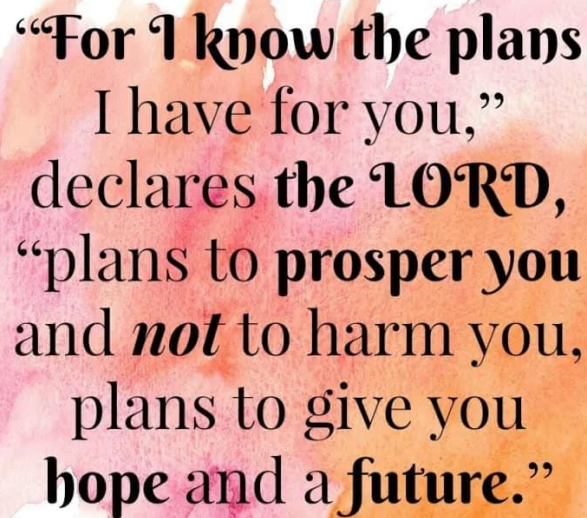


## **The Biblical Month of Kislev 5785: Dr. Wade K. Butler**

Each new month is packed with Revelation, Wisdom, and our LORD showing us things we did not know. **Jeremiah 33:3 Amplified Bible: 'Call to Me and I will answer you and tell you [and even show you] great and mighty things, [things which have been confined and hidden], which you do not know *and* understand *and* cannot distinguish.'**

### **Wade Butler: A word from the LORD! From Kislev 5784**

Over the last five years, I have been blessed to have the gifts given me by our LORD open up to realms I never imagined. For so many years, I pulled back on saying what I saw or experienced. My heart had been stepped on by so many pastors and lay people that I only spoke out to those who knew me personally. My gifts were used only for business or charity, never to the "church". Then a young man, Blake Healy, told his story at Glory of Zion, and I had the opportunity to talk with him afterwards and was blessed beyond my hopes and dreams. I had seen the same things he experienced. Yeshua spoke to me and said, "**Come out of Hiding, I have a plan for you.**" Tell my sons and daughters what I show you. Then the journey began.



**“For I know the plans  
I have for you,”  
declares the LORD,  
“plans to prosper you  
and *not* to harm you,  
plans to give you  
hope and a future.”**

**~Jeremiah 29:11~**

Immediately, HE took my hand and pulled me into Him to allow me to see through HIS eyes. It was overwhelming. Out of my right eye, I saw the Kingdom of Heaven, and out of my left eye, I saw the earth. It shook me to the core of everything I knew and believed. Wickedness was everywhere on earth, while Heaven was beautiful beyond

compare. Angel Armies were ready to advance as if waiting for the command. They are waiting for the sons and daughters to rise up!

He next said, ***"Tell MY sons and daughters that I AM giving gifts for the season ahead for signs, wonders, and miracles that will soon take place. It is the time and season, get ready, get ready, get ready. The hidden ones are coming out. Children will lay hands on the wounded ones, and healing miracles will take place. Be obedient, cast off your sin, shout back at the enemy who is yelling at you, and they will flee because they know I AM with you. Put them to flight, and hear what I am saying through the Word and MY Prophets."***

**\*\*2 Chronicles 20:20B Amplified Bible, Classic Edition**

**Believe in the Lord your God and you shall be established; believe *and* remain steadfast to His prophets and you shall prosper. (To truly prosper is to be in HIS presence, HIS Glory).**

I asked the LORD, Who can receive this? HE said, ***"I have prepared the hearts of those who will know the truth. The battle is great, but I AM with you. Do not fear, the battle is yours if you listen to MY voice. The enemy is terrified. Do not back down. Call upon MY blood, Pray to the FATHER, I AM is here for you."***

On ascensions into the heavenly dimension, I have seen:

- Yeshua, Abba-my Father, Angels by the thousands, the Heavenly Host, the Cloud of Witnesses, Saints of old and the redeemed beyond number.
- Heaven as it really is, structures so beautiful they cannot be described, flowers that emit praise, everything is alive.
- I've danced with King David, talked with Esther and the Disciples.
- Experienced joy not obtainable on earth.
- Laughed with Yeshua and experienced love in its purest form.

**Yeshua is inviting everyone to join him. Heaven and hell are real. The biggest decision we have to make is where you are going to spend eternity. Your fate is up to you. As it has been said many times, "Choose Wisely."**

**Be Blessed, Wade K. Butler, Dr.**

Every month, I research the scriptures, new authors, text, and art for the month. Every time, I am amazed. This month, the celebration is "Chanukah" (or\_Hanukkah as we would say it) is beginning. I don't generally push new resources separately, but I feel

compelled to mention several of those who are featured. Among these, Menachem Posner is one of the Hebrew authors this month. His writing on Kislev, and the twelve key points is excellent. Also featured are Chuck Pierce, Dutch Sheets, Lana Vawser, Veronica West, Nate Johnston, plus up to sixty additional prophetic voices. We are blessed each month to have contributions from our own in-house authors. The Calendar could not be done without John and Janet Rockwell, Matt Friesser, Sharon Kaseweter, Steve Loopstra, Michael Shuttleworth, Bob and Remy Koch, Bruce and Linda Dietler, Mark Binder, April Klassen-Brown, Terry Friesen, James Timothy Turner, Roger Waters, all in-house seers, prophets, hearers, and teachers. Thanks to all of you!!!!

**James Nesbit: The Commander-in-Chief sets on a white horse ready to Advance!**



**Heavenly Father, we come today in the Name of our Commander in Chief Yeshua, with a blast of your rebuke, nations are destroyed. You obliterated their names forever and ever!**

Lord, You thunder, and our enemies are cut off, and they vanish in everlasting ruins! All their cities have been destroyed — even the memory of them has been erased. Yahweh, our mighty God, it is You who reigns forever! You sit enthroned as King ready to render Your verdicts and judge all with righteousness. You have issued decrees of judgment, deciding what is right for the entire world, dispensing justice to all. All who are oppressed come to You, Yahweh, as a high shelter in the time of trouble, a perfect

hiding place. For everyone who knows your wonderful name keeps putting their trust in you. They can count on you for help no matter what.

O Lord, you will never, **no never**, neglect those who come to you. You track down killers and avenge bloodshed, You will never forget the ones forgotten by others, hearing every one of their cries for justice. We are thanking you O Lord, that You haven't forgotten the **hostages! Your** mercy is moving, and You have **taken** note of how they have been humiliated at the hands of those who hate them! We thank You this day for snatching them away from the gates of death.

We are singing your praises as they pass through the gates rejoicing in Your great deliverance! For the nations get trapped in the very snares they set for others. The hidden trap they set for the weak has snapped shut upon themselves! Yahweh You are famous for Your justice!

While the wicked are digging pits for others, they have actually set the terms for their own judgment. They will fall into their own pits! Consider the truth of this and pause in Elohim's presence. Don't forget this: all the wicked will one day fall into the darkness of death's domain, including the nations that forget God and reject his ways.

Yahweh, for the time in which we have entered, the time of Your arising and judging the nations who defy you, do not let these rebellious men triumph. Make them tremble in fear before your presence. Place a lawgiver over them. Make them know that they are only puny, frail humans who must give account to you! In this hour of human history, within remnants scattered across the Globe, Holy Spirit, You are causing the darkness of this confusion in the earth to scatter by the Great Light of the Spirit of Truth.

We worship you while our enemies run in retreat. They stumble and perish before Your presence; from your righteous throne you have given us justice! Hamas has descended into an advanced and fortified underground system and built a number of protective mechanisms. "Some of the tunnels can be attacked from the air," the officials have said. "The ground entry of the IDF exposes the enemy's infrastructure, and the Armies of Israel's engineering corps have begun with the destruction of shafts and tunnels.

What they are doing in the natural, through the Victorious Blood of the Son, we are doing in the Spiritual, rooting out, pulling down, overthrowing, and destroying the ancient nest of these five rulers of darkness listed in Joshua 13:3!

Thank You Father, for telling me yesterday to declare this day that the spinal column of the "Death Cult of Hamas" has been severed!  
We declare that they have become quadriplegic in their abilities to steal, kill, and destroy!

**All glory, All honor, All power to You!**  
**In the Name of Yeshua, Heavenly Commander-in-Chief, we come!**

### **Prayer guide for Kislev 5785**

**Kislev is the Third Month of the Spiritual New Year and the ninth of the twelve months of the Hebrew physical calendar.**

**Biblical Months fall under the Law Form of YHWH (Yahweh), Father-Son-Holy Spirit, through the revelation of His Word.**

**In developing this calendar prophets are used to bring current words from the LORD. Additionally, publications such as the Elijah List, Judaism 101, teachings from Chuck Pierce, Robert Hiedler and many other contributing authors are included. 1 Thessalonians 5:20 says, Do not spurn the gifts *and* utterances of the prophets (do not depreciate prophetic revelations) nor despise inspired instruction or exhortation or warning.**

### **The Hebrew Month of Kislev**

**Kislev is best known for the holiday of Chanukah (or Hanukkah) and the New Year of Chassidism.**



**Last Night of Chanukah - By David Asher Brook**

Kislev (or Chislev) is the ninth month on the Jewish calendar, counting from Nisan. It is best known for the holiday of Chanukah, which begins on 25 Kislev. The message of Chanukah is the eternal power of light over darkness—good over evil. Aside from

commemorating the miraculous victory of the small Jewish army over the mighty Syrian Greek Empire, Chanukah celebrates the miracle of the oil. When the Jews sought to light the Temple menorah after the war, they found only one small jug of pure oil. Miraculously, the one-day supply burned for eight days, and the sages instituted the eight-day festival of Chanukah during which we kindle the menorah nightly.

**Kislev is the month of Hanukkah, (called the festival of lights).  
Yeshua is the Divine Light!**

The light that comes from fire is dependent on the burning and destroying of something else. Divine light, however, is self-derived. At the Burning Bush, Moses encounters Divine light. It shines like a fire, and yet the bush is not consumed. This light doesn't necessarily take away the darkness—it somehow shines within the darkness. This is the "*Ohr HaGanuz*", the 'Hidden Light', the Divine light that burns within the darkness of Creation, yet doesn't consume Creation. It is the light of Hanukkah revealed in the darkest nights of the year and the darkest times of exile. Thus, the small jug of oil lit by the kohanim didn't consume any oil.

When people are inspired, they can rise to meet great challenges. These are times when the pure "oil" of a person's soul shines brightly. Sadly, however, such peak experiences of inspiration wane, and most people return to the comfort of darkness.

The "miracle" of Hanukkah was that the Jews were able to shine brightly for eight nights, extending beyond the natural cycle of a week. If Hanukkah began on a Sunday, the last night was also Sunday again, and yet they were illumined as if it were the first night. The brilliance actually filled them throughout the whole year, and therefore they established that the inspiration and illumination of Hanukkah would continue to manifest every year, for all generations.

**The name Kislev derives from the Hebrew word for "security" and "trust."**

Both are found in the month of Kislev. Hanukkah reflects the active, in the war of liberation led by the Hashmonaim (Maccabees). This small group of guerilla warriors stood up to the mightiest nation of the time, Greece. They did not fight for independence; they did not fight to avoid the tribute demanded by the Greeks. They fought for religious freedom. Unlike the terrorists who struck in Mumbai, who fight to inflict their perverted views on others, the Hashmonaim fought only for the right to worship in our own way. See more below!

**Kislev is also a month of rest.**

It is the month in which the days are shortest, and the nights are longest, and there is a sense of sleep. In much of the USA, the earth rests under a blanket of snow. Good rest reflects an intrinsic trust, trust in Hashem. Our morning blessings begin with the words "Thanks (G) for returning my soul!" We wake with a gentle acknowledgement of the trust that allows us to drift into soulful rest.

