I felt He is my hope, my only hope, to live a life of meaning and overcoming. Of myself, I would just be hopeless and fall into despair and bleakness. I went to my Quiet Time chair and let Him talk to me for a couple of hours before I got breakfast. He lifted me up and encouraged me.

Then, while I ate breakfast, He had me read more in the book by David Wilkerson *The New Covenant Unveiled*. I read about Jesus as our High Priest and how we can do nothing on our own, but we can come to Him and He can do everything for us. I read how we can't take our good deeds or good life before Him as a reason to give us what we need. We can only appeal to Him as our High Priest to do for us what we cannot do ourselves. And He can and will help us through the work of the Holy Spirit in us.

Another thing He told me was this: if I felt depleted at any time throughout the day, I could come to my journal and go through the DAILY PRAYERS section at the beginning, and get reconnected, get in touch, with Him again.

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WATCH DAILY MESSAGES

I listened to Joyce Meyer on her website to “The help of the Holy Spirit” parts 1&2. Excellent. I hear the Lord saying He wants me to daily watch messages on the web that He leads me to. There are so many messages available! Joyce Meyer has a long list of her daily television messages available to listen to. I could look at other speakers I like to listen to: Paul Keith Davis, Rick Joyner, John Paul Jackson, and others.

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## A HEALTH ISSUE

What is it Lord in me that is allowing this health issue?

*It's Me. I am the one allowing it. I am using it to train you as I said before. Just follow Me, and keep following Me, and I will get you through this, just like I got you through the time when your left leg hurt so badly for about 4 months.*

Does this, then, have to do with something you want me to leave?

*Yes and no. There is nothing specifically in the natural that I want you to leave. There IS something I want you to leave in the spiritual realm, and that is listening to your own wisdom and choosing to follow it instead of Me. I want your total attention to be on hearing Me and following/being obedient to Me. THAT'S what this health issue is about. It is a training lesson for you, and you are doing well so far with it. Keep going and don't blow it.*

*Do your best to listen to My orders and follow them explicitly, and you will do well.*

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PROVERBS CHAPTER 10.

The Lord led me to write down some of the words in Proverbs chapter 10 to pray over a group of people. These are the verses He drew to my attention and had me pray.

- For the righteous to be raised up
- For Him to thwart the desire of the wicked. **He thwarts the desire of the wicked. (Prov. 10:3b)**
- For those foolish of lips to fall headlong. **The foolish of lips will fall headlong. (Prov. 10:8b)**
- I pray You, Lord, will reveal and bring into the Light what those who are wicked conceal. **The mouth of the wicked conceals violence. (Prov 10:6b)**
- That those who utter slander are fools. **He who utters slander is a (self-confident) fool. (Prov. 10:18b)**
- That the years of the wicked be made short. **The years of the wicked shall be made short. (Prov. 10:27b)**
- That the way of the Lord would bring destruction to the workers of iniquity. **The way of the Lord...is destruction to the workers of iniquity. (Prov. 10:29)**
- That those with perverse tongues be cut down like a barren and rotten tree. **The perverse tongue shall be cut down like a barren and rotten tree. (Prov 10:31b)**

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## *PRAYER*

As I prayed for a special group of seven people today, I felt the Lord wanted me to find scriptures for each of the things I pray daily for them:

Name of Jesus

**Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name—the name you gave me—so that they may be one as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them and kept them safe by that name you gave me. (John 17:11b)**

Blood of Jesus

**They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony; they did not love their lives so much as to shrink from death. (Revelation 12:11)**

**Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience... (Hebrews 10:22)**

**You have come to ... to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. (Hebrews 12:22)**

**To God's elect...who have been chosen...for obedience to Jesus Christ and sprinkling by his blood. (1 Peter 1:2)**

Word of God

**In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. J0hn 1:1)**

**In him (the Word) was life, and that life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it. (John 1:4-5)**

**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)**

**The word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12)**

Glory of the Lord as our rear guard

**Then shall your light break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up speedily; your righteousness shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard. (Isaiah 58:8 RSV)**

Spiritual armor – Ephesians 6:10-18

**Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the**

**day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breast plate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. (Ephesians 6:11-17 NIV)**

**Joy**

**The joy of the Lord is your strength. (Nehemiah 8:10b)**

**Grace, Love, Fellowship**

**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)**

**Hope**

**God did this so that...we who have fled to take hold of the hope offered to us may be greatly encouraged. (Hebrews 6:18)**

**We have put our hope in the living God, who is the Savior of all men, and especially of those who believe. (1 Timothy 4:10)**

**Anchor**

**We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. (Hebrews 6:19)**

**Secret Place**

**He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall remain stable and fixed under the shadow of the Almighty – Whose power no foe can withstand. (Psalm 91:1 AMP)**

**In the secret place of Your presence You hide them from the plots of men: you keep them secretly in Your pavilion from the strife of tongues. (Psalm 31:20 AMP)**

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LISTENING TIME

And now I want to talk to you. I want to talk to you through the daily prayer list first – then more after that.

- *Come away My beloved*

Ok, Lord, I come away with You.

I was immediately hit by the Spirit and waited with His Presence upon me.

Waiting is an important part of following Me.

- *Be still and know that I am God.*

You do that every day as you say good morning to Me and ask Me questions, then listen for My answers.

- *Practice every day. That way you will come to know Me more.*

You HAVE come to know Me more, and you will continue to.

- *Check out what you hear with Me.*

You have heard me rightly so far today.

- *Pray it out loud as I lead you to.*

Pray out loud all that I have told you about B.

I prayed out loud all that I heard from the Lord about B today.

Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee; and the light shall shine upon thy ways. When men are cast down, then thou shalt say, There is lifting up, and he shall save the humble person. He shall deliver the

island of the innocent, and it is delivered by the pureness of thine hands. (Job 22:28-30 KJV)

You shall also decide and decree a thing, and it shall be established for you; and the light of God's favor shall shine upon your ways. When they make you low, you will say, There is a lifting up; and the humble person He lifts up and saves. He will even deliver the one for whom you intercede who is not innocent; yes, he will be delivered through the cleanness of your hands. (Job 22:28 AMP)

What you decide on will be done, and light will shine on your ways. When men are brought low and you say, "Lift them up!" then he will save the downcast. He will deliver even one who is not innocent, who will be delivered through the cleanness of your hands. (Job 22:28 NIV)

You will decide on a matter, and it will be established for you, and light will shine on your ways. For God abases the proud, but he saves the lowly. He delivers the innocent man; you will be delivered through the cleanness of your hands. (Job 22:28-30 RSV)

You will succeed in whatever you choose to do, and light will shine on the road ahead of you. If people are in trouble and you say, "Help them," God will save them. Even sinners will be rescued; they will be rescued because your hands are pure. (Job 22:28-30 NLT)

I am showing you this to show you that as you intercede for your prayer bundle, it is established, and I will help them because of the pureness of your hands.

Is that right, Lord?

Yes, it is right – and I wanted you to know that today. So, as you pray for your prayer bundle each day, think about this and know it is established, and I WILL help them all.

Wow! Thank You, Lord.

You are welcome, My child. You are Mine, and I love you.

This is the truth.

- *But only decree what I tell you to, Joan.*

So You want me to decree what I pray for them? (my prayer bundle)

Yes, because I have now told you to.

Ok. Is that every day?

Yes, unless I tell you otherwise.

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## FORGIVE

**Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors**

Father, is there anyone I need to forgive?

*Yes, forgive Me for what I have put you through – and B through – and T through. It is because you three have special favor with Me and I am training you for a higher level of service in My kingdom. So it is a privilege, but also difficult for you now. Forgive Me, My child.*

I forgive You, Heavenly Father. Thank You for saying this to me and for training us.

*You are oh so welcome, My child. It is My pleasure to do so. Remember one of your purposes is to bring pleasure to Me, and this training brings pleasure to Me. I will ALWAYS help you through these training times and show you the way to walk through them – as you listen to Me and follow Me. It is My way to work with you.*

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SELF-DISCIPLINE

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

You see how important self-discipline is – because I tell you that I give you A SPIRIT OF SELF-DISCIPLINE. It is that important!

Give me a spirit of self-discipline, Lord. And give B and T a spirit of self-discipline. Wow! It's right up there with power and love! I ask for and declare You HAVE given us a spirit of power, love and self-discipline. Ah! I see that self-discipline is important – to listen to You, follow You, overcome the enemy, fight off negative thoughts and attitudes, and be obedient to You and Your Word. I am beginning to see self-discipline as very, very important to be in Your army. I declare the spirit of self-discipline over B, T, and me in Jesus' name.