In this month of tranquility and peace, even in the midst of warfare, you will have peace. Many people do not understand this aspect of warfare. This simply means that in the midst of the warfare, you are on the offensive, so that you have peace in the midst of conflict. When we get tangled up and get out of our abiding place, we get into trouble.

**This is the month of dreams and night visions. Through the year, the Lord has been pouring things into you, then all of the sudden He draws them out through dreams. Sometimes, that is the only way He can communicate with you. You have pressed through, and then you fall asleep. This is when He can begin to stir up revelation. This is also a month to review your sleeping patterns so that you will be healthier in the year ahead.**

This month is a time to let the river of God flow from your innermost being. There is a great relationship between tranquility and fullness. If we don't relate to our inner being correctly, we cannot enter into fullness. When your river starts flowing, you can enter into your next measure.

**The sense attributed to Kislev is sleep.** Kislev is the month in which the shortest days and longest nights occur. It is not unreasonable therefore, that the sense attributed would be sleep. The sense of sleep is the tranquility and restfulness that comes with the security that comes from faith. It is written in the blessings at the end of Leviticus (26:5-6): ***"And you shall dwell securely in your land. And I shall give peace in the land, and you shall lie down without fear."*** This is the dream and hope that we carry even in the darkest of months, the darkest of times.

When one releases the tensions of the material world in trust, good dreams follow. Good dreams at night reflect good thoughts throughout the day, especially the optimistic attitude and consciousness, reflected in the maxim found in Hassidut and in so many like-minded, hope filled, faith paths: "Think good, it will be good."

**Mental and Physical Health are a part of rest and security, and so are attached to the month of Kislev.** Turn the Hebrew root *halam*, and it becomes

hahlama, or general "health" (meaning both mental and physical) as well as "recovery." In thanking God after being sick and recovering, **King Hizkiyahu prays (Isaiah 38:16), "restore me (from the root haham) and make me live."** Some compare the dream to sweat. In each case there is a process of recovery. The dream brings from the unconscious to the conscious. Sweat brings from inside the body to the outside. Each can be viewed as a part of the process of recovery. The physical sweat signals the beginning of recovery from an illness. The spiritual dream signals something deep inside that needs to be recovered, revealed, and perhaps healed.

<b>Kislev:</b>	29 or 30 days – 5785 November-December
<b>Alphabet:</b>	SAMEKH — trust, support, coming full circle
<b>Tribe:</b>	Benjamin — the most gifted with the art of the bow; the only child born in the Promised Land, so watch Israel this month. A month to develop your warfare strategies: to have a prophetic revelation for war. A month to enter into a new level of trust and rest. A month to declare your life experiences to be filled with tranquility and peace — ask for the rivers of life to flow.
<b>Characteristics:</b>	
<b>Constellation:</b>	Sagittarius (the archer) — a time to fight against empires and cultures

### **Important days of the month!!**

**14 Kislev** (circa 1568 BC) – Birth of Reuben, son of Jacob.

**14 Kislev** (circa 1445 BC) – Death of Reuben, son of Jacob.

**15 Kislev** (167 BC) – The Greeks set up the "Abomination of Desolation" in the temple.

**17 Kislev** (1947) – The United Nations General Assembly approves a plan for the partition of Palestine, which eventually led to the creation of the State of Israel.

**19 Kislev** (2017) – **US President Donald Trump announces that Jerusalem is in fact recognized as the capital city of the nation-state of Israel, by the USA.**

**20 Kislev** (circa 457 BC) – Ezra addresses a three-day assemblage of Jews in Jerusalem, telling them to adhere to the Torah and dissolve their interfaith marriages.

**25 Kislev** (167 BC) The Greeks make pagan sacrifices in the Temple.

**25 Kislev** (164 BC) – The Hanukkah miracle!

**27 Kislev** (year?) The Flood began.

**Additional famous deaths in Kislev include Abel, killed by his brother Cain.**



## **The Second Temple Was Founded in this Month**

We read in the prophecy of Haggai (**Haggai 2:18**): **"Pay attention now, from this day and before—from the twenty-fourth [day] of the ninth [month]—from the day that the Temple of the L-rd was founded, pay attention."** According to Rashi, this means that "they began to add to the first foundation that they had built in the days of Cyrus."

Before the destruction of the First Temple, Jeremiah had famously prophesized (**Jeremiah 29:10**), **"For so said G-d: For at the completion of seventy years of Babylon I will remember you, and I will fulfill My good word toward you, to restore you to this place."**

And indeed, that is what happened. A little more than fifty years after the destruction of the First Temple, the Babylonians, who had destroyed the First Temple, were vanquished by the rising Persian Empire. The Persian king, Cyrus the Great, soon authorized the Jews to rebuild the Temple, but construction ground to a halt due to interference by the Samaritans. In 353 BCE, exactly seventy years after the destruction of the First Temple, the Jews began building again—at first independently, but King Darius soon ratified their effort. The Second Temple was completed in 349 BCE. Under the leadership of Ezra and Nehemiah, the community in Judea became vibrant and secure.

The Second Temple era spanned 420 years, ending with the Romans' destruction of the Holy Temple in 70 CE. For much of this period, Judea was under foreign domination. **First**, the Jews were ruled by the Persians, and then, after the conquests of Alexander the Great, they were ruled by the Greeks. The Hasmonean revolt in 140 BCE brought about a period of Jewish **monarchy**, **but** the Hasmoneans did not rule for long.

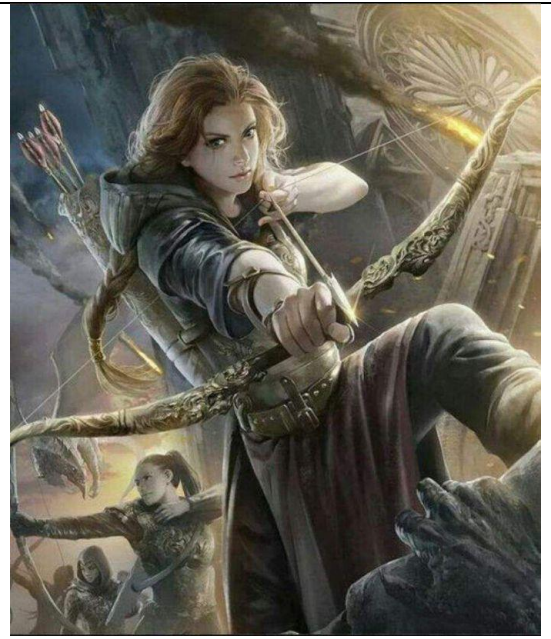
**The astrological sign or Mazal is the "keshet" (Sagittarius–bow).** The bow has its double meaning, its own Yin and Yang, Netzah and Hod. On the one hand it is the bow of war, the bow of the fight for freedom characterized by the Maccabees. On the other **hand**, the word Keshet (bow) refers to the rainbow, the first and most visible sign of peace and promise.

**The tribe ascribed to Kislev is Benjamin. It is a Month to Uncover Your True Identity!**

We can make a further connection with the Bow. Kislev is associated with the constellation Sagittarius (the archer). This month is a time to fight against empires and

cultures. This is a month to shoot straight and move quickly. Think of the archer. Cut your losses and move on. The 'art of the bow' is ascribed to the tribe of Benjamin, which is attached to the month of Kislev. The Hashmonaem were of the tribe of Levi, the tribe without land holdings. They were the keepers of the Temple; they were the keepers of ritual. Rituals from their time resonate through our modern services. The Temple in which they served was located in Jerusalem, which is located within the borders of the tribe of Benjamin, the bowman.

As mentioned above, **Benjamin is the tribe most gifted with the "art" of the bow.** In the land given to Benjamin is the Temple in Jerusalem. The blessing of Moses to Benjamin in the end of Torah: **"To Benjamin he said: the beloved of G-d, He shall dwell in trust over him, He hovers over him all day, and between his shoulders He rests."**



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## Kislev & Hanukkah

### The connections between the month and the holiday by Rabbi DovBer Pinson



#### **Hanukkah in front of the Old City walls in Jerusalem.**

Hanukkah is one of the most widely known and celebrated holidays of the year. It is festive, joyous, and family-oriented. It begins on the 24th of the Hebrew month of Kislev.

**This is** a significant time of year—at least in the Northern Hemisphere—when the days are the shortest, and the climate the coldest.

In the summer months, people are generally more outgoing and in brighter moods. As the sunlight begins to decrease, people tend to become more introspective. The autumnal Hebrew month of Tishrei (occurring around September and October) is saturated with holy days such as Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, and the festival of Sukkot. The next month, Cheshvan, has no holidays at all, and it is typically rainy and cold.

This is when people are drawn further inward, and many desire to spend time alone. Kislev continues becoming darker and colder. People tend to retreat into their warm homes, and due to a subtle hibernation instinct in humans, we may actually sleep more than usual. Kislev culminates with the Winter Solstice, the longest night of the year.

The following night is therefore minutely shorter—the first glimmer of light begins to re-awaken. At this season, there’s a natural desire to join with family and friends and celebrate.

Every *yom tov* (Jewish holy day) has a natural, seasonal explanation, as well as a historical and spiritual story that gives rise to the celebration. When the Torah speaks of Pesah (Passover), for example, it defines the celebration as a commemoration of the story of the Exodus from Egypt. However, the Torah also says Pesah is to be celebrated in “the month of Aviv” (the first month of spring), when harvesting begins. Thus, the content of the day—the narrative—is understood within a particular context, a specific season, with all its physical and psychological qualities. Before exploring the depths of the content of, let’s first delve more into the context, and the intricate interconnection between Hanukkah and its month and season.

### **Re-awakening Light**

When in Tractate Shabbat begins to discuss Hanukkah, it first mentions the story: one small jug of oil, intended to burn for one night, lasted eight nights. Then it says, “On the following year they—our sages—established these days as holy days for singing praise and offering thanks.” In other words, the sages didn’t celebrate the miracles of Hanukkah right away. Only when the season came around again did they perceive the nature of the previous year’s events. They sensed that the energies of these miracles were ‘established’—the miracles re-manifested, in a spiritual way, on the same dates of a following year.

By confirming the fact of this reappearance, our sages empowered us also to tap into the miraculous energy of Hanukkah that appears each year.

Why do we celebrate the miracles of Hanukkah and not other miracles? Why is there no holiday commemorating the manna or the miraculous well of Miriam? The answer is, we only celebrate past events when they can be re-experienced in the present.

It would seem that the annual re-appearance of the miraculous energy of Hanukkah is due simply to the cyclical patterns of time—there are certain patterns that rotate and return each year at the same time. However, in Jewish spirituality, we sense a linear movement of time as well.

Time is always progressing forward towards a spiritual culmination. Therefore, unlike the natural patterns of the year, the energies of Hanukkah progress toward a culmination, revealing something completely new each year. This linear movement joins

the cyclical movement of nature to form an upward-spiraling, reawakening, ever-new light of Hanukkah.

### **The Name of the Month—Trust and Hope**

Kislev is the ninth month of the year, counting from Nisan. In the Torah we find that the root of the word Kislev means 'trust' and 'hope': **"Did I place my *kili* (my hope) in gold?" (Job, 31:24) "And they placed in Hashem their *kislam* (their trust)." (Psalms, 78:7)**

Kislev therefore illustrates the issue of trust. When you make an appointment to meet someone, and they haven't yet arrived, you can't see them or know for certain that they'll arrive on time. You can only see or envision their arrival by means of trust. When our days are dark and cold, we may not see the light and warmth of life clearly. Many people struggle with "seasonal affective disorder", a form of depression attributed to the diminished sunlight of winter. After the Winter Solstice, the glimmer of light that arrives really does spark in us a trust in a brighter future.