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## ELEVEN

I saw 11:11 on the clock again this morning. During the last week or so I have noticed 1:11 or 11:11 many times. When I read Doug Addison's Prophetic Word for 2016 he talked about a move of God happening about every 11 years, and 2016 is the 11<sup>th</sup> year since the last one in 2005. So I wonder if the Lord is drawing my attention to the clock on the 11's to emphasize this.

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JUBILEE YEAR

I read on Elijah List an article saying that now is the 70th Jubilee year (every 50 years) since Joshua and the Israelites crossed over the Jordan. I read this about Jubilee year:

During Jubilee year

(1) The land reverts to its original owner

- (2) Debts are released
- (3) People are freed from slavery

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## OPEN DOOR

One writer on Elijah List said Revelation 3:8 was a word for 2016. I especially noted that because those are my birthday numbers, and because the Lord gave me Revelation 3:8 as very significant in my life many years ago.

**I know your deeds. See, I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. I know that you have little strength, yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name. (Revelation 3:8 NIV)**

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A PERSON WHO BELIEVES A LIE IS DECEIVED.

Today I was reading from the book *The Word, The Name, and The Blood* by Joyce Meyer. Here are some quotes that stood out to me – especially as I was thinking of a friend who battles with negative thoughts.

(pp. 18-19)

A sword is a weapon with which one attacks an enemy. A sword in the sheath is of no value. It must be wielded, or taken from the sheath and appropriately used. The Word of God is the believer's sword, and he must learn to apply it accurately.

The Amplified Bible states in Ephesians 6:17 that it is the Spirit Who wields the sword. What does this mean? I believe it means that the Holy Spirit in the believer knows exactly what Scripture to use in every situation. He knows precisely what type of attack the believer is encountering, even what type of demon is assigned to bring destruction or torment.

In my own life I find that when I am faced with problems or challenges, Scriptures or Scripture-based songs will rise up within me. I have learned to speak them out, sing them or meditate on them even when I do not particularly know what may be transpiring in the spiritual realm.

The Holy Spirit will often protect an individual against attack even before the attack becomes evident to him if he has learned to wield the sword of the Spirit. As he does so, the Holy Spirit applies the right Scripture to the problem. For example, if a person feels grouchy and impatient, Scriptures on prosperity won't help him. But Scriptures on kindness, love and not being moved by feelings will strengthen him and help him walk in victory above his feelings.

According to the Scriptures, Satan seeks to build strongholds in our minds. Strongholds are lies that are believed. A person who believes a lie is deceived. When an individual believes that wrong is right, he has fallen into deception. Satan works through deception, but the knowledge of the Word is the believer's defense and victory.

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## *TAKE CAPTIVE EVERY THOUGHT*

Lord, when a person feels grouchy and impatient, what are some Scriptures, to speak out loud, on kindness, love, and not being moved by feelings?

*Ok, listen and I will tell you.*

**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 *take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.* (2 Corinthians 10:3-5)**

**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)**

**He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall remain stable and fixed under the shadow of the Almighty [Whose power no foe can withstand]. (Psalm 91:1 AMP)**

**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)**

**If you are pleased with me, teach me your ways so I may know you and continue to find favor with you..."My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest." (Exodus 33:13-14)**

**I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I put my hope. (Psalm 130:5)**

**In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength. (Isaiah 30:15)**

**I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. (Galatians 2:20)**

**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)***

**Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. (Psalm 139:23-24)**

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

**Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name!**

**Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits,  
Who forgives all your iniquity,  
Who heals all your diseases,  
Who redeems your life from the Pit,  
Who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,  
Who satisfies you with good as long as you live, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. (Psalm 103:1-5 RSV)**

**Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. (Psalm 23:6)**

**The eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their cry. (Psalm 34:15)**

**Fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him lack nothing. (Psalm 34:9)**

**You are my hiding place; you will protect me from trouble and surround me with songs of deliverance. (Psalm 32:7)**

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

**The Lord's unfailing love surrounds the man who trusts in him. (Psalm 32:10b)**

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

**My heart says of you, "Seek his face!" Your face, Lord, I will seek. (Psalm 27:8)**

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

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

**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)**

**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)**

(Though an army of negative thoughts and feelings besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war against my thoughts and feelings break out against me, even then will I be confident)

**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)**

**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)**

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

**Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid. (Matthew 14:29 NIV)**

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

**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)**

**I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world. (John 16:33)**

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

**Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. (Hebrews 12:2)**

**Let us look only to Jesus, the One who began our faith and who makes it perfect. He suffered death on the cross. But he accepted the shame as if it were nothing because of the joy that God put before him. And now he is sitting at the right side of God's throne. Think about Jesus' example. He held on while wicked people were doing evil things to him. So do not get tired and stop trying. (Hebrews 12:2-3 NCV)**

**The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. (Heb 13:6)**

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ECONOMIC SYSTEM

In Rick Joyner's article that I read today online, he said the Christian community would, in the future, be setting up its own economic system. As I typed the text from T saying that D did not charge him for his haircut today, I thought of what Rick said, and thought that that was an example of it – what was coming. Then I was prompted to write that idea in this journal. I also have the thought it might be similar in a way to how the early Christians shared things in common and every need was met.

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## *MY TESTIMONY*

From the Graham Cooke CD “A Certain Sound” I heard him talk about our testimony. He said, “Testimony is who God is to you.” And he said, “You have a story to tell about each thing He is.” So I wrote out an outline of my testimony like this:

1. “Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.”
  - I was a 10-year old hearing those words
  - I went to church every Sunday
  - I learned as a child the story about Jesus
  - In church I heard people answer questions about belief in Jesus
  - My turn on Palm Sunday – I spoke my belief in Jesus
  - Baptized on Easter Sunday Sunrise Service
  - I acted on the light I had at the time
2. He is my Protector
  - He protected me as my car slipped off the road near Marion
3. He is my Instructor (Psalm 32:8)
4. He has plans for me (Jeremiah 29:11)
5. He answers me when I call (Jeremiah 33:3)
6. He wants me to seek Him (Jeremiah 29:13-14)
  - He put a yearning in me to find out what the Truth was
7. He baptized me in the Holy Spirit
  - Going to Full Gospel Business Men’s meeting
8. He talks to me – I can hear Him
  - Gordon Binning taught me I can hear God
9. He guides me
  - When our house burned He got us to the right place to live
10. He is my best Friend
11. He is my Lord

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DON'T MISS A DAY OF LISTENING TO HIM

As I went through my daily prayer guide, I heard these things:

There are things I want to tell you today, Joan. Don't miss a day of it, just because you want to "catch up on things."

It's like the ad - "you could have had a V-8" - you could have had a word from the Lord, personally, to you.

Don't do anything today about the health situation. Just let Me handle it, as I handle ALL your body care now. I will tell you the next step.

(As I prayed the Lord's Prayer out loud)

Your voice carries power and authority, Joan.

(Is there anyone I need to forgive?)

Yes, forgive Me for the ways I do things that you don't understand.

If I want you to share with others what you do in your daily quiet time/prayer time, I will tell you to. Wait until I lead you so it will be done at just the right time when they are ready to receive it. They have to WANT TO spend that amount of time with Me, before they are ready to receive that instruction from you.

How many did you share with at CBC who were not ready to listen and follow what you taught them? But some WERE ready, and they listened and followed what you said, and THEY went on and prospered under My guidance. You will know whom they are when you come up here to be with Me. And there are many. You will be so pleased.

Do not worry that this is a ritual. I will keep it from being routine, by keeping it meaningful and a conversation between us – with Me speaking to you through My Word, and you speaking to Me through My Word.

(Who heals ALL your diseases – Psalm 103:1-5)

Yes, I heal ALL your diseases. That is the truth.

(So that your youth is renewed like the eagle's – Psalm 103:5)

Even though your body is aging, inside of you your youth is renewed like the eagle's. You are fresh and new on the inside, Joan, every day, as you read, and declare, and believe My Word. My Word is truth.

(And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever –Psalm 23:6)

You ARE dwelling in My house, Joan. My house is My Presence; it is where I am, and you are dwelling there – forever.

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## A GREAT HARVEST REVIVAL IS COMING

Doug Addison had written about a move of God happening every 11 years and 2016 was year #11. Then the Lord said:

*Transition is on the way. A great harvest revival is coming, Joan. This year it will begin – Jubilee year – year 11. Know it is on its way. I have prepared My people – My great army – and you are part of this army. Rejoice with Me.*

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A PROPHETIC DREAM ABOUT HELPING OTHERS FIND JESUS

In this dream some new people came to my home. They needed to be enrolled in high school and I was to take them there. I took them to the building where I thought the main office would be where they could enroll, but it wasn't in that building. Someone pointed to the left, which seemed like west, indicating to go there. We did, and we looked in that building, but the main office was not there either. I had not realized there was more than one building in this high school, but there seemed to be many buildings. I thought there surely should be signs pointing to where the office was, but there didn't seem to be any that I could see. And people didn't seem to help us much when we sought directions.