In terms of the historical narrative of Hanukkah, the Hasmoneans had tremendous *bitahon* to stand up to their Roman oppressors. Despite the darkness of their time, they trusted in the miraculous. This inspired them to look at a defiled Temple and envision its re-purification. Because of this trust, their eyes were open enough to find a small measure of oil with which to kindle the lights of the lamps.

Writing some two hundred years after the re-dedication of the Temple, Josephus calls Hanukkah "the Festival of Lights". Although his historical accuracy is debatable, and he doesn't even mention the miraculous oil, we can learn about Hanukkah's theme of trust and hope from his account: "Perhaps the reason (for the name "Festival of Lights") is that a freedom beyond our hopes appeared to us, and so this was the name given to the festival." (Antiquities VII:7)

### **A Primordial Hanukkah**

The Talmud (Avodah Zarah) tells of a celebration of light during the time of year that would later become Hanukkah.

"When Adam—who was created in the beginning of the year, on the first day of Tishrei—noticed that during the first three months of his life, the days were getting gradually shorter, he said, 'Woe is to me! Because I've sinned, the world around me is being darkened and is returning to its state of chaos and confusion; this must be the kind of

death which has been sentenced to me from Heaven!’ He took upon himself to pray, fast, and look within. After eight days, he noticed the Winter Equinox (the *Tekufat Tevet*, the season of the month of Tevet), and saw that indeed the days were beginning to lengthen again. “So this is the way of the world!” he exclaimed, and he celebrated for eight days.”

### **The Darkest Night**

The Winter Solstice generally occurs during the last week of Kislev. Therefore, not only does the week of Hanukkah contain the longest night of the year, but at the end of a lunar month, the nights have virtually no moonlight.

A student of the Baal Shem Tov named Rabbi Yakov Yosef determined, through complex calculations, that the night of the Hanukkah victory and the re-lighting of the Menorah was precisely the longest night of the year. This deepest darkness sets the stage for the greatest possible revelation of light.

### **Divine Light**

Every Hanukkah is a special time for revealing the Hidden Light. Unlike all the Torah-based holidays, however, at the end of the Rabbinic holiday of Hanukkah there is no havdalah, or ritual of separation. May we never separate from the timeless light of Hanukkah. May it permeate every moment of our lives.

In Deuteronomy 33:12 we see that Benjamin symbolizes both trust and rest, the sense of the month of Kislev.

Last month was the month of the flood, so this is the month of the rainbow, the BOW back-to-back. Examine what you have warred through in the past year to come into a place of peace this year, the two BOWS God makes a covenant with us so that we will not have to war with those things again, which was the symbolism of the rainbow. There are certain things every year that you want to make a spiritual locator and say, **“I am not going through that again.”**

**2 Chronicles 14:8 Now Asa had an army of 300,000 men from Judah, who carried large shields and spears, and 280,000 from Benjamin, who carried shields and drew bows, all courageous men.** As you develop your warfare strategies this month, you can tap in prophetically to gain revelation concerning the war season ahead. This connects with Head of the Year so that you can start the year right.

**In the land given to Benjamin is the Temple in Jerusalem.** The blessing of Moses to Benjamin in the end of Torah: *"To Benjamin he said: the beloved of G-d, He shall dwell in trust over him, He hovers over him all the day, and between his shoulders He rests" (Deuteronomy 33:12).* Here we see that Benjamin symbolizes both trust and rest, the sense of the month of Kislev.

**Benjamin was also the only child born in the land of promise, so this is a month to watch Israel. Things happen during this month, which change the course of Israel.**

**The holiday found in Kislev is Hanukkah, the festival of lights.** May this Hanukkah bring healing to our spirit, good dreams of hope to our souls, and deeds that will bring rest and security to a troubled world.

### **Kislev: United Colors of the Rainbow**

by Rebbetzin Tziporah Heller

Each of us has to fight off darkness in his or her own way.

The long, silent white nights of winter have an almost mystic quality. They make us occasionally consider ending the day early and opening a book or writing a journal or maybe just listening. The silence lets us hear our hearts speak loud enough for us to hear without the static of day-to-day living.

We tend to deaden the impact of living with seasons by killing their message with the intrusion (and blessing) of electricity. We turn summer into spring with air conditioning. We heat our homes and experience winter by looking out the window and feeling the frost if we actually touch the panes. We lengthen the day by keeping the lights on. All of this, of course, is a great piece of good fortune. After all, no one really misses the sort of summer that left us exhausted, tense and drenched in sweat, or the kind of winter that imprisoned us in our badly heated homes yearning for the sun. Nonetheless, it's good to once in a while take the time to let the world speak to us.

Each month has its own message. The Arizal, a great mystic, tells us that the spiritual force of each of the 12 months parallels one of the 12 tribes (for the month of Kislev, it is the tribe Benjamin, who was known for his unwavering faith in God and his ferocious ability to battle evil), and the astral sign of the month (for this month, it is the bow). All of this lets us map out something of the nature of the month, and perhaps how to find a part of ourselves (since each Jew is a composite of all 12 tribes).



As the days get longer and blacker, we can intuitively sense that place within us that is dark, hopeless, and vulnerable is closer to the surface than it is during the summer. In fact, there is scientific evidence that there is a biological basis for this feeling. What escapes us is the precious nature of coming in contact with this part of ourselves.

There are two events that took place in this month that give us insight to the turf we enter. The first is God presenting the rainbow as a covenantal sign after the destruction of the Flood. We hardly associate rainbows with the shortest days of the year, but the rainbow is indeed very much part of the picture. Noah left the safety of the ark and re-entered the world on the 28th of Cheshvan (the previous month on the Jewish calendar). He saw vast, unspeakable, total desolation. We can't begin to envision the barren, silent world that he faced. He recognized that it was up to him to chart a course that will lead him and his descendants to redefining the world. He offered sacrifices to symbolize his commitment to uplift the world and everything in it to its Divine source.

On the first day of Kislev, God responded to this act by blessing Noah and his family. He set down new rules for them. From now on man will be permitted to eat meat. He will be accountable for shedding human blood. The world is meant to be a place where the fact that we were made in God's image is relevant. We are not just a more developed sort of animal, but an entirely unique species. The spark of eternity within us can never totally disappear, no matter how well we disguise it by adapting animalistic behaviors. We cannot "convert" to becoming an animal any more than a doorknob can become a canary. Animals may be killed and eaten; no human being is an animal. God promised never to bring a flood again, sealing his covenant to continue existence with a sign – the rainbow.

There were always rainbows, even before the flood. What changed is its message. What does the multicolored luminescent rainbow tell us about the territory we walk? It maps our future. After the flood, humankind will now develop differently. Until that point, there was no concept of nationhood or of divergent cultures. From now on, different peoples will become progressively more variegated. The rainbow is a living statement (a map) of what that really means (the territory). A rainbow is formed when pure white light refracts into seven shades. Red is nearest the original beam, and violet is the furthest away from the pure white light.



### **Why a rainbow?**

The first rainbow, observed after the Flood, was seen in Kislev. **“And G-d said: ‘This is the sign of the covenant which I set between Me, and yourselves, and between every living being that is with you, unto eternal generations. I have placed my bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of a covenant between Me and the Earth.’”** **“This is the sign of the covenant” – G-d showed Noah the bow and said to Him: “This is the sign of which I spoke”.**

**I want to preface the following two inserts to our calendar from Bob and Remy Koch. For those of you following our publication, two articles are included. The part 1, which is a carryover from 2023/5784 and part 5 which is the last article from Cheshvan 5785. Many people have expressed their appreciation of “The Hebrew Perspective” submitted every month of the year. Due to a series of back surgeries, I was not able to complete Cheshvan 5785, and Holy Spirit prompted me to bring part 5 for your enlightenment and pleasure. (WB)**

**“First the Saturday People; Then the Sunday People”**

**Part 1 - A Hebrew Roots Perspective**

**By Reuven ben Joseph (Bob Koch)**

**Edited by Rachel ben Joseph (Remy Koch)**

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Most people who receive Wade’s Newsletter justifiably support Israel for biblical and spiritual reasons. We know the secular State of Israel has serious political, social and

spiritual problems. But God is looking beyond Israel's current imperfections. I find it very significant that the largest number of prophecies in the Hebrew Scriptures have to do with the final permanent regathering and reuniting of the 12 tribes of Israel in "their own land" when God will give them a **"new heart and a new spirit" (Ezek 11:19, 28:25, 34:13, 36:24-29, 37:15-28, Jer 30-31, etc.).<sup>1</sup>**

These verses regarding the ingathering along with God's covenant promises to Abraham and his descendants are the bases of all prophesy in the Hebrew Scriptures. God's promise to give the land to Abraham and his physical descendants was eternal (Gen 17:8) and unilateral, not dependent on Israel keeping Covenant at Sinai. (Gen 17:8, 48:4). The sign of that covenant, which included the eternal possession of the land, is still "circumcision" (Gen 17:11). Even the Koran states that God gave the land of Israel to the Jews (Koran 5:20-21).

Therefore, it is imperative for us to be well-informed about the history the Arab-Israeli conflict in the Holy Land, and how it lines up with the word of God. How can a Christian respond when faced with the constant anti-Israel media harangue, United Nation condemnations, threats of Moslem jihad, and ignorant Leftists parroting the "genocidal Israelis" and "poor Palestinians" memes?

Let's examine Israel's so-called "crimes against humanity" and see if they hold water. Should the accusations be taken seriously? Or are our emotions and Judeo-Christian ethics being attacked and manipulated by a larger "agenda" based on "fake news"? We need to know "why" we are on the right side of history, factually and biblically in order that our support of Israel rests on a strong foundation.

Following are some of the main questions we now hear every day. Perhaps you are wondering some the same things and seeking a strong, truthful response that you know inside is also in line with the word of God. I hope to provide such replies.

### **1. "Why doesn't Israel let the Palestinians have their own independent state?"**

That is a fair question. The simple answer is: They don't WANT a state. I know I probably sound crazy to some of our readers. But the so-called "Palestinians" have had a state given to them 13 times and 13 times they have rejected it.

1937 – The Peel Commission; 1947 – The UN Partition Plan; 1967 – The Khartoum Summit; 1991 – The Madrid Conference; 2000 – The Camp David Summit; 2001 – The Arabs Summit; 2005 – Disengagement from Gaza; 2007 – The Annapolis Conference;

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<sup>1</sup> For a short summary of Israel's temporary rejection for disobedience and future repentance and complete acceptance see Deuteronomy chapters 28 and 30:1-10.

2008 – The Realignment Plan; 2010 – The Joint Peace Talks I; 2013 – The Joint Peace Talks II; 2019 – The Bahrain Workshop, and; 2020 – Trump Peace Plan.<sup>2</sup>

What is it the Moslems want? It is the entire world in submission to Allah through Sharia (Islamic law). It is in their three “holy” books and they constantly repeat it. The Western World will just not believe them.

## **2. “Israel has stolen and is illegally ‘occupying’ land that has historically been Arab-Palestinian land since time immemorial.”**

When in ancient or modern history was the Arab country or state of “Palestine” established? What were its borders? Who was its first indigenous leader? What style of government did it have? What was its currency? What was its language? Scratching your head yet? That’s because it never existed.

Joan Peters was a journalist who strongly believed that the early “Jewish Zionist” settlers and later, the Israeli “occupiers,” had simply stolen large amounts of “Palestinian” land. In the 1970s, she set out to prove that assertion once and for all. After 2 or 3 years of investigating the land records of “Palestine” and conducting personal interviews with scores of Arabs, she completely changed her point of view and decided to expose the lies and propaganda.