The people with me, that I was taking there to enroll, were carrying stuff, so I helped carry some stuff for one of them - who seemed to have the color blue on her, and seemed to be a girl.

They were sometimes called “members” and sometimes called “visitors” and it seemed to make a difference in whether they were already members or not as to how they might enter this high school.

I was told I should have called first before bringing the people – then I could have learned where the office was to take them for enrollment.

As I pondered this dream, the first idea that formed in my mind was that I/we were looking for the “high” school – which could refer to a spiritual high place of learning/attending.

There were many buildings in this dream that were “high school” buildings, but only one building had the “main office” in it – Jesus.

I thought there should be signs pointing to the “main office” - (Jesus) - but there were not any signs...so people had to be led there by someone who knew how to get there.

Perhaps the other buildings refer to other ways to live out your life than with Jesus...perhaps those seeking for spiritual things but not of Jesus.

That people didn’t seem to help us much may mean they didn’t know what I was looking for and asking about, so they couldn’t point the right way.

As I typed out the dream, the idea came that sometimes the people I was leading were categorized as “members” and sometimes “visitors”. That may indicate some are already Christians who belong, and some are people just checking it out and not yet members.

Calling first before leading these people may mean I need to seek the Lord and learn whom to work with/lead, and find out from Him how to lead each individual person, as it may be different for each person.

Lord, was this dream from you?

Yes.

Do You want to interpret it for me?

Yes. Listen and I will.

It is a prophetic dream. It is to show you what's coming.

Many will come to your house (you) and need to be led to enroll in the "high" school (the spiritual school-the school of the Spirit) of finding Me and walking with Me.

Don't worry – I will give you the words to speak to them and show you what to say to them, as your words will be given to you by My Spirit. You have been having thoughts lately about your discipling experiences and wondering if you would ever do that again. This dream shows you doing that, but in a different way – just leading them to the "main office", which is Me, and helping them carry their "stuff" – what they carry with them – as you lead them.

And that means helping them carry what they carry (fears, faults, illnesses, misunderstandings, etc).

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## *A PROPHETIC DREAM ABOUT WAITING FOR THE GREAT HARVEST*

In this dream scene two other people and I were in a huge auditorium and were seated in the first three seats on the far right side of the front row. We were waiting for something to begin - a gathering for a meeting. We were expecting many other people to come, but they hadn't yet come. The other two people with me were not there some of the time, and I was there saving our seats.

I thought that the huge auditorium with many, many seats not yet occupied, could symbolize the harvest of souls for Christ that we are expecting.

*This scene (with you three already having seats and waiting for others to come in) represents what you thought – the kingdom gathering of an immense number of people, so huge that you don't even see how far back and how wide the seats extend. You are there and waiting for it to begin.*

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MY KINGDOM

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

Father, let it come to every person on earth.

And it is coming – soon – and more, and more, and more. It WILL cover the whole earth. It WILL affect every person on earth. And it will carry out EVERY WORD that I have spoken.

Yes there is Someone I want you to forgive – it's Me - for delaying so long what you have desired and prayed for SO LONG...My kingdom. I have delayed it for good reason, but you don't know the reason, and so don't understand why it has taken so long.

But NOW, Joan, now is My kingdom coming in greater velocity, greater impact, greater speed, greater effectiveness, than ever before in history. Now is the time, and this is the year, of My great outpouring to arrive. It has already begun, in many places, but this year, THIS YEAR, it will accelerate greatly and you will become even more aware of its growth than ever before. And you will rejoice with Me!

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## I WILL PROTECT YOU

I trust in Your name.

*Then don't be afraid, for I WILL protect you. I will ALWAYS protect you, no matter what comes your way. And I will protect your prayer bundle, and the "seven" whom you pray for. All your prayers for them are stored up here in heaven, and those prayers are alive and active here, because they came from Me (and are My words).*

**"My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."  
(Exodus 33:13-14)**

*And I WILL! This is My promise to you as I AM pleased with you, and I AM teaching you My ways, because I WANT you to know Me and continue to find favor with Me. That is My will for you.*

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WORDS ARE CONTAINERS FOR POWER

Quote from *The Word, The Name, The Blood* by Joyce Meyer, Chapter 4, p 37

SPIRITUAL WEAPONS FOR A SPIRITUAL WAR

For the weapons of our warfare are not physical [weapons of flesh and blood], but they are mighty before God for the overthrow and destruction of strongholds. (2 Corinthians 10:4)

In this passage the Apostle Paul says that the weapons of our warfare are not carnal. If they are not carnal or natural weapons, then they must be spiritual weapons.

God's Word is a spiritual weapon.

In John 6:63 Jesus said, **It is the Spirit Who gives life [He is the Life-giver]; the flesh conveys no benefit whatever [there is no profit in it]. The words (truths) that I have been speaking to you are spirit and life.** From this Scripture we can learn that His words operate in the spiritual realm, and they bring life.

Proverbs 18:21 says, **Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and they who indulge in it shall eat the fruit of it [for death or life]**. From this Scripture we see that there are other words that also operate in the spiritual realm, but they bring death.

Words are containers for power! They can carry creative or destructive power. Since God's Word is full of life and life-giving power, a wise person will learn and speak the Word of God rather than any other word.

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## DO THIS IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME

*Only take communion when you have time to focus on Me, what I did for you, and ask to be shown if you have sinned in any way. Wait and listen to hear how I answer that. Then deal with whatever I show you. THEN you will be ready to take communion.*

It's that simple, Lord? Just

- (1) focus on You,
- (2) ask to be shown if I have sinned in any way,
- (3) wait and listen to hear the answer,
- (4) deal with whatever You have shown me, and
- (5) then take communion

*It's that simple, Joan. Do this in remembrance of Me.*

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A DIFFERENT SPIRIT

ONLY pray for your physical needs when and as I lead you. That is very important as it works with My timing. Other prayers, not of My leading, are of your human spirit and not of our two spirits in agreement. So only pray as I lead you, and we two will be in

agreement. If you pray when it is not of Me, then it may be of a different spirit than Mine.

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## THE KIND OF FAST HE DESIRES

He wants to teach me today about the fast He desires from us:

**Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free, and break every yoke? Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—when you see the naked, to clothe him, and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood? (Isaiah 58:6-7 NIV)**

**Then your light will break forth like the dawn, and your healing will quickly appear; then your righteousness will go before you, the glory of the Lord will be your rear guard. Then you will call, and the Lord will answer; you will cry for help, and he will say: Here am I. (Isaiah 58:8-9 NIV)**

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I WILL HELP YOU

Just listen and do what I say, and I will help you AT ALL TIMES.

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## FOLLOW ME WHEREVER I GO

*Today I want you to do this, Joan – follow Me wherever I go. Do not turn to the right or to the left, but follow Me through the gate and on the narrow way that is My kingdom way for you to walk today. I WILL take care of you and watch out over you. I will continue to develop My kingdom in you. I WILL take you to the places, the secret*



*places, I desire for you today. I WILL pray many prayers through you. So listen and follow – those are My instructions for you today.*

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DON'T RUSH OFF

Don't rush off. Sit and listen awhile, and let Me speak to you. I will train you in the way I want you to go, not in the world's way. I know you want to follow Me and be trained by Me; therefore, I will do that for you.

Today I want to reveal something new to you – one of My secrets. This involves treating others the way I want you to.

I taught Pail many things while he was in the desert with Me. And you can consider this time right now like his desert experience. I will reveal many things to you as you sit and listen to Me teach you.

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## TREATING OTHERS

So this is about treating others the way You want me to?

*Yes. How did I treat them, Joan?*

- *I died for all men who would receive Me.*
- *I loved them all and gave My healing to all who came to Me, and taught them all as they came to Me.*
- *But I shared more closely with a few selected by My Father*
- *I interceded for all men, but I gave special intercession for My called disciples*
- *Even among My called disciples, I had an inner three*

*And I want you to follow the same pattern*

- *Treat all men with love as I enable you to. As My Father enabled Me to.*

- *Pray for all men as I lead you.*
- *Intercede for a special group as I have led you.*
- *Especially intercede for the seven and the three.*
- *This is the treatment I want you to give them for Me.*
- *This is My kingdom way for you.*
- *I have set you apart as an intercessor so I could reach out to others through you/your prayers. Do this today and every day during your Quiet Time as I lead you.*

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2016 PROPHETIC WORD

Today the Lord wants me to take notes on the 2016 Prophetic Word from Doug Addison which I read on Elijah List.