Peter’s heavily footnoted book, *From Time Immemorial*,” concluded that: 1. Israel had NEVER stolen a meter of land from the Arabs; 2. In the late 1800s when the Zionists came to the area now being called “Palestine” near the end of the Ottoman Empire, there were very few Arabs left and they were mostly dirt-poor tenant farmers; 3. The Jews GROSSLY overpaid for the swampland they bought from the Ottoman owners mainly living in Istanbul. This practice continued after the end of WWI during the rule of the British Mandate; 4. As the Jews drained the swamps and made the land habitable, more Jews came. At the beginning, they were fleeing the oppression and pogroms (ethnic cleansing) in Eastern Europe and Russia. Later, they were fleeing from the Nazis; 5. The Moslems from many different surrounding countries followed because the Jews were creating a lot of new jobs and opportunities for them. In fact, many Moslem countries told the poorest of their citizens to leave and go to Israel to live off the Jews. 6. In 135 C.E., after defeating the Jews in the final Jewish revolt against Rome,

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<sup>2</sup> The British took land promised to Israel in the Balfour Declaration (1917) and created the country of Transjordan (now, Jordan) with more than twice the land mass of today’s Israel. They installed a Hashemite “king” named Abdulah Hussein to rule it. It was primarily made up of the same people we call “Palestinians” today. It was created to be their “independent state.” Judea and Samaria were then given to Jordan and renamed “the West Bank” until Israel won it back in the Six-Day war (1967).

Emperor Hadrian changed the name of Judea-Samaria to Syria-Philistina as a final insult to the Jewish people; The Jews were the original "Palestinians."<sup>3</sup> By the 20<sup>th</sup> century, the name had been shortened to "Palestine." 7. The State of Israel does not "steal land" from the Moslem immigrants occupying the land. Jews have continued to buy land from the Arabs in Judea and Samaria to this day.

After the Six-Day War in 1967, when Israel captured the West Bank from Jordan, the late Egyptian terrorist Yasser Arafat deceptively labeled the Moslems living in that "occupied" territory "the Palestinian People." This was a plan to manufacture these immigrants into a PR weapon against the Jewish state. Egyptian president Gamal Abdal Nassar then declared him "the leader of the Palestinians." In 1988, as head of the terrorist Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO), Arafat proclaimed a "an independent State of Palestine."<sup>4</sup> This was the first time those appellations were ever applied to Gaza and "the West Bank." Arafat's "map of Palestine" is seen in the PLO emblem at the right. It included all of the land of Israel, including the Judea and Samaria.<sup>5</sup> This goal has never changed.



The coin to the left is a rare 1927 1 Mil coin from when currency was issued by British Mandate Palestine after they defeated the Ottoman Empire at the end of WWI. The Hebrew writing says "P'lishtina" (Palestine). The Hebrew writing in parenthesis is י'א (the letters 'aleph' and 'yod') which stands for "Eretz Yisrael" and means, "Land of Israel."

### 3. "Gaza is the world's largest open-air prison!"

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<sup>3</sup> Biblical Philistines were Caucasians and not related in any way to the ARAB-Moslems who occupy Judea and Samaria or live in Gaza today. They are thought to be originally from Crete. Israelites have been continuously living in the land since the beginning of Joshua's conquest 3400 years ago. When the Ottomans took a census in 1900, there were still more Jews in Jerusalem than Moslems or Christians. It remained that way until 1940.

<sup>4</sup> *Arafat Takes a Secret to Grave: Where Did He Hide Millions in Funds?* Jewish Telegraph Agency, Nov 12, 2004; Link: [jta.org](http://jta.org); In 2003, Arafat was on Forbes Magazine list of "the richest kings, queens and despots..." The article also stated, "U.S. accountants commissioned by the Palestinian Authority, where Finance Minister Salem Fayyad has garnered global praise for instituting reform, found that part of Arafat's personal wealth was in a secret portfolio worth close to \$1 billion." Of course, he stole that money from the "Palestinian People."

<sup>5</sup> Arafat's PLO map of "Palestine"; Link: [PLO Map of Palestine](#)

I agree. But it's Hamas who created and maintains that "prison." They need to continually use the perpetual Palestinian UN "refugees" as weapons against the Jews. The UN continues to pour millions yearly into Gaza and the "refugee camps".

In 2005, Ariel Sharon was the "conservative" Prime Minister who gave the Palestinians 100% control over Gaza, essentially creating a Palestinian "state" without any "preconditions." All twenty-one Israeli settlements in the Gaza Strip were unilaterally dismantled; 8,600 Israelis settlers, including their families and buried relatives, were expelled from their homes. Thus, there was ZERO OCCUPATION of Gaza from 2005 until today.

Since then, Gaza has been an independent "Palestinian state" that has elected Hamas as their leaders for over 16 years. <sup>6</sup> The bottom line is: If Gaza is an open-air prison, the onus is on the Iran supported Hamas government. It is they who are keeping the people "imprisoned," not Israel.

#### **4. "Israel has been committing 'genocide' against the Palestinians for many years."**

From 1990 to 2022, the population of "Palestine" increased from 1.98 million to 5.04 million people. That's a growth rate of 155% over the past 32 years.<sup>7</sup> Israel does not target civilians or use them as human shields as Hamas does. In fact, every time Israel retaliates against Hamas or the Palestinian Authority (PA) to the north, they warn the civilians to evacuate or stay out of areas that are being targeted. What nation has ever warned the enemy (to its own detriment) every time they are going to attack, trying to save the lives of enemy civilians?<sup>8</sup> Does that sound like genocide to you?

On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, an Arab journalist reported that Hamas terrorists were targeting Gazan women and children who are attempting to evacuate, displaying white flags..." Hamas wants them to remain in Gaza so they can pile up more dead civilians for the TV

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<sup>6</sup> As today, Gazans were dependent on Israel to supply them with building materials, electricity, collect taxes for them and other essential services. They have never been able to get it together or provide those for themselves. A major reason is that most of the funds and materials sent by Israel and to the Hamas government somehow never **reach** the people. For example: most of the concrete and fuel designated for building housing goes to building vast underground tunnels that Hamas uses for gathering intelligence and terror attacks.

<sup>7</sup> *Population Growth in Palestine*, Link: [worlddata.info](http://worlddata.info)

<sup>8</sup> The Israeli Defense Forces (IDF) has made 20,000 phone calls, dropped 1.5 million leaflets, sent 4.4 million SMS & 6 million voice messages urging civilians in northern Gaza to temporarily evacuate for their safety.

news reports!<sup>9</sup> At the same time, Hamas stores their weapons and shoots rockets into Israeli cities from densely populated areas, schools, playgrounds, hospitals and mosques. When the IDF bombs the launchers and weapons caches, Hamas' human shields are killed. Their tactics of using civilians, especially women and children, as human shields are so well-known there are even political 'cartoons' such as the one on the right ridiculing their abject callousness and hypocrisy. The UN formally categorizes these actions "war crimes" – except when the "Palestinians" do it.

### **5. "Israel is an 'apartheid' state."**

Israeli-Arab citizens are teachers, doctors, psychologists, lawyers, nurses, and many other professions. They have representation in the Israeli Knesset (Parliament). They enjoy more freedom in Israel than in any other Moslem country. However, Jews and Christians, are banned from buying property and the practicing of their religion in any "Palestinian" controlled areas including Gaza. Who is actually practicing "apartheid"? The Moslems – not only in Palestine but in the entire Arab world.<sup>10</sup>

### **6. "Hamas is a political organization; they are not terrorists"; Islam is a "religion of peace."**

The Hamas Covenant (1998) states in part:

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*"Israel will exist and will continue to exist until Islam will obliterate it, just as it obliterated others before it. ... The day the enemies usurp part of Moslem land, Jihad becomes the individual duty of every Moslem. In the face of the Jews' usurpation, it is compulsory that the banner of Jihad be raised. ... Ranks will close up, fighters joining other fighters, and masses everywhere in the Islamic world will come forward in response to the call of duty loudly proclaiming, 'Hail to Jihad!' ... Peace initiatives, and so-called peaceful solutions and international conferences are in contradiction to the principles of the Islamic Resistance Movement... Those conferences are no more than a means to appoint the infidels as arbitrators in the lands of Islam<sup>11</sup>... There is*

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<sup>9</sup> <https://twitter.com/amjadt25/status/1720425819305070821>

<sup>10</sup> I'd like to thank videographer Hillel Fuld, @hilzfuld, for his inspiration for parts of this article.

<sup>11</sup> "Infidels" is the word "*kafir*" and is properly translated "unbelievers." *Kafirs* do not believe Mohammed is the Last true Prophet of 'Allah' who is not the same "god" as the God of Abraham. A *Kafir* is an "unbeliever" but that is not a neutral term. It defines a "subhuman." *Kafirs* include Jews, Christians, Buddhists and ALL other non-Moslems. *Kafirs*

*no solution for the Palestinian problem except by Jihad. '...Say unto those who believe not, Ye shall be overcome, and thrown together into hell; ...The Movement's program is Islam. From it, it draws its ideas, ways of thinking and understanding of the universe, life and man. It resorts to it for judgment in all its conduct, and it is inspired by it for guidance of its steps. ...The Islamic Resistance Movement (HAMAS) is one of the wings of Moslem Brotherhood in Palestine.' ...The Day of Judgment will not come about until Moslems fight Jews and kill them. ...Then, the Jews will hide behind rocks and trees, and the rocks and trees will cry out: 'O Moslem, there is a Jew hiding behind me, come and kill him.'"<sup>12</sup>*

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Are the aforementioned quotes the words of a political organization or an imperialistic, military "jihadi" group? Are they the words of a "religion of peace"?

When you hear people at "Palestinian protests" mindlessly repeating the slogan, "From the river to the sea, Palestine will be free," the "Palestine" to which they are referring is ALL of the land of Israel which they intend to make completely "FREE" of Jews. Sounds a little like "genocide" to me. How about you? You may find it hard to believe, but many Leftist protestors at these events don't even know there was a savage Hamas terrorist attack that raped, killed and mutilated women in Israel on October 7<sup>th</sup>! I'll let you draw your own conclusions about that.

The stated goal of Hamas, Hezbollah, Iran and all of normative Islam is to create a worldwide "caliphate." Every mosque you see is a "Forward Operating Base (FOB)" that exists only to get a foothold for the caliphate to spread. Islamists will never let you remain a Christian, because you are a "*kafir*" and must "submit" (i.e. that's what "Islam" means). Islam has a well-known proverb expressing their ultimate goal: "First the Saturday people (Jews); then the Sunday people (Christians)."<sup>13</sup> Let that sink in. Do you think all the other unbelievers (infidels) like you and me should believe them?

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can be "hated, beheaded, plotted against, terrorized, made war on, humiliated and cursed." Only if they accept and believe Mohammed are they exempt. They may be allowed to pay the Jizya tax and live as second-class citizens until they aren't of any further use. Definition from: *A Two Hour Koran, Volume 1, by Dr Bill Warner*

<sup>12</sup> *The Covenant of the Islamic Resistance Movement (HAMAS)*, Link: [Avalon Law - Yale Law School](#)

<sup>13</sup> *After Saturday comes Sunday*, Link: [wikipedia.org](#). The above Islamic proverb "...was first given prominent circulation in English by Bernard Lewis in an article written for *Commentary* in early 1976. Lewis claimed that the phrase was heard in the Arab world on the eve of the Six-Day War (1967)." The "Saturday people" referred to the Jews; the "Sunday people" referred to the Christians and all other non-Moslems.



**“Come, let us wipe them out as a nation; Let the name of Israel be remembered no more!” Ps 83:4**

I strongly believe that those of us who know the word of God realize that the battle is, and has always been, between the forces of “good and evil.” I will expand on the previous paragraph and conclude this article next month.