2016 Prophetic Word: Get Ready for Realignment and New Assignments
by Doug Addison
1-26-2016

- Time of healing and breakthrough for those who have suffered unjustly
- Purging of the things that are not of God.
- God will be pruning things from our lives (John 15)
- Result of time of deeper cleansing will be a closer relationship with God and greater authority
- **If you remain in Me and My words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you (John 15:7).**
- Major adjustment in our beliefs
- God will be revealing to us the beliefs, values, and doctrines that are not for now.
- Moving us away from mere tradition and revealing deeper revelation that we will need to operate in the new things being released from Heaven.
- We will all be challenged with how we express our faith.
- Expect to be stretched, as God will be pushing our faith to new levels.
- Hold on, as God is going to challenge you
- **I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. (Phil. 4:13)**
- **With God all things are possible. (Matthew 19:26)**

- God is bringing His heart to us so that we too can operate in new levels of His love and mercy.
- Positioning is very important. – it is crucial to align with the right people and places
- God will be moving some people unexpectedly because of new assignments
- January – God will be revealing and healing things at a deeper level
- February – old things dying, new life, deeper level of revelation, strange events, watch for God to speak to the world with a prophetic message in the NFL Super Bowl
- March – breakthrough month. Sudden acceleration of favor and sudden advancements. Lots of movement as God is realigning you to operate at new levels. See the start of new things. They might look small, but the result will be a greater impact.
- He saw an angel taking measurements for expansion...and masses of worker angels rebuilding a spiritual temple because the glory of the Lord is returning like never before...God preparing for a coming movement.
- This spiritual temple is “The House” that Bob Jones talked about with the billion-youth revival.
- Lot of shifting now to bring a major restructuring for those looking for the next level in their lives.
- In 2007, Bob saw that the leaders of the Church did not want to reach this group of outcasts.
- Now it is time to pick up the calling and bring it into reality.
- Doug heard a rumble in the spirit, and it was the Lord coming.
- The glory of the Lord is returning like never before. It is not coming in the current Church structure, because it will blow many churches up by causing division.
- It is because of God’s love and mercy for the current Church that He will not allow this movement to be damaged. We will still have our old church structure.
- This move of God will take place mostly outside the church structure, not inside.
- Those who say yes to this new movement will pay a great price, but the reward will be even greater.
- The new anointing of fire and oil from Heaven can only be touched by those who are called by God and have made it through the tests of humility.
- This will cause jealousy from many leaders, who will try to control or own it – but they will not be able to.
- It will not be contained by one group and will spread like fire around the world.

- God has heard the cries of people wounded by uncaring Christians and leaders.
- God's new agenda is about those who have been wounded by Christianity. These are spiritual outcasts who do not fit into typical churches.
- To operate in the new move of God for this year it will require us to have high levels of grace, mercy, and love for people. These people might be offensive to many Christians.
- We need to be humble and get God's heart for people in need.
- This is a time to reveal the Father's heart to people through unconditional love.
- **And he will go on before the Lord, in the spirit and power of Elijah, to turn the hearts of the parents to their children and the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous – to make ready a people prepared for the Lord. (Luke 1:17)**
- We are being called to bless the sons and daughters (spiritual or natural), and God is silencing our negative talk.
- You may need to ask forgiveness of people in your life.
- Releasing what is bound
- There are judgments that have been made by Christians that need to be released.
- **Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in Heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in Heaven. Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by My Father in Heaven. (Matt. 18:18-19)**
- Judgments against others cause us to come into agreement with darkness and not the Lord.
- We need to agree with Heaven over people, cities, and nations.
- What has happened is that people with spiritual keys of authority have locked down people and even geographic regions knowingly or unknowingly.
- He saw a leader who was carrying a spiritual key to open revival over a major city in the U.S. who got wounded and became judgmental. Because he was carrying the spiritual key from Heaven, when he got judgmental, it caused the world to look at this city with judgment.
- He saw these keys being collected all over the world, and they are about to be redistributed.
- There are spiritual keys that have been given to people that unlock and lock things in the spiritual realm in and over people and regions. This is similar to the key of David mentioned in Revelation 3:7b.

- **These are the words of Him who is holy and true, who holds the key of David. What He opens no one can shut, and what He shuts no one can open. (Revelation 3:7)**
- The key in Rev. 3:7 is the redeemed key of authority that can open and close things with God's heart and love.
- There are people with spiritual authority operating in the OT version of this gift (Isaiah 22:22). It is mentioned in the context of judgment.
- They often close things down in their anger and opinions. Because this has greatly wounded people and closed people down based on opinions and anger and not God's desires, these keys are now being reassigned.
- He saw two angels traveling the world right now, gathering these keys or assignments. God is lining things up for a breakthrough in March!
- There has been a move of God every 11 years dating back to Azusa in 1906
- 1950 Healing Movement
- 1961 Charismatic Renewal
- 1972 Jesus People Movement
- 1983 Third Wave Charismatic Movement
- 1994 Toronto Blessing
- 2005 a movement started but never got off the ground because of judgments, being bound by those with keys of authority. It's signs: gold fillings, gold dust, gemstones appearing supernaturally. It never went global as God intended.
- 2016 – a move is coming this year. It will be with fire and oil from Heaven that cannot be touched by those who have not been prepared.
- It will cost money as it targets the poor, outcasts, young people, those who don't have much money
- God is releasing financial strategies now for this
- A major key for this year is found in Isaiah – **Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. (Isaiah 43:18)**
- We will need to let go of things that no longer work or that God is no longer moving on.
- This will require us to look to God for our strategy.
- Like Isaac in Genesis 26 who was going to go to Egypt during the famine like his father did, but God spoke to him to go into the land of the Philistines instead. The result was that he got blessed 100-fold in a time of famine.
- God wants to bless us 100-fold in the midst of economic difficulties.
- Financial strategies are going to be revealed to help fund new Kingdom work.
- Expect to be encouraged and to see many prophetic promises of God that will be renewed and fulfilled in your life this year.

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## *HIS SPIRIT TEACHES YOU*

I heard a man speaking who mentioned that he prayed this scripture verse often early on in his life. So I looked it up to see what he prayed.

**But you have received the Holy Spirit, and he lives within you, so you don't need anyone to teach you what is true. For the Spirit teaches you everything you need to know, and what he teaches is true--it is not a lie. So just as he has taught you, remain in fellowship with Christ. (1 John 2:27 NLT)**

So - just as He has taught you, remain in fellowship with Him.

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IF YOU SEEK ME

If you seek Me you will find Me. (Jer 29:13)

Last night before falling asleep I heard:

Call to Me, and I will answer you, and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know. (Jer. 33:3)

I called to Him.

I thought of a scene I saw last night, at the conference I was watching, with A. A. Allen praying for a man bedridden with stomach cancer who couldn't keep food down – and the man got up and walked and ate. I wondered when that will happen now. Then I heard this:

It is coming! It is coming! It is coming! Sometimes I heal you fast, and sometimes I heal you slowly – all for My purposes in your life.

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## *KNOCKING*

**Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me. (Revelation 3:20 NIV)**

This morning the Lord called me to come apart with Him by bringing this song into my mind over and over. This is one of the ways He "knocks" on the door of my heart and mind to call to me to come apart and commune with Him as in Revelation 3:20

Jesus calls us, o'er the tumult  
Of our life's wild restless sea  
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth  
Saying, "Christian, follow Me."

Thank You, Lord, for calling me, for wanting me, for wanting to eat and commune with You. I want that too, Lord.

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KEEPING IN HIS LOVE

As I was searching through my bible to find Revelation 3:20 I noticed several passages from the book of Jude and wanted to put them here in my journal. They really touch me today as I read them.

But you, dear friends, build yourselves up in your most holy faith and pray in the Holy Spirit. Keep yourselves in God's love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life. (Jude 20)

To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy--to the only God our Savior be glory, majesty,

**power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord,
before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen. (Jude 24)**

How do I keep myself in Your love, Lord?

*You commune with Me. Just like you are doing now. This will keep
you in My love - in closeness with Me - near to My heart.*

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## *TO HIM WHO OVERCOMES*

As I read Revelation 3:20 I noticed verse 21 which talks about "to him who overcomes". Then I was impressed by the Lord to again list all the verses in Revelation 1-3 that talk about "to him who overcomes".

**To him who overcomes, I will give the right to eat from the  
tree of life, which is in the paradise of God. (Revelation  
2:7b)**

**He who overcomes will not be hurt at all by the second  
death. (Revelation 2:11b)**

**To him who overcomes, I will give some of the hidden  
manna. I will also give him a white stone with a new name  
written on it, known only to him who receives it.  
(Revelation 2:17b)**

**To him who overcomes and does my will to the end, I will  
give authority over the nations--'He will rule them with an  
iron scepter; he will dash them to pieces like pottery'--just  
as I have received authority from my Father. I will also  
give him the morning star. (Revelation 2:26-28)**

**He who overcomes will, like them, be dressed in white. I  
will never blot out his name from the book of life, but will  
acknowledge his name before my Father and his angels.  
(Revelation 3:5)**



**Him who overcomes I will make a pillar in the temple of my God. Never again will he leave it. I will write on him the name of my God and the name of the city of my God, the new Jerusalem, which is coming down out of heaven from my God; and I will also write on him my new name. (Revelation 3:12)**

**To him who overcomes, I will give the right to sit with me on my throne, just as I overcame and sat down with my Father on his throne. (Revelation 3:21)**

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THE MORNING STAR

I will also give him the morning star. (Revelation 2:26)

I wondered what is meant in Revelation 2:26 by "He will give me the morning star". As I pondered this, He said:

That's what I want to talk to you about this morning. I WILL give you the morning star. What does that mean? Just listen as I teach you about that. First look that up in the special topics sections of your bibles and see if it is mentioned there. Then you can go to www.Biblios.org and see what it says.

I remembered Jesus called Himself the bright Morning Star in Revelation 22:16 where it says:

I, Jesus, have sent my angel to give you this testimony for the churches. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, and the bright Morning Star. (Revelation 22:16)

I found this on ChristianAnswers.Net WebBible Encyclopedia:

This name (morning star or day star) is figuratively given to Christ. (Rev. 22:16; compare 2 Pet. 1:19). When Christ promises that he will give the "morning star" to his faithful ones, he "promises that he will give himself to them, that he will impart to them his own glory and a

share in his own royal dominion; for the star is evermore the symbol of royalty (Mat. 2:2), being linked with the scepter (Num. 24:1." Trench's Comm.

While looking up references about "morning star" I came upon Job 38:4-7 where it says this:

Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand. Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it? On what were its footings set, or who laid its cornerstone--while the morning stars sang together and all the angels (the sons of God) shouted for joy? (Job 38:4-7)

And I found Numbers 24:15-19 which says this:

The oracle of Balaam son of Beor, the oracle of one whose eye sees clearly, the oracle of one who hears the words of God, who has knowledge from the Most High, who sees a vision from the Almighty, who falls prostrate, and whose eyes are opened.

I see him, but not now; I behold him, but not near. A star will come out of Jacob; a scepter will rise out of Israel. He will crush the foreheads of Moab, the skulls of all the sons of Sheth. Edom will be conquered, Sier, his enemy, will be conquered, but Israel will grow strong. A ruler will come out of Jacob and destroy the survivors of the city. (Numbers 24:15-19)

This also refers to the morning star:

And we have the word of the prophets made more certain, and you will do well to pay attention to it as to a light shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. (2 Peter 1:19)

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***FREELY GIVE***

The Lord drew my attention to Him today as He put this song in my mind:

Freely, freely, you have received  
Freely, freely, give  
Go in My name and because you believe  
Others will know that I live.

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A HIDDEN WARRIOR

Before you came to earth the seed was implanted in you to be a hidden warrior for Me. You do not realize the power of your words. That's why I have taught you to be so careful about what you say. Your words carry something. So know this. Know that what you have is precious, and real, and meaningful. Your heart's desire WILL BE fulfilled. It's based on relationship, not ministry.

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## THE TREASURE ROOM OF HEAVEN

*You're writing some of the books, Joan. You are getting them from the revelatory realm from the treasure room of Heaven, day by day, as you listen to Me and write what I lead you to. You may not see yourself there, but what you see and hear from Me come from there. I know that if I take you there it would be so very hard for you to continue to live on earth and be content, so I will not bring you there - but I will and DO reveal things from there to you, and you write them. Know this, My child.*

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MIGHTILY BLESSED

You have no idea what a privilege you experience when you talk to Me and listen to Me all day, every day, and all night, every night. Few people do that. Few people get there. You are mightily blessed by this relationship we have and I want you to know it.

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## A WHITE FLOWER

I had a dream this morning. I don't remember it, but just remember I seemed to be searching for something or trying to understand something. I asked the Lord if the dream was from Him, and He said yes. He gave me a picture in my inner eye of a vase of flowers, rather like roses. I saw this picture from above the flowers, looking down on them. The flowers were all of various colors except one - which was pure white.

Then He explained that I don't see myself the way He sees me. He said He sees me like that pure white flower. He used the words "perfect and pure and clean" to describe me as He sees me. He reminded me "perfect" means mature, and the "pure" can see God, and "clean" means without spot or wrinkle.

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MANY ROOMS

In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you. (John 14:2-3)

He knew each person who would be His before the foundation of the world, and a place for each one was prepared. He will "get that place ready" for each one before they arrive in heaven.

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## POWERS OF THE AGE TO COME

The Lord talked to me about “the powers of the age to come” that He will impart to His people and with which we will rule and reign with Him. We will be like Him, one with Him and Father, just as He was when on earth.

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LOVE

If you love me, you will obey what I command. (John 14:15)

Love is an attitude, a commitment, and an action – not an emotion.

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## THE SPIRIT

**...The Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. ( John 14:17)**

*Holy Spirit can be “with” someone but not yet “in” them.*

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THE WORLD

If you belonged to the world, the world would treat you with affection and would love you as its own. (John 16:19 AMP)

As I read this, the revelation popped into my mind that this is why a certain well-known person is so well liked by so many. He belongs to the world and the world likes him.

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## THE MAN WITHOUT THE SPIRIT

I thought of 2 Corinthians 2:14 about how

**The man without the Spirit does not accept the things that come from the Spirit of God because they are foolishness to him. And he cannot discern them because they are spiritually discerned.**

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JUDGING

I kept thinking about judging. So I asked the Lord what it means to judge someone. I remember that He said we would know them by their fruit. I heard from Him to judge someone means to act as a judge in a court does and give a final verdict on a person (guilty or innocent, to jail or free, to death or life), to render a final destination (to heaven or hell)

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## *NEVILLE JOHNSON*

I watched online ([www.WhiteDove.org](http://www.WhiteDove.org)) Session 3 of the White Dove Conference called “Knowing God.” The speaker was Neville Johnson. I had never heard him speak before but had heard about him through Paul Keith Davis.

He told us about the *Academy of Light* which the Lord had him start. He said it was basically training by internet. It was to train Christians for the end times, for survival in the end times, how to have water, food and power. It was to be a prophetic voice to the nations.

As I listened to his talk, I was profoundly affected by what he said. I would like to listen to it again sometime. It was a call to go forward with the Lord and not hold back in your comfort zone. It was to avoid what the Israelites went through when they refused to go into the promised land, and by the next day it was too late.

As he talked about prayer being like a laser I heard:

*That's what I want to do with you – use you like a laser.*

He said prayer is a strong desire with focus and strength.

*That's why I had you listen to this today...to get you ready to “go up higher” in your prayer time. Focus, My daughter, on Me. Keep your eyes upon Me – and I will take you up to the next level.*

Neville said many times to sanctify yourself – I asked Him what that meant and heard:

*Get yourself clean and then set yourself apart to meet with Me and listen to Me. Sanctify yourself – for tomorrow we will cross over.*

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DEFENSE AND SHIELD

Today the Lord gave me a scripture to look up and read. He said it was my word for today. It was Psalm 7:10 and I was to read it in AMP.

My defense and shield depend on God, who saves the upright in heart. (Psalm 7:10 AMP)

That's your word for the day, your manna word, so feed on it all day.

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## RIGHT ACTION AND ATTITUDE

The Lord taught me during Quiet Time: Love is an action and an attitude. As I do as the Lord leads me, then I have the right action and attitude towards a person, and that is loving him.

*As you love, you overcome, and as you overcome, you love. Selah.*

**He who walks in uprightness reverently and worshipfully  
fears the Lord. Proverbs 14:2b**

*And the reverse is true.*

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PRAYER

Through tongues or English you administer My Word - through your mouth speaking it. If you want to have effective prayer, it is through MY WORD being spoken through your mouth...THAT'S what effective prayer is. Therefore you must hear Me and listen to Me first.

So when you want to bring a person before Me – present them to Me and ask Me: “What word do you want spoken over ____?” The answer will come in tongues or English, and then you speak those words for Me.