Blessed is he who comes in the Name of YHWH,  
Reuven

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### **Part 5 - Atonement without blood**

**YEHOVAH forgave Nineveh by their deeds demonstrating repentance**

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The well-known story of Jonah’s preaching repentance to Nineveh and their subsequent salvation offers some important insights into God’s character. Nineveh, founded by Nimrod, was located across the Tigris River from the very ancient city of Ebril, which is modern-day Mosul in Iraq. The event took place approximately between 786 and 746 BCE. At the time, Nineveh was the capitol of Assyria.

YEHOVAH (YHVH, the LORD) ordered Jonah to preach to the city and tell the people their wickedness was so vile that it was destined for destruction. Believing it to be a waste of time to admonish decadent pagans, Jonah fled in the opposite direction of Nineveh. He did everything he could to ignore God’s command. As we know, nothing worked because he eventually ended up in Nineveh, where he proclaimed YHVH’s prophetic warning to the people.

*Jonah 3:4-10* **Jonah began to go into the city, going a day’s journey. And he called out, “Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!” And the people of Nineveh believed God. They called for a fast and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them to the least of them. The word had reached the king of Nineveh, and he arose from his throne, removed his robe, covered himself with sackcloth, and sat in ashes. And he issued a proclamation and published through Nineveh, “By the decree of the king and his nobles: Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste anything. Let them not feed or drink water, but let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and let them call out mightily to God. Let everyone turn from his evil way and from the violence that is in his hands. Who knows? God may turn and relent and turn from his**

***fierce anger, so that we may not perish." When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil way, God relented of the disaster that he had said he would do to them, and he did not do it.***

This is another narrative in our "Atonement without blood" series negating the idea that God must have a blood sacrifice to forgive sin. Ninevah was an entire pagan city of people steeped in evil who nonetheless actually "believed" the word of God spoken by his prophet-agent. In response, they took action by repenting (turning from evil and to YHWH), fasting and praying – i.e. performing deeds demonstrating repentance. Consequently, YHWH forgave them and saved them from destruction – without any shedding of sacrificial animal blood.

There is a rabbinic oral tradition that Israel's prayers as "a kingdom of priests" interceded on behalf of repentant Gentile nations. Coupled with their repentance, this intercession is what would have brought them forgiveness and atonement for sin. Part of that rabbinic tradition is a speculation that during the Festival of Sukkot (Feast of Booths), the sacrifice of seventy bulls over seven days made atonement for the seventy Gentile nations of the so-called "Table of Nations" taken from Genesis 10:2-32, but there is no Biblical evidence for this belief.

Messianic Jewish Christian (MJC) apologist Michael Brown, PhD, uses this rabbinic conjecture to back up his claim that the Ninevites received total forgiveness for their many evils only because of the sacrifices made on their behalf. According to his interpretation, the Jonah narrative leaves out critical information. Apparently, Nineveh's works of repentance were not enough; they also needed "blood sacrifices" and the prayerful intercession of the people of Israel in order to receive full atonement for their sins.

I'll let Brown speak for himself:

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***"Although the whole earth is mine, you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation" (Exod. 19:4-6).***

"Israel was called to be a priestly nation, and part of that calling included making intercession and atonement for the nations of the world. (Remember, this was an integral part of the priestly calling, therefore, as a priestly nation, Israel would make intercession and atonement for the world.) According to this concept, when a Gentile nation repented and turned to God, its repentance would be accepted in conjunction with the sacrifices and prayers offered up by the people of Israel. That's why the prophet Jonah called on the Ninevites to repent of their sins. Offering up sacrifices was Israel's job as a priestly nation. Jonah called on the Ninevites to repent of their sins. (Parenthetical emphasis Brown's)

"Who says so?" you ask

“...Actually, the Talmudic rabbis say so. In b. Sukkah 55b (see also Pesikta de Rav Kahana, Buber edition, 193b–194a) we read that the seventy bulls that were offered every year during the Feast of Tabernacles (Sukkot; see Num. 29:12–34) ‘were for the seventy nations,’ which Rashi explains to mean, ‘to make atonement for them, so that rain will fall throughout the world.’<sup>fn259/14</sup>

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But the Holy Hebrew Bible text itself (henceforth, TNK) records that the evil Gentile nation of Nineveh was forgiven their sins without a blood sacrifice or prayerful intercession by Israel. Which is the supreme authority here, the Hebrew Scriptures (henceforth, TNK) or the much later Talmudic rabbinic theories? Talmud is not TNK and Jonah was the prophet of YEHOUAH, not the “people” of Israel. Brown’s support of the rabbinic traditional interpretation that the Gentile nation’s repentance would only be accepted “in conjunction with the sacrifices and prayers offered up by the people of Israel” as God’s “priests” is unsupported; it has zero scriptural witnesses.

Israel certainly was called to be a priestly nation and YHVH’s witnesses to the nations. However, they failed miserably at that task well before the destruction of Solomon’s temple which includes the time period of the Jonah story. As previously demonstrated, the Israelites constantly fell into idolatry, failed to observe the festivals, including Sukkot, and did not give the land its commanded Sabbath rests from the time of King Saul to the Babylonian exile. Moreover, there are no examples in the TNK of the people of Israel specifically or the priesthood interceding, sacrificing and/or praying for any Gentile nation’s repentance, forgiveness or atonement for sin.

Brown points out Rashi’s conjecture that the seventy bulls were sacrificed “for the seventy nations... to make atonement for them.” However, the Torah describes these as “burnt offerings,” not as “sin offerings” (Nu 29:12-34). Burnt offerings are not primarily designed for atonement. The only extra daily sin offering during the seven days of the festival was “one goat” (vv. 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31 and 34).

Furthermore, the burnt offering sacrifices of the seventy bulls are made by the Israelite priests – not the people. The burnt offerings could just as easily have symbolized the hope that the Gentile nations would become God-fearers dedicated to serving the God of Abraham and not their false gods, or perhaps even representing the annual rededication of the descendants of the seventy souls that went down to Egypt with Jacob/Israel and his sons. After all, one’s “dedication”, or more commonly, “rededication” to YHVH is more in line with the primary purpose of whole burnt offerings.<sup>15</sup> We are simply not given an explanation for the number seventy.

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<sup>14</sup> *Answering Jewish Objections to Jesus, Vol 2, sec. 3.14*; Michael Brown, PhD.

<sup>15</sup> Furthermore, the Nineveh narrative takes place during the period of the reigns of King Jeroboam II, who ruled the 10 northern tribes of Israel, and King Uzziah (Azariah) of Judah. The TNK condemns Jeroboam for “doing evil in the sight of YHVH”, i.e. supporting idolatrous shrines and appointing unauthorized priests from among regular Israelites, not just Levites, as was

The tradition that Israel sacrificed and prayed for the atonement of the Gentile nations, either regularly with sin offerings or on Sukkot with burnt offerings for repentant Gentile nations, is rabbinic commentary and conjecture. Presuming that the reason Ninevah was forgiven was because of the intercession of "the people of Israel" as a "nation of priests" is not supported in the Biblical text at all. Therefore, one must conclude that it is an eisegetical, agenda-based speculation applied retroactively to bolster a later rabbinic tradition.

### **Conclusion:**

The text of the Hebrew Scriptures (TNK) tells a different story than MJC apologist Brown and the rabbis. It reports that the entire city of Nineveh followed the King's proclamation and turned away from their "evil," fasting and praying for forgiveness. **"When he saw what they did,"** YEHOVAH responded by turning away from destroying them and forgave them instead (Jonah 3:10).

There was no report that God had to wait for the prayers of the Israelites, the blood of sacrifices or priestly intercession to affect his forgiveness. Therefore, even the pagan nation obtained forgiveness and atonement from YEHOVAH for their grievous sins by doing sincere deeds demonstrating repentance; i.e. earnestly confessing their guilt and turning away from sin, fasting and prayer for God's mercy.

What does the forgiveness of sin without blood for Ninevah mean for obtaining forgiveness and atonement in general? Can this have a wider application? Or course it can. This is a major Biblical precept that cannot be conveniently ignored by Jews or Christians. The work of Yochanan the Immerser (John the Baptizer) that Yeshua and his disciples joined was based on this principle: repentance and immersion for the forgiveness of sins accompanied by deeds demonstrating so – without requiring a blood sacrifice. Next month, I will go more in depth on this subject in connection with Yeshua's preaching of "the Gospel of the Kingdom."

Following are a few of the numerous scriptures demonstrating that, ultimately, Yehovah (YHVH) God does not desire animal sacrifices but offers forgiveness and expiation of sin without them.

***Hosea 6:6 For I desire loving-kindness and not sacrifice; the knowledge of God more than burnt offerings.***

***Ps 51:18-19 For You do not desire sacrifice; or else I would give it: You do not delight in burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, You will not despise. (vv. 17-18 Christian bibles; see also Mic 6:6; Jer 9:22)***

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ordained by God (1 Ki 12:31, 2 Ki 14:24, 2 Chron 11:15). It's hard to imagine him leading the idol-worshipping Israelites in prayers for forgiveness for the idol-worshipping Ninevites. King Uzziah was initially considered to be a godly man, but he never removed the high places of idol worship which continued to be used by the people of Judah. His later actions and pride led to his downfall and separation from YHVH. God struck him with leprosy from which he never recovered (2 Kings 15:1-7, 2 Chronicles 26:1-23).

***Ps 98:2 YEHOWAH (YHVH) has made known his salvation: his righteousness he has revealed in the sight of the nations (goyim).***

***Joel 3:5 And it shall come to pass: whoever shall call on the name of Yehovah shall be saved. (Joel 2:32 Christian Bible)***

***Isa 45:22 Look to me, and be saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is no other.<sup>16</sup>***

***Isa 43:10-11 You are my witnesses, says Yehovah, and my servant whom I have chosen: that you may know and believe me, and understand that I am he: before me there was no God formed, neither shall there be after me. I, even I, am Yehovah (YHVH); and beside me there is no savior.<sup>17</sup>***

***Mal 2:10 Have we not all one father? Has not one God created us?<sup>18</sup>***

***Jacob (James) 2:17-26 Thus also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead. But someone will say, "You have faith, and I have works." Show me your faith without your works, and I will show you my faith by my works. You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe – and tremble! But do you want to know, O foolish man, that faith without works is dead? Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered Isaac his son on the altar? Do you see that faith was working together with his works, and by works faith was made perfect? And the Scripture was fulfilled which says, "Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness." And he was called the friend of God. You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only. Likewise, was not Rahab the harlot also justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out another way? For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.<sup>19</sup>***

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<sup>16</sup> Yeshua's words confirmed this Scripture at John 17:1-3, 20:17

<sup>17</sup> Ibid

<sup>18</sup> Yeshua's words confirmed both aspects of this Scripture at John 20:17; Matt 19:4; Yeshua's brother Jacob (James) also confirmed this at James 1:27 (See also Matt 6:8-14, etc.).

<sup>19</sup> Words of Jacob (James) Yeshua's personally appointed Davidic successor known as "Jacob the Righteous"; leader of the Jerusalem Assembly and Paquid (Bishop) over all the Messianic Assemblies.

**Kislev 1, 5785: Monday-December 2, 2024**

**Andrew Whalen: Illusionary Warfare, Justice, and the Removal of Veils**



[**Editor's note:** Below are the notes that Andrew Whalen shared from during his recent interview on ElijahStreams.]

### **The Trump Motorcade**

**Dream received on November 8, 2024:**

In my dream, I was announcing something to the nation. I said, "Trump is returning."

I suddenly saw an airport runway with a motorcade that had Trump in a vehicle. All of the vehicles, especially the one Trump was in, appeared to be made out of paper. I looked and noticed that these were covenants and contracts. Trump's vehicle was made from tons of written contracts and covenants. It didn't seem odd to me in the dream that his vehicle was made from these.

Next in the dream, I said, "It's important to get this motorcade of Trump's to circuit through the nation." I then declared, "This contract/covenant motorcade circuiting the nation is the necessary preliminaries to get the official Trump motorcade in place."

At that moment, I saw a line of vehicles made of metal and all in black. I knew by revelation that this was the official motorcade for Trump, and it was waiting on the first motorcade made of the paper contracts and covenants to drive around the nation.

End of dream.



## Think Differently

### Dream received on November 8, 2024:

In my dream, I was preparing to speak at a large conference. I wasn't fully sure what I was going to be speaking about, but then I saw a vision. I saw myself doing something like a magic trick or an illusion. I had a few people watch what I was preparing to speak on, and I did the "trick," which was to show them some things in my hands and make the objects seemingly disappear.

The few watching were amazed because it looked so real, but I had quickly tossed the objects out of my hands behind me before they could even see what was happening. The trick had the effect of making the audience think it was real. Then, I came out of that vision and found myself in a classroom where I would continue to prepare for my message.

Sitting down in the classroom, I saw the Secret Service walk into the room, and several officers stood outside the doors and windows. Then Donald Trump walked in. I looked at him, wondering if he was the actual Donald Trump or a double, but I felt it was actually him. I also knew that if it was a double being used, it was for Trump's safety, and he is fully aware of all parts of the plan.

Next in the dream, Donald Trump sat down, preparing to hear my message. At that point I had a word of knowledge that Donald Trump wanted me to speak on a message of repentance to America. I thought to myself, "That seems kind of negative, in light of the election win," but then I remembered that the word "repentance" in the Greek is *metanoia* (see Strong's 3341), which essentially means to change how one thinks after a revelation.

I knew, by revelation, that this meant Trump needed the Body of Christ to think differently about the days ahead. I knew it had to do with some illusion. **There is a need for the Body of Christ to understand that the world needs to see something as one thing, but as praying saints, we need to know it is different, so that we don't become emotionally reactive but responsive by faith!** *(Photo via Pexels)*

I then shook Donald's hand without a word spoken between us, knowing the word of knowledge that I had received.





End of dream.

### **A couple thoughts about this dream:**

I believe the classroom represents a key prophetic marker to let us know that we need to learn something right now about the times ahead; specifically, the prophetic Body of Christ needs to know illusion will be employed for certain needed optics.

Also, the classroom is a room of knowledge, and God was allowing me to see that doubles will be employed for safety in future times. Trump will be fully insulated.

In the dream, my word of knowledge represents our need to repent/change our thinking from being simply reactive, according to the illusions, to understanding how the trick actually works. We need to be in faith according to a higher revelation.

This by no means negates the true need for repentance from sin in America; that is certainly a given and needed reality for our nation, but I am simply relating the understanding I had in this specific instance in my dream.

### **Does God Employ Illusion in the Biblical Narrative?**

**Illusion defined:** "A thing that is or is likely to be wrongly perceived or interpreted by the senses." (*see Quizlet.com*)

The greatest illusion was the crucifixion of Christ. The enemy perceived that the Cross was *his* idea, and that it was effective in destroying the Messiah and cutting off hope for humanity. The illusion that the Cross had seemingly worked against God was always intended. Satan, being a murderer from the beginning, pushed harder and raged against Him, not understanding that through His death was the condemnation of all sin in His flesh (Romans 8:3), and the overcoming of death, Hell, and the grave by the subsequent resurrection!

"No, we speak of the mysterious and hidden wisdom of God, which He destined for our glory before time began. None of the rulers of this age understood it. **For if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory." (1 Cor 2:7–8)**

In this instance, God seemingly gave the enemy weapons, but the weapons of death actually worked against the devil's own plans!

**"Gideon and the hundred men with him reached the outskirts of the camp at the beginning of the middle watch, just after the changing of**

**the guard. They blew their horns and broke the jars that were in their hands. The three companies blew their horns and shattered their jars. Holding the torches in their left hands and the horns in their right hands, they shouted, 'A sword for the LORD and for Gideon!'**

**"Each Israelite took his position around the camp, and the entire Midianite army fled, crying out as they ran. And when the three hundred rams' horns sounded, the LORD set all the men in the camp against one another with their swords..." (Judges 7:19–22)**

### **Trump's Plan for the Enemy**

#### **Dream received on October 29, 2024:**

In a dream, I saw Donald Trump. He asked me to go sell the enemy of America some weapons/guns that they wanted. I wondered why he wanted to give them weapons, because I knew these enemies would certainly use them and harm us with them. *(Photo via Picryl)*



I said to President Trump, "They will try to take our heads off with any weapon I give them." Donald Trump in the dream smiled and said, "I'm counting on that."

Then Donald Trump gave me four very weak weapons, and I knew they only shot .22 calibers. When I saw these guns, they had the same appearance as the rifles that Elmer Fudd used in Looney Tunes. (This made me wonder if these weapons were illusions/fake.)

Next, I saw the enemy, one of whom I knew was connected to Soros. I sold the guns to them. They were so blinded by their rage and anger; they failed to recognize that these guns were extremely weak and most likely incapable of doing any real fatal damage.

At this point, I saw the brilliance of Trump's plan... allowing the enemy to have some weapons, to pacify their need to have them, but the weapons wouldn't actually bring any real extreme destruction (mostly causing annoyance). And it kept them occupied with their attempt to destroy while allowing Trump's team to

hold all the powerful weapons and to strategically look for the right time to use them.

End of dream.

According to this dream, I believe that a part of the "plan" is to allow the deep state to "fire" some "weapons" that aren't very threatening and are small with a weak caliber. The deep state has expended a lot of ammo and are out of high caliber options, so they are grasping for whatever leverage and force they can muster.

I knew in the dream that the "patriot controllers" were intentionally allowing them to use these "small caliber" weapons for the purpose of letting everyone see them using them, in order to awaken the population to just how illegal, violent, and bad the enemy within is. Certain optics are intended that will justify a swift, furious, and surgical move against them.

### **Illusion to Create the Greatest Reset**

#### **Dream/trance received on October 31, 2024:**

On this morning, I woke up in what I would describe as a bit of a trance state. It was a dream, yet I was in and out of wake and asleep.

I saw a news station show that a nuclear bomb was either being detonated or was going to be detonated in a certain unknown place/city, and then the screen went black. At that moment, I knew that this was the scare event that would cause all people everywhere to hit their knees in prayer and stop everything. Then I knew by revelation that this was a coordinated event, and that it didn't actually happen but was used and needed for the white hats to advance the plan of saving America.

End of dream/trance.

I'm not prophesying with certainty what I'm seeing. I don't have a time frame. But it does align with several recent dreams I've had about this. Could it be an illusion to bring a reset to the nation?

### **Unidentified Anomalous Phenomena**

#### **Dream received on November 4, 2024:**

In this dream, I was in some location outside when I suddenly saw UFOs appear, picking up fire trucks, cars, and even people. Panic started to spread like wildfire. I stood up and said very loudly, "These are not aliens... these are U.A.P.s (Unidentified Anomalous Phenomena), and they are governmental dark projects that have been hidden tech for a long time." *(Photo via Creative Commons)*



In the dream, there was definitely an invasion of some sort happening, but I knew somehow that this was a part of the white hat plan. I knew in some way it would be used for good.

I began to call on the angels and speak "in Jesus' name" over myself and my family, to keep any harm from coming to us, because it seemed so real.

At this point, I saw Donald Trump and the military walk into the room where we were. He was taking back power from the bad guys. I looked closer and realized this was not Trump but a body double. Trump was being protected in some other place.

End of dream.

### **A quick note on this:**

Again, I'm not prophesying that an actual event like this will occur, but I believe God may be highlighting the need to repent and change our thinking to the understanding that "illusion" is a part of the plan to destroy the enemy. There will be events happening that will create certain optics which bring about necessary context for the good guys/patriots/white hats to give full vent to justice.

I also believe God is going to remove occult veils which hide celestial technologies that governments and the deep state have used. Many who have studied the occult roots in America point to certain ritual workings that engage with demonic entities to gain celestial knowledge and secrets.

Black projects in the government have interacted with Nephilim/fallen celestial entities. These are not "extraterrestrial" aliens. They have intended to use such tech as fear and control-based mechanisms. Will the good guys now attempt to expose such projects... even "Project Blue Beam," etc.?

Remember what Jesus said in Luke 11:20, "**But if I drive out demons by the finger of God, then the Kingdom of God has come upon you.**"

When the Kingdom advances in the earth, demonic works and strongholds are exposed and destroyed.

Trump and the white hat patriots are operating according to Kingdom agendas to create optics that bring awakening to unimaginable darkness. This needs to happen in order for us to occupy these places of control that the enemy has used as fear-based threats and witchcraft.

Illusionary warfare is the phase I believe we are entering into. To what degree certain events are real or fake... we can't be sure, but the intended outcome will be the removal of veils and the needed optics for justice.

**Kislev 2, 5785: Tuesday-December 3, 2024**

**Bruce & Linda Dietler – Kansas**

**Rise Up, Stand Forth in the Midst!**

In 2020, David Blaine, an American illusionist, endurance artist and extreme performer, executed his David Blaine Ascension stunt. This involved him being lifted high above the earth while using a harness and holding onto a cluster of 52 large helium-filled balloons. Upon reaching an altitude of 20,000 feet above the ground, he let go of the balloons and parachuted down to a flat ravine near the planned landing zone - no big deal, but they made it look terrifying and spectacular. The entire three-hour spectacle was broadcast live and can still be seen on YouTube.

Many, including myself, have jumped from high altitudes, though not with the aid of balloons, as an airplane is the typical vehicle of choice for such a sport. However, on a spiritual level, we must understand that **God has a great desire for His body to ascend to Him**, not in a manner for show or for stunts, but for His greater glory and greater purposes to be released in and through our lives upon the earth. He is calling His Ekklesia corporately and each of us individually to ascend higher in the Spirit – through prayer, faith, boldness, and action – to manifest His presence in demonstration such that the world would know **"they have been with Yeshua."** (see Acts 4:13)

Years ago, during an early morning prayer session, the Lord brought to my attention a passage of scripture that has never left me. **Luke 6:6-10** relates the account of Yeshua ministering to a man with a withered hand. **"And it came to pass also on another sabbath, that He entered into the synagogue and taught: and there was a man whose right hand was withered. And the scribes and Pharisees watched**

**Him, whether He would heal on the sabbath day; that they might find an accusation against Him. But He knew their thoughts, and said to the man which had the withered hand, Rise up, and stand forth in the midst. And he arose and stood forth.”** The account concludes in verse 10, **“And looking round about upon them all, He said unto the man, Stretch forth thy hand. And he did so: and his hand was restored whole as the other.”** What the Lord showed me was not only His authority, ability, and willingness to heal an individual, but that the individual, himself, had responsibility in receiving that healing. Had the man in this account remained seated, he would not have received his miracle. Yet, even having risen to his feet, he would have missed his miracle had he not followed the command of the Lord to stretch forth his hand.

I believe that we are in a chaotic moment of time. Time has come for the body of Christ to rise up, as did the man with the withered hand, and fully obey the word of the Lord. Significantly, several prophetic individuals and ministries are now bringing forth this same call for the body of Christ to rise up and stand forth in the midst. Julie Green Ministries ([jgminternational.org](http://jgminternational.org)) posted a recent word from the Lord which said, in part, "My children **rise up. Rise up** with the situations that are trying to keep you down. **Rise up** from all your enemies' attacks. **Rise up.** This is a time when I am calling My Body to **Rise Up** over every opposition. I am calling you to **Rise Above** every test, trial, and adversity with your faith. Trust in My ability to not only get you out and get you through, but to restore what has been stolen from you. This is the time to trust and rely on Me."