That's why I have you pray by yourself, Joan, for you are called to intercession, and intercession for you means you speak My words for Me. Will you do this?

I'm training you in authority – in receiving authority (My word) and using authority (My word). And you're learning it now, while on earth.

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## IN HIS PRESENCE

The Lord reminded me today, as I sat in His presence, about many times when I saw Him, felt Him close to me, saw a picture spiritually, etc. such as:

- At CFO seeing Him in front of the congregation and angels on the wall
- Seeing myself in front of a well dipping water into my head
- Seeing Him along the seashore
- Seeing Him come to me on the front porch, dancing with Him
- A sense of awe around a campfire
- Seeing Him take my two hands and lead me



He wanted me to know that He HAS appeared to me at times. He also wanted me to know He has been with me many times when I haven't actually seen him with my spiritual eyes.

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NEAR TO GOD

Last night when I went to bed, the Lord wanted me to focus on Him and turn my eyes upon Him for a while. So I did that. I "drew near to God and He drew near to me" (see James 4:8). Each time I awoke during the night, He was there and near me. When I awoke this morning, He was there with me. It has continued to be that way. So He and I talk together, inside of me, in my thoughts, as this happens.

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## *EASTER*

We listened to Webinar #35 on the White Dove Website from March/April, 2014 with Paul Keith Davis teaching about Passion Week and the timing of the Last Supper, the crucifixion, the Sabbath days during that time, and how Jesus was in the grave 3 days and nights. It also talks about the word Easter - that Easter means another name for the goddess Ashtorah, and was a pagan festival that was combined with the celebration of Jesus' resurrection at the meeting in Niocea in 325 AD.

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TO OBEY IS BETTER THAN SACRIFICE

This scripture was part of my bible reading this morning. It is a verse that resonates with me, and I want to include it in my journal as a reminder:

But Samuel replied: "Does the Lord delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as much as in obeying the voice of the Lord? To obey is better than sacrifice, and to heed is better than the fat of rams. For rebellion is like the sin of

divination, and arrogance like the evil of idolatry." (1 Samuel 15:22-23)

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## *LIVING REALITY*

As I listened to a speaker talk about the Living Reality, the Lord, I said: give me this Living Reality or take me home.

*You have asked for this Living Reality, this Living Person, to come into you or to take you home, and I hear that prayer, and I am doing that for you. It is done now, and you are a different person now. You will see the difference from now on, My daughter. A new you has come into being and is now manifest. Just what you wanted.*

Thank You, Lord!

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CAUSE AND EFFECT

This morning as I read Psalm 91, I saw a "cause-effect" relationship outlined there in a more clear way. I saw the *causes* in verses 1, 2, 9, and 14, and the *effects* in the rest of the verses in Psalm 91. These are the "cause" verses. They say why God gives the effects:

He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall remain stable and fixed under the shadow of the Almighty [Whose power no foe can withstand]. (Psalm 91:1 AMP)

I will say of the Lord, he is my Refuge and my Fortress, my God; on Him I lean and rely, and in Him I [confidently] trust! (Psalm 91:2 AMP)

Because you have made the Lord your refuge, and the Most high your dwelling place. (Psalm 91:9 AMP)

Because he has set his love upon Me...because he knows and understand My name. (Psalm 91:14 AMP)

Causes:

1. Dwell in the secret place of the Most High
2. Remain stable and fixed under His shadow
3. Speak to the Lord who He is to me (Refuge, Fortress, God)
4. Tell Him I lean, rely on, and trust Him
5. Make the Lord my refuge and dwelling place
6. Set my love upon Him
7. Know and understand His name

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## *SHIELD*

As I was praying He brought to my mind the word "shield" - as I have been drawn lately to know He has put a shield around me to protect me. The thought He gave me is to do a scripture study on "shield" now, so I am.

**The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him, and I am helped. (Psalm 28:7)**

**Take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. (Ephesians 6:16)**

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

**Surely he will save you from the fowler's snare and from the deadly pestilence. He will cover you with his feathers and under his wings you will find refuge. His faithfulness will be your shield and rampart. (Psalm 91:3-4)**

**My defense and shield depend on God, who saves the upright in heart. (Psalm 7:10 AMP)**

I see from these scriptures that my shields are:

- The Lord is my shield
- Faith is my shield
- His faithfulness is my shield
- God is my shield

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LEARNING TO WAIT ON THE "UNSEEN"

When a woman conceives and carries a baby within her, she learns about something "unseen" growing step by step, slowly. Then she learns about the delivery process, the birthing process, when she delivers that baby. Then she learns about the follow-up, nurturing, and care of that baby after it is born.

That is a learning process where she learns to wait on the "unseen" and believe in it, and plan for it, and picture it, and wait patiently for it, and then nurture it for a long, long time.

But a man doesn't have that experience. So how does he learn the things she learns through that process? This is what the Lord taught me about that:

Sometimes he learns it by having some physical difficulty/ailment to grow through, very slowly, step by step, teaching him patience and waiting (on Me) on things to change gradually. It is hard for a man, as he wants to use his own strength to cause things to happen - and I don't work that way. He has to learn My way of waiting on Me and trusting in Me. It is a hard lesson to learn.

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## MARVELOUS CREATION

I spent a long time this morning viewing beautiful scenes from my webshots portfolio. I viewed them wide screen. There were pictures from all over the world, and many from space. It amazes me how God created all of these. And it amazes me how great God is, and I cannot, while in this earthly body, comprehend all He is. Maybe I never will. I am not sure how that works out

in eternity. Maybe I am not supposed to comprehend all that God is. He is greater than all I can ask or imagine. Anyway it is a lovely way to begin my Quiet Time with Him - looking at some of His marvelous creation.

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A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

I read a lot in 1 Samuel (27:10) today about David when Saul was pursuing him to kill him, and when David escaped to live with the Philistines for over a year. I realized that David lied to the king there and was very interested in what the Amplified Bible put as a footnote regarding that. It said:

How could David be "a man after His [God's] own heart" (1 Sam. 13:14) and lie and deceive like that? The truth is that David had gone through such a long period of persecution and threatening circumstances that he had fallen into a bit of mistrust of God Himself. God had sworn to make him king, to rid him of his enemies, to give him a sure house; yet here he was in a panic, concluding that God had forsaken him and that if he was to remain alive he must manage it himself. It was very dishonoring to God. But God was standing by His stricken child, waiting for the moment when he would realize his own utter helplessness and turn in blessed surrender to the almighty arms of Him who had been watching over him all along. That time came at Ziklag, when, in the bitterest hour of his life, we are told, "But David encouraged and strengthened himself in the Lord his God" (1 Sam. 30:6), truly "a man after God's own heart."

If the Lord delights in a man's way, he makes his steps firm; though he stumble, he will not fall, for the Lord upholds him with his hand. (Psalm 37:23-24)

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## *A SONG*

This is the song rising up in my mind today:

Where He leads me I will follow  
Where He leads me I will follow  
Where He leads me I will follow  
I'll go with Him, with Him, all the way.

I'll go with Him to the garden  
I'll go with Him to the garden  
I'll go with Him to the garden  
I'll go with Him, with Him, all the way.

What does it mean, Lord, to go with You to the garden?

*It means you go with Me in My prayer time, My set apart time, My preparation time for the events that are coming. THAT'S what I want from you in the garden with Me. I will show/tell you what I want prayed, and you will follow after Me and pray all that I show/tell you.*

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GOD'S CREATING

Today as I viewed many webshots pictures in order to choose a wallpaper picture for this day, I again marveled at God's creating all these beautiful trees, flowers, etc. The tiny, intricate details of the flowers were amazing. I enjoy looking at these pictures to start off my day. It's like taking a walk in the sunlight outside for me. Today I chose a picture of stems of lavender in front of a blended background of purples, greens, and pale lavender - absolutely beautiful!

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## RAIN

Today as I thought about singing, the song that came immediately into my mind was "Singing in the Rain" from the 1950's, featured in a movie by that name. But, to me now, that signifies worshiping (singing to) the Lord as He pours out His Spirit (rain) upon us.

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EVERYTHING

This is a good day, Joan, a good day. You will see it that way as you live it out. So anticipate that. I am in charge of this day, just as I am in charge of every day of your life; and I know already everything that is going to happen in your day, because I know everything. I know that you know that, but it is good to be reminded of it occasionally. I know EVERYTHING!

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## INTIMATE

*Remember when you started trying to hear My voice and you waited and sought for every word I might speak to you? Remember how Gordon Binning taught you that you could hear Me speak? That was such a small beginning, but look where it has led to now. What he really was teaching you was how to become intimate with Me, how to get to know Me personally, one-on-one. To get to know someone, you need to listen to them.*

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LISTEN

I look forward to meeting them (the Binnings) in heaven, Lord, if they are there with you.

They are, and you WILL get to meet them again here. They are aware of you and how you have grown in listening to Me. They know that whatever ministry you do, they get rewarded for too because they sowed so much into your life.

They really did. Thank You for them, Lord. He was the one who helped me speak in tongues for the first time too. What a blessing he and Emily were in my life. I think that was somewhere around 1976 at CFO in Indiana.

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)

As I read this scripture this morning, the Lord said

See, THIS is what Gordon Binning started you to do. He taught you to listen to Me.

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## RESTLESSNESS

This morning on TV, I listened to Charles Stanley. He talked about listening to God. Charles talked about a certain day in his life when God used restlessness to get his attention, and how he spent many, many hours trying to find out what God was telling him. Then he told how that led to events that eventually got him to Atlanta where he is now.

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WHO I AM

Today we're going to talk about Me - who I am, what I'm like, how I feel. Make notes of what I tell you so you can put it in the Nuggets book. I want others to know Me better also through your books.

I am so different from what you think of Me, that you would be totally surprised if I told you. So I won't tell you everything, but just a few things I want you to note here. This revelation of who I am will continue for several weeks, so expect more revelation to come on other mornings and at various times when I speak about it. Start a new file called: Revelation of what the Lord says He is like. Put all these bits and pieces together into that file as you receive them.

Today I just want to tell you about one area of who I am that you have pondered many times: how I can know everything at the same time. That continually astounds you, but it is very simple when you

get outside the area/sphere of time. And you can hardly imagine or comprehend that. That's ok. You don't need to. Just know that I DO know everything, and that I see everything - past, present, and future. Know this, and take this into account as you commune with Me.

Note: (*Revelation of What The Lord Says He Is Like* has become a complete and separate book which will be put on the web site soon.)

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## AN ANGEL

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

This morning I was telling Beth again the story of April 17, 1963 when I was driving along a country highway from Marion, Indiana to New Haven, Indiana in the used car my dad bought for me to use when I returned from Japan. All of a sudden the car overheated and steamed and lost its fluid from the radiator. I was stuck along the highway. A man, a farmer, came up to my car and indicated he could look at my engine and see if he could figure out what happened. As he looked he identified the problem - the fan belt had broken. He said he had an extra one at his place (seeming to indicate a farm near there) and he would go get it and fix this for me. He did that and also filled the radiator with water. He wouldn't take any payment for what he did, and sent me on my way, amazed at what happened.

Now I think that man was really an angel sent by God to help me. And I am very thankful for that marvelous thing God did for me, whether he was an angel or a human.

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ANYTHING

I have the capacity, Joan, to go anywhere and do anything. That is what I am like that I want to teach you today. Since you have waited

on Me to hear Me teach you, I will do that. Today I want to talk about My capacity to do ANYTHING that I choose to do. That is My great power. I am able to handle all that power because I am perfect in righteousness, so I won't misuse that power. And I know how to choose when and how to use that power rightly so I won't usurp the free will I have chosen to give to mankind. I can do ANYTHING, Joan. With Me "all things are possible." That's today's lesson.

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## FORGIVING

Today the Lord and I spent a long time meditating together. He helped me go through forgiving again various medical personnel who influenced my past, and He helped me not hold a grudge against them anymore for what they put me through (when I was diagnosed with cancer and put through surgery, chemotherapy, and 11 years of follow-up visits). He also had me forgive Him for allowing this/putting me through this.

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THE CHOICE

I am the all-forgiving One. I made provision for forgiving people for their sins. I have a heart to forgive the people I created for rebelling against Me. And My Son, Jesus, had the same heart as I did. He and I set the plan and put it into motion to allow for forgiveness of all mankind who would accept our way of doing that. Millions have accepted it, and millions have not, but they all had the choice. I know you don't understand all of that and how it might apply to various people groups that have not heard about Jesus and His redemption plan, but the option is still theirs. Paul talks about it in Romans as you were reading yesterday in Romans 1. It is out of My great heart of love for people that I forgive them.

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## MY YOKE

**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 11:28-29)**

*And that is what I want to do for you today, Joan, and what I want you to do with Me - come to Me and let Me unburden your soul. Rest in Me, Joan, and I will make your burden easy and light. Yesterday you were under a heavy burden and didn't even know it. But you felt the effects of it - lethargy, little ambition, not wanting to do anything. Well, it will not be that way today because you are taking My yoke upon you right now as you ponder this scripture verse.*

Thank You, Lord. I receive this rest from You. I give You all the burdens of my soul this day. I take Your yoke upon me and learn from You.

Tell me what Your yoke is, Lord.

*Listen to Me and follow Me. It's as simple as that. That is My will for you. If you do that every day, moment by moment, you will be taking My yoke upon you. Will you do this?*

Yes, Lord, I choose to do that.

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WRITE THEM DOWN

What is the Lord like today, Joan? What am I like today? Yes, you are qualified to write this, but only if I give it. Like Akiane, you can do what I equip you to do. Just like I gave Roland Buck instant knowledge of many events, and Maria Woodworth-Etter of scriptures too, I can give you what I want to give you, and you can declare it/write it for Me.

Is that in the treasure room of heaven for me, Lord?

Yes, it is. Do you want it?

Yes, I do, Lord. I ask You for it, so I can write it for You and declare on earth what is in heaven.

You now have it - as it is My will. And when you ask for what is My will, I give it to you.

As Akiane would see things and then have the ability to paint those things, so will you "see" things that are in the treasure room of heaven for you to see, and you will have the ability to write those things. It is time for that now and you are ready, and I am ready. So we will do this together from now on.

You don't "see" them with your physical eyes, Joan. You see them with your spirit. You "know" them with your spirit, and from there it is transferred into your mind so you can write them down. That's how we will do it - together. Now start right now.

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## MIGHTY IN THOUGHTS

What is the Lord like today? This is what I hear:

*The Lord is One who resides in His holy temple - a place high and lifted up above all else. He is mighty in power and mighty in thoughts. He thinks of things our minds can't even conceive of. He speaks a word, and that which was thought becomes real, it comes into being. No human being is as great as that, nor any angel, nor any other creature - because all of these were created out of His creative thoughts. And the "created" is not greater than the "Creator." So He is high and lifted up in His holy temple, His place of being.*

**The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth be silent before him. (Hab. 2:20)**

**In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphs...and they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord Almighty." (Isaiah 6:1-3)**

**Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom. (Isaiah 40:28)**

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GOD'S SOVEREIGNTY

I listened on TV to Charles Stanley today who preached on Proverbs 3:5-6 mainly. One thing caught my attention. It was when he said: "If you don't obey God, you don't trust Him." And he then spoke this idea: "Trust is based on God's sovereignty."

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## *WAITING, LISTENING, HEARING*

Today I read in the book *Secrets of the Secret Place* by Bob Sorge about the secret of hearing - that that is the greatest secret of all - that we MUST hear God. He told about what a great revelation he got when he discovered that word all through the bible - hearing. For instance, over and over Jesus said, "he who has ears let him hear what the Spirit is saying."

I identify with that very much as that is what the Lord has been leading me to do for about 40 years - listen to Him, seek Him in the quiet place/secret place, seek Him until I find Him, wait on Him. How many times it tells us in the bible (especially in the Psalms) to wait on the Lord. Waiting, listening, hearing - that's what I want to do today and every day of my life - wait on the Lord, listen to the Lord, hear what the Lord is saying to me.

**He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. (Revelation 3:6)**

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

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

**The sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out...his sheep follow him because they know his voice. (John 10:3-4)**

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SECRETS OF GOD

I read this in *Books of Destiny* by Paul Keith Davis, p. 22:

A supernatural understanding of the treasures in Christ is a deep well of assurance and spiritual conviction for a believer. The more intimate our knowledge of the mysteries and secrets of God, hidden in the Bridegroom and reserved for His bride, the deeper our faith becomes.

As I pondered that and wondered what it meant, I heard this:

The more you know Me, the more you love Me. The more you love Me, the more you know Me. And the more you know and love Me, the more you trust Me.

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## *IMPARTATION*

I read this in *Books of Destiny* by Paul Keith Davis, p. 22 and 23:

To venture deep into the heart of God and discover the mind of Christ, men and women must be anointed with the spirit of revelation.

We only need an impartation from Heaven to enlighten our eyes to a deep and intimate knowledge of Him.