Lana Vawser ([lanavawser.com](http://lanavawser.com)) has also shared, "We are in a VERY significant time in the body of Christ right now, and there is very specific direction and divine intel that the Lord is releasing. The Lord is calling His people to **ascend and come up higher**, and part of that 'coming up higher' is coming up out of the old season, coming up out of ashes and into beauty, coming up out of living by what is seen in the natural realm, and coming up higher into seeing as He sees in an unprecedented way. There is a 'laying aside' of all things that have hindered, and a 'ascension' of the mountain of the Lord in first-love adoration, in faith, and in worshiping in spirit and in truth."

God's call to ascend and come up higher was powerfully impressed upon me by a dream. In the dream, I was looking down from high above at a mountainside on which a woman in a terribly tattered white dress lay prostrated on a ledge looking down into the total bluish darkness with intermittent bolts of wild lightning lashing the abyss below. The woman, whom I recognized to be a powerful intercessor, looked like a cartoon stick figure - absolute skin and bones, completely exhausted and drained of all energy from her ordeal of struggling to reach that place of relative rest and safety on a plateau and thinking she had at last reached the end of her struggle. At that point, a strong voice beckoned from above, "Come up higher." In fact, the woman had NOT

reached the end of her ordeal; her work was not finished; there was further climbing to be done. End of dream.

The Lord is calling each of us to **Rise Up** to higher elevations in our spiritual walk. The woman in the tattered white dress, whom I identify as the bride of Christ, has gone through many struggles and much hardship in this life, and it is understandable for her to want to rest where she is, but there are yet greater heights to be attained. The warfare and the enemy's schemes through which she has already come, though intense, will not prevail as she goes forth, not in her own strength, but in the power and strength of the Lord. It is time for the bride to **RISE UP** and stand forth in the midst.

The body of Christ is, "**fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part...**" (Ephesians 4:16). Every believer is an integral part of the body of Christ, and every believer has a part to play in the increase of the body. Every part is called to **Rise Up** to take its place in this world that the Lord has ordained for it. God is calling forth His five-fold ministers to **Rise Up** for the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, yet at the same time, He is calling for the housewife, the laborer, the writer, and the professional to **Rise Up**. They might not consider themselves a significant part of His body, yet they are vital to its proper functioning! The stomach is an unseen part of the body, yet who could deny its significance to the body's proper function? Though times may seem uncertain, and we may feel totally unqualified or unworthy to be used by the Lord, the call has gone forth, "Rise Up, stand forth in the midst."

An older woman was in a local hospital in grave condition. She had not spoken for weeks, and the doctors expressed little hope for her recovery. Her brother Jerry, a family friend, urgently requested that we come up and pray for her. However, since the hospital regulations would allow for only family members in her room, we had to decline. We encouraged him, though, that he could sit with her and read healing scriptures from the Bible; that God was no respecter of persons, and that God would honor his faith-filled prayers as surely as He would honor ours. Jerry could have received our answer as a defeat and just released his sister to die, but instead, he accepted the assignment and sat all night at his sister's bedside praying and reading Bible scriptures to her even though she was unresponsive to his presence. He called us bright and early the next morning to report excitedly that his sister was now awake, alert, and speaking! She left the hospital within a few days and returned home healed. Jerry was not a "minister" in the world's sense - he was an electrician who had never seen such a miraculous answer to prayer, but the Lord used him mightily. God will do the same for and through anybody who will accept His call to Rise Up. Jerry had been

willing to rise up in the midst and stretch forth his hand (in this case, his voice), and God used him mightily.

We are in the Hebrew year of 5785, and numbers in Hebrew carry meaning: Pey (80) connotes *voice*, and Hey (5) connotes *grace*. That grace is two-fold: we have received grace and authority in Yeshua to **ascend** His holy hill and to speak His words of victory over every area of life. Likewise, we have received grace to **ascend** to the demonic high places to tear down the devil's kingdom and remove his influence over our own life and the lives of our loved ones, church, community, and nation. We exercise that grace with our voice, through prayer and praise, decreeing and declaring God's word over every situation and binding or loosing all that would come against us as the bride of Christ. **"Verily I say unto you, whatsoever ye shall bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever ye shall loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Matthew 18:18).**

Also, recorded in Zechariah 4:7 is the word of the Lord that came to Zerubbabel: **"Who art thou, O great mountain? Before Zerubbabel thou shalt become a plain: and he shall bring forth the headstone thereof with shoutings, crying, Grace, grace unto."** In our authority in Yeshua, we therefore rise up and cry grace to every obstacle in our path, be it lack of finances, family disfunction, depression, closed doors of ministry, health issues, or anything that would exalt itself against the knowledge of Christ. As we do so, that mountain shall become a plain. Our victory is assured by the blood of Yeshua, and we shall not be defeated!

We rise up by going deeper into a place of surrender. It is at that point we begin to see and hear the Lord's instruction and direction on how we are to proceed. As Lana Vawser has noted, it is as we move deeper into that place of yielding that we are going to begin to see from a higher perspective what God has been doing, what He is doing, and what He is about to do. That is an exciting prospect! If we will but empty ourselves of all that would hinder Him from flowing through us as His vessels and are willing to rise up and stand forth in the midst, He will use even us common folk for His honor and glory! That is the challenge before each of us in this hour. An awesome move of God's power and Spirit in our generation is manifesting soon. It will come through His body arising in the earth & stretching forth its hand to heal. God's promises are yea and amen and settled forever in Heaven. For those who heed His call, the rewards will be great.

### **Pray with me:**

"Lord, we thank you that we are your children; that you love us deeply, and that you desire for us to express our identity and our authority as children of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. You have given us weapons of our warfare that are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds; that by the name of Yeshua and through the power of His blood, You have given us authority over all the ability of the devil (see Lk 10:19). We choose, therefore, to rise up and stand forth in the midst



of this crooked and perverse generation; to arise and shine forth Your light and Your glory, such that the world will know we have been with Yeshua. We choose to stand forth as Esther in the presence of her king, and we refuse to bow to the world system in thought, action, or priorities. We choose to step up to the next level in our faith and to walk in the super-supernatural realm; no longer in the natural realm. You alone are God, and You alone will we follow. We thank You that You are redeeming this nation and every situation we may be facing, and You are using Your children, as we fully yield to You, for Your honor and glory. In Yeshua's name, Amen."

**Kislev 3, 5785: Wednesday-December 4, 2024**

**Yvon Attia: A Month of Sudden, Divine Catapulting**



As December (the twelfth month) was approaching, my heart was filling with excitement, anticipation, and joy. I have studied the prophetic meaning of the number twelve, and I know that it holds significant prophetic and symbolic meaning throughout the Bible. It is often associated with divine government, authority, completeness, and God's covenantal promises. It represents God's structured and organized rule over creation, particularly in relation to His people. In a prophetic sense, the number twelve can indicate God's order, the fulfillment of promises, or the establishment of a kingdom (Revelation 21:12–14).

However, during prayer, the Lord released a specific word regarding this month. First, my husband received the word "suddenly," and after a few days I received the word "immediately." As we prayed together about God's prophetic word for December, we both knew in our hearts that whatever God was about to do was not going to be gradual; it would be immediate and sudden. Furthermore, I heard a word which I never use in my vocabulary, and I knew it was the Lord. I heard "catapult," and I knew in my spirit that December would be a month of sudden, divine catapulting.

The prophetic meaning of "catapult" refers to a sudden or dramatic rise, launch, or lift—often implying a rapid or unexpected movement from one situation or position to another, typically to a much higher or more successful one. It means to suddenly or dramatically launch someone or something into a new position or situation. For example, "The discovery catapulted her career to new heights."

When something or someone is described as being "catapulted," it suggests that they have been propelled upward quickly and with great force, often in a way that seems sudden or comes without warning.

I heard the Lord say, "December will be a month of 'sudden catapult.'" There will be a sudden shift in purposes, destinies, and callings. But the "sudden catapult" will be in both directions. Some will be propelled and catapulted upward, while others who have been rebellious will be catapulted downward. They will catapult downward at a great speed; despite whatever heights they think they've reached. **It's a month of catapulting, and it will happen *suddenly*.**

You will see a sudden catapulting in areas like government and the music industry, but more so in the Church, because judgment begins with the house of God. This will not be gradual, but a sudden drop. Many in December will face a challenge, and the challenge will be an opportunity for God to suddenly catapult them.

### **The Sudden Fall of Ananias, Sapphira, and Uzziah**

The Lord began to remind me of those who suddenly catapulted downward because of their deceit and pride. A great example of this is the account of Ananias and Sapphira in Acts 5:1–11. They both intentionally tried to deceive the apostles by lying about the amount of money they had received from selling property. They pretended to donate the entire sum, while secretly keeping part of it for themselves.

Peter said to Ananias, "... **'Ananias, how is it that satan has so filled your heart that you have lied to the Holy Spirit and have kept for yourself some of the**

**money you received for the land? Didn't it belong to you before it was sold? And after it was sold, wasn't the money at your disposal? What made you think of doing such a thing? You have not lied just to human beings but to God"** (Acts 5:3–4). Immediately, he was struck dead by the Holy Spirit, and shortly afterward his wife Sapphira, who had also lied, met the same fate.

King Uzziah of Judah is another great example of someone who was suddenly catapulted downward. He enjoyed a long and prosperous reign, marked by military victories and national prosperity. However, his downfall came when he became prideful and tried to take over the role of the priests. In a moment of arrogance, he entered the temple of the Lord to burn incense, a duty reserved solely for the priests. When the high priest, Azariah, and eighty other priests confronted him, Uzziah became enraged and refused to repent. As a consequence, God struck him with leprosy, and he was cast out of the palace and lived in isolation for the rest of his life.

Uzziah's fall was sudden and devastating; he turned from being a king with great power to one with a cursed and isolated existence. The Bible tells us that **"after Uzziah became powerful, his pride led to his downfall. He was unfaithful to the LORD his God, and entered the temple of the LORD to burn incense on the altar of incense" (2 Chronicles 26:16).**

### **Catapulted Downward**

Furthermore, many will be suddenly catapulted in the music industry. The story of Lucifer, who was a musician, represents the ultimate "catapulting downward" from a position of great beauty, honor, and closeness to God to one of destruction and eternal punishment. Lucifer was once a high-ranking angel in Heaven, created perfect and full of wisdom. However, his pride led him to the desire to elevate himself above God, which resulted in his fall from Heaven.

Isaiah and Ezekiel both describe the pride and arrogance that led to Lucifer's downfall, where he sought to "ascend" above the heavens and take the throne of God, but instead he was catapulted downward to the earth. **"How you have fallen from Heaven, morning star, son of the dawn! You have been cast down to the earth, you who once laid low the nations!" (Isaiah 14:12).**

### **Catapulted Upward**

On the other side, many of God's remnant are about to be suddenly catapulted upward by God's grace and divine power. The challenges that are being faced will become the

opportunities that will suddenly allow them to experience this "catapulting" into a new realm of glory.

The Holy Spirit highlighted to me the story of the woman with the issue of blood in Mark 5. The Bible clearly describes how she had suffered a great deal from constant bleeding. She had suffered under the care of many doctors and her condition had only continued to catapult downward. She went from bad to worse. She'd heard of Jesus but was facing a huge challenge. How could she get to Him? Those who were bleeding were considered defiled, and they also defiled whomever they touched (Leviticus 15:19–22). The woman was not allowed to touch Jesus.

Furthermore, Jesus was on His way to heal the dying daughter of Jairus, the leader of the synagogue (Mark 5:22–23). The crowd was pressing around Him and there was no way for her to get to Him. Amazingly, she did not give up but did the unthinkable. She came up behind Him through the crowd and touched His robe. **"For she thought to herself, 'If I can just touch His robe, I will be healed'" (Mark 5:28).**

The moment she took up the challenge, the Bible tells us, "Immediately the bleeding stopped, and she could feel in her body that she had been healed of her terrible condition" (Mark 5:29). In other words, immediately, her health suddenly catapulted in the opposite direction. At first, it was going downward, but one touch from the King changed the direction of this catapulting.