As I read this, I knew I was to ask for this impartation. So I asked for this:

Lord, give me an impartation from Heaven to enlighten my eyes to a deep and intimate knowledge of You. Anoint me with the spirit of revelation.

**Call to Me and I will answer you, and I will tell you great and mighty things, which you do not know. (Jeremiah 33:3)**

*This is your scripture to stand on as you ask Me to show you who I am and what I am like that I want you to write in this journal and put into your book. So use that scripture each day and "call to Me" and I will answer you. Then you can write what I show/tell you. Do this for Me.*

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THE LORD IS AWARE OF EVERY TINY THING

The Lord is teaching me today that He is aware of every tiny thing in my life and even in my body. For instance, He says He is aware of every cell in my body and reminds me that it says in His Word that He is aware of every hair on our heads. That is absolutely amazing to me. How can He do that? But He can and He does. That is what He is like...He knows EVERYTHING.

He is aware of the tiniest seed He has placed inside of me...seeds of love, seeds of ministry, seeds of caring, seeds of comprehending, seeds of giving to others, seeds of understanding Him...all these seeds came from Him and were planted in me before the foundation of the world when I was still "in Christ".

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. For he chose us *in him* before

the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. (Ephesians 1:3-4)

And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. (Matthew 10:30)

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## **THE LORD REACHES OUT TO US ON THE LEVEL WHERE WE ARE**

*I'm giving you things which a certain type of people will relate to, Joan. I am not giving you "high" and lofty things which 99% of the people will not relate to. I will give you "middle" things, things which most people can relate to, and realize they also can have such a relationship with Me as you have. I will not give you "lower" things, things that are earthy because that is not where you live on a daily basis. You live in the middle between heaven and earth, while still reaching up towards Me in heaven each day to try to communicate with Me.*

*Many people are there also, doing the same daily thing you do - seeking Me in all of their daily life, as they go about their daily tasks. This is a good place for you to be and for them to be.*

*You will have all of eternity to explore the vastness of the Universe, Joan, and you will love it, truly enjoy it. I already know you will. So wait patiently for that era/part of your life to come - later.*

*JUST SEEK TO KNOW ME. That is the greatest quest of your lifetime here on earth, Joan - to know Me.*

**If you are pleased with me, teach me your ways so I may know you and continue to find favor with you. (Exodus 33:13)**



**Now this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. (John 17:3)**

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HIS PRESENCE

The picture I put on my screen for wallpaper this morning is a picture of a wooded area with an opening between two trees into a small alcove with misty fog hovering there. It reminds me of the dream I had many years ago when I went (being driven by car I think) into an alcove like that and the presence of God was so strong over me that I kept crying out, "Oh God, oh God, oh God!"

Today he told me that was just a tiniest speck of His Presence and look how much it overwhelmed me. Just imagine what a tiny bit more would do to me. He reminded me about Moses and how he was put into a cleft of a rock so he could see the back of God, but not more, so he wouldn't die from the power of His Presence...and this was with a man who talked face to face with God.

Then He brought this scripture to my remembrance:

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. (Hebrews 11:6)

That was a reward, Joan, to feel My Presence in that dream. It was a gift from Me to you as one who believes that I exist - by faith. It is just one of many rewards I give you, and will give you. Many more are to come. I reward those who diligently (earnestly) seek Me.

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## *HIDDEN MANNA*

A Dream About putting hidden manna in the freezer

In this dream I seemed to be storing something for use as I needed it/wanted it. I kept thinking it was "hidden manna" I put it in the freezer section above the refrigerator. It was shaped like a long narrow tube, about 10 inches long and 2 inches in diameter.

After I woke up I realized that shape is similar to a scroll. I had been reading about "hidden manna" in Paul Keith Davis' book called *Books of Destiny*. I realized also that manna gave sustenance/life to the Israelites, and also healing. Paul Keith talked about the scroll on which Jesus broke the seven seals as "the open book" which we are to eat. When we eat it, it will be a part of us.

As I put this dream on my dream list for 2016 the Lord spoke to me that the date for the dream (5-1-16) is significant too: 1 is for a new beginning, and 5 is for His grace.

The Lord tells me this hidden manna is mine now and is stored up for use when He leads me to "bring it out of storage" and put it to use/eat it. This will be under His instruction.

**To him who overcomes, I will give some of the hidden manna. (Revelation 2:17)**

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SELF CONTROL

As my mind/imagination wandered off on something else, I recognized that, and brought it back to communicating with the Lord. I mentioned to Him that my imagination often does that, and He said, yes it did, but that I have developed better "self-control" (one of the fruit of the Spirit) now, and that I control it better.

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## SUNDAYS

I love Sunday mornings when I don't have to get up early and begin working, and when I can dream and talk with the Lord after I awaken. It is a very special day and time for me. Thank You, Lord, for Sundays.

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DAILY BREAD

Your daily bread is quite sufficient, Joan. Whatever you need for today, that is your daily bread, and I have it covered. It is already available for you. Just ask Me for it as you just did "give us this day our daily bread" and I will give it to you. It is now yours.

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## WRITE THIS BOOK

*And now, listen carefully, for I have much to tell you while it is peaceful and quiet here at your house.*

*What am I like today, Joan, that I want to show you?*

*I know you don't feel qualified to write this book about Me, but you ARE qualified, Joan, because you listen to Me and follow Me. Those are the qualifications I want and need for you to write about Me what I want written about Me - and put on your web site for others to read. So proceed...*

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MY STRENGTH

This is about My strength. You have no idea how great My strength is. I could destroy the whole world in a second if I wanted to. But I don't want to. I love My world and My people. And I am in the

business of "cleaning it up" right now. Soon it will be the Millennium and the world will be cleaned up and people will have a fresh new start. But remember, they will still be the descendants of Adam and so will have the sinful nature in them. They will still have that to overcome, even though the world will be fresh and new.

I have the strength to destroy the world, and I also have the strength to sustain it in spite of all the devil tries to do to destroy it. I am ALL Mighty, Joan, ALL mighty. All means complete, whole, the most possible in might. No one is stronger.

The Lord is my strength and my song; He has become my salvation. (Exodus 15:2)

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

Ascribe to the Lord, O families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. (Psalm 96:7)

For the foolishness of God is wiser than man's wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than man's strength. (1 Corinthians 1:25)

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## *FULLNESS*

A dream about receiving a full measure of prayer

In this dream I was at some sort of meeting/conference where I watched some people who practiced and taught about prayer. One of them offered to pray for me at their next session if I would give her my name. I thought about that and decided the answer was yes, so I was going to my room to get my name card to give her. On the way I ran into her and she mentioned that it would normally cost \$100 to get that prayer. She had offered to do it for free for me.

100 = **Hundred: fullness**, full measure, full recompense, full reward, etc.

Therefore I believe that 100 symbolizes full healing - and I am to ask for it (i.e. give her my name).

I recall He told me in the past to only pray for things which HE leads me to pray for, as then it will be of the Spirit, and not of my flesh.

*Now you've got it right, Joan. This is what I want you to do.*

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BELIEVING WHEN NOT SEEING

As I recalled a friend's being taken to heaven yesterday and seeing Jesus, it choked me up. I felt that it was such a privilege he got to do that. Then I heard this:

Blessed are those who don't see and still believe.

Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed. (John 20:29)

*You receive a special blessing for believing when not seeing, Joan.
Do you want that blessing?*

Yes, Lord.

It is yours.

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## *PERFECT TIMING*

*Today I want you to listen to Me at all times and follow Me very closely and specifically. I have perfect timing for certain things and I want you in perfect alignment with My perfect timing. To do this, just listen to Me and follow Me. Will you do this?*

Yes, Lord, I will.

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CARELESS WORDS

Careless words. Look it up and see how I feel about careless words.

For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks. The good man brings good things out of the good stored up in him, and the evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in him. But I tell you that men will have to give account on the day of judgment for every careless word they have spoken. For by your words you will be acquitted, and by your words you will be condemned. (Matthew 12:34b-37)

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## AN EAR TO HEAR

As I got dressed this morning the Lord said to come to my computer to journal as He had things He wanted to say to me.

Good morning, Heavenly Father.

*Good morning, My daughter. It IS a special and important day up here in the heavenly realms, and so it is also where you are. I have much to say to you today, so keep listening all day with an "ear to hear".*

Yes, Father. Thank You for telling me ahead of time. I plan to be extra alert.

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PERFECT PEACE

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

Keep your mind "stayed" on Me, Joan, and I will keep you in perfect peace. That is the last word I want you to write in this book series (Nuggets Of Gold). Keep your mind stayed on Me.

Trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord, the Lord, is the Rock eternal. (Isaiah 26:4)