I heard the Lord prophetically say, "The bleeding is about to stop." Many have been bleeding and wasting away. Many have been drained of so much. But the Holy Spirit is changing the direction of the catapulting. The Lord responded to her faith, not just her need, and I believe that He will be doing the same for many who will put their trust in Him and take up the challenge.

Joseph's story is a classic example of a "catapulted" rise in status. Sold into slavery by his brothers, Joseph faced years of hardship. However, after interpreting Pharaoh's dream, he was suddenly promoted from being a prisoner to the second-in-command of Egypt, overseeing the entire land and preparing for the coming famine. His rise was swift and unexpected, essentially catapulting him from the position of a lowly status to the position of great power and influence.

**"So Pharaoh said to Joseph, 'I hereby put you in charge of the whole land of Egypt.'" (Genesis 41:41)**

David's defeat of Goliath, for instance, was a moment that immediately catapulted him into the public eye and a rapid rise in popularity, eventually leading to him becoming the king of Israel. **1 Samuel 17:50 tells us, "So David triumphed over the Philistine with a sling and a stone; without a sword in his hand he struck down the Philistine and killed him."**

**The story of Esther is another great example of a sudden catapulting. Haman, who was second in charge, set in his heart on destroying the Jews.**



A decree was written and signed by the king. Esther's uncle notified her and asked her to do an impossible challenge, that is to go to the king and plead for the life of her people. Esther was distressed and said, **"Anyone who appears before the king in his inner court without being invited is doomed to die unless the king holds out his gold scepter. And the king has not called for me to come to him for thirty days" (Esther 4:11).** Yet she took up the challenge and risked her life to save her people. Her authority suddenly catapulted, and the Lord gave her so much favor in the eyes of the king. *(Photo via Piquesels)*

The Bible is filled with examples of God suddenly catapulting His people.

The most profound and spiritually significant "catapulting" in the Bible is the resurrection of Jesus Christ. After His crucifixion, Jesus was resurrected, and His elevation was not just to a political or social position, but to a place of eternal glory at the right hand of God. His resurrection and ascension represent the ultimate form of divine elevation, where He was catapulted into an exalted state—from suffering and death to ruling as King of kings.

I believe December will be that type of month for so many.

### **Prophetic Word of the Lord for December**

The Lord says, "December will be a month of 'sudden catapulting,' a sudden catapulting which will go both ways. It will be sudden, swift, and dramatic. It will be marked by a challenge which is designed to catapult My faithful people and propel them up.

"At the same time, you will watch and see the arrogant suddenly, and without introduction, catapult downward. This will happen in different areas, but more so in the Church, for judgment will begin with the house of God.

"Those who choose to deceive, cover up, and lie—and lie to the Holy Spirit—they will drop from grace; they will catapult downward suddenly, following satan, their leader, the morning star who fell from Heaven and was cast down.

"This is a month of exposure, and those who think that they are powerful in their own eyes will be the first to suddenly be catapulted downward. But not so with My people. They will suddenly be catapulted in the opposite direction. For they were born for such a time as this, and the challenge they are facing is not for their demise, [but] rather for a sudden 'catapult' into a new realm of glory.

**"David did not know that defeating Goliath was the event which would immediately catapult him into the public eye and make the Israelites shout, 'Saul has killed his thousands, but David his tens of thousands!' (1 Samuel 18:7).**

"Esther did not know that the challenge to enter into the king's court was going to suddenly catapult her authority and get her to save her people.

"Joseph did not know that interpreting Pharaoh's dream would suddenly catapult him from the prison to the palace, and prepare him for the coming famine.

**"This is a month where there will be a sudden catapulting in health. Many will get healed hearing this, for I will cut off the flow of sickness in your body.** The bleeding will stop, and the gradual downward catapulting will change direction to suddenly shoot upward.

"Therefore, I say to you that in December I will make all grace abound to you. My grace will catapult towards you, suddenly and in greater measure, for I have unfinished business with you.

"This is not a month to close the books or slow down, [but] rather to release a greater measure of My resurrection power, My dunamis power, to catapult My grace towards you. It will suddenly open up locked gates. It will be a month of extraordinary miracles. Although your enemy prowls like a roaring lion, those roars are empty and his teeth have been knocked out. Therefore, hear My promise to you: December shall be a month of sudden catapulting, where you will find yourself propelled by My Spirit. And

the challenge that you're facing right now will be the opportunity which I will use. Face it with courage and get ready for a month of divine catapulting."

**Kislev 4, 5785: Thursday-December 5, 2024**

**Lana Vawser Ministries**

**I HEARD THE LORD SAY 'STEP UP, STEP UP! DO NOT TARRY! STEP UP AND PUSH BACK THE ATTACK OF FEAR' from *November 18, 2024***

Recently, I heard the Lord say. 'Step up, step up! Do not tarry! Step up and push back the attack of fear. As the Lord spoke these words, there was a strong sense upon me that there are things that the Lord has been asking many to step into, but they were tangled and tethered to TARRYING!

TARRYING DEFINITION: to stay longer than intended, delay leaving a place.  
Synonyms: to loiter, procrastinate, pause, linger, delay, wait, lag, dawdle (Google)

As I leaned into the Lord and listened, I could feel a sense of urgency in the atmosphere around obedience. It was a sense of the seriousness of the hour in which we are living in. It was then that I heard the Lord say:

'I am looking for IMMEDIATE obedience.'

As I continued to lean in and listen to the Lord, I heard:

'My people, arise! ARISE! There are many that are dancing with tarrying, and I am calling you to arise out of your tarrying and to move in what I am calling you to move into and where I am leading you. There are many that have been lured into tarrying by the cares of this world and by the weariness they have felt. There has been a violent assault of fear and anxiety against many recently, and it is causing many to feel hesitant in their obedience to step out and follow where I am leading and move on My voice. This fear and anxiety has come in such intensity that it has begun to cause many to doubt whether they even heard My voice in the first place. I say unto you, My people, that much of what you have endured recently has been the turbulence caused by the enemy at the gates and at thresholds that I have for you to move through and cross over.

'I say unto you, that there is a grace you have not known before that is before you in this season to do what you never thought you would do in Me, and to see My Spirit move through you in ways you never imagined. I say unto you, that INTIMIDATION has been knocking at your door, but the truth is, as you lean into Me and listen to what I am speaking, I am bringing you into some of the greatest days of INSIGHT that you

have ever known. As you come to Me in humility and seek Me, I am giving you an increase of spiritual SIGHT to see what has been coming against you and what has been attempting to hinder your movement.

'I say unto you, arise and step up and out of tarrying. There is a fresh boldness and courage that I am releasing that is found in Me and walked in as you step out and into all that I am calling you to. I say unto you, do not tolerate or entertain tarrying or procrastination: worship Me with your obedience and arise and step up into the new things I am calling you to step up and into, and move forward on My Word and leading.

'For the winds of My Spirit are increasing and blowing ferociously in this hour, and as My winds blow, the chaff is coming to the surface, and one of the areas I am bringing to the surface in this hour is the place of delayed obedience and procrastination. My people, what I am inviting you into with Me and in Me, in this hour, is the most glorious move of My Spirit that you have ever seen and been a part of. I am bringing you into days of glory, days of seeing My Glory and My Spirit poured out that is beyond your comprehension.

**'For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea.' Habakkuk 2:14 (ESV)**

'I am raising up a people in this hour who LINGER and TARRY in My presence like Joshua did (Ex 33:11) but I am NOT raising up a people in this hour who linger and tarry with their obedience. My people, these are the days where I am restoring the bold, unapologetic, unrestrained obedience to My Church. My people, I am on the move, and I am inviting you to come with Me. I am inviting you to be part of the greatest move of My Spirit that you have ever seen in your life and in the earth. There are many of you that are finding yourself in a deep valley of tarrying and a deep valley of decision and the hour is urgent. I have drawn a line in the sand, and I have been calling and calling to you, My people, that this is the hour to be ALL IN.

'I am calling for deep, radical abandonment to Me and a yielding and a surrender that, yes, is deeper than you have known before—but the reward of your surrender, the reward of your obedience is ME and My presence and being where I am and being part of what I am doing in the earth. This is the hour I am moving swiftly, and I am calling you to renounce your tarrying and come with Me. Do not be left behind as I move swiftly in the earth, and do not allow fear to contain you and hinder you from moving in obedience to Me. This is not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit (Zech 4:6). This is your greatest hour of deliverance from a spirit of fear, intimidation, and timidity as you continue to seek Me, trust Me, and watch as My Spirit awakens you more and more to who I am, who goes before you, who goes with you, and to My perfect love.



'I am the great I AM, and I go with you. I will fill your mouth. I will lead you. I will guide you. I have and will provide all for you. There is great grace before you, but you must decide to have a violent no toleration of fear, and follow Me. I am dealing with the causes of delayed obedience. I am exposing them and calling you OUT.'

As I continued to lean in and listen to the Lord, I heard the words:

'Listen, closely! Listen, closely! Listen, closely! CLARITY.'

The Lord continued to speak:

'Draw close in the quiet place and listen. Listen closely, for I have great and unsearchable things that you do not yet know, to reveal to you (Jeremiah 33:3) and there is great clarity awaiting you in this hour. I am speaking and revealing deep mysteries right now that are going to bring forth incredible clarity into your lives: and as you come to Me in humility and reverence, there is much wisdom I am giving to you for the days ahead. Do not SHY AWAY from My wisdom, do not SHY AWAY from the strategies I release to you and the paths of obedience I call you to walk down. For there is a new level of trusting Me and MY WAY, in this hour, in obedience to Me at a level you have not yet known. But, as you follow Me and MY WAY, you will not only begin to move in a greater realm of wisdom, in this hour, but you will partner with Me in the greatest moves of My Spirit you have ever been a part of.'

**Kislev 5, 5785: Friday-December 6, 2024**

**Lana Vawser Ministries**

**I HEARD THE LORD SAY 'I AM EXPOSING AND BRINGING DOWN EXALTED  
OPINION, AND EXALTING MY WISDOM'**

Recently I heard the Lord say, 'I am exposing and bringing down exalted opinion, and exalting My wisdom.'

OPINION definition: 'A view or judgment formed about something, not necessarily based on fact or knowledge.' (Google)

As I leaned in and listened to the Lord, I heard:

'My people, the exaltation of manmade opinion has become a form of worship in My Church. There are many who are exalting their own opinions and holding it as ultimate truth, and it is rooted in pride. I am bringing forth an exposing and a shaking to reveal

exalted opinion of man. I say unto you, these are the days where you will see My wisdom exalted and My truth exalted in ways you have never seen before. I say unto you, that I am moving swiftly in this hour to expose the exaltation of the opinion of man. I say unto you, if you continue to live deeply rooted in your own opinions and with a fortification within your opinion and living unteachable, you will not see My Glory. You will not see honor.'

I then heard these verses in the spirit:

**'The source of revelation-knowledge is found as you fall down in surrender before the Lord. Don't expect to see the Shekinah glory until the Lord sees your sincere humility.'** (Proverbs 15:33 TPT)

**'A man's heart is the proudest when his downfall is nearest, for he won't see glory until the Lord sees humility.'** (Proverbs 18:12 TPT)

**SPACE**

**'Before destruction a man's heart is haughty, but humility comes before honor.'** (Proverbs 18:12 ESV)

'I say unto you, My dealings are coming upon the opinions of man that are rooted in pride and the opinions of man that are masked as My revelation. I am dealing with the altar of pride-filled opinion in My Bride. I say unto you, My people, that in this hour I am calling you to a depth of humility and teachability in the spirit that you have not walked in before. I say unto you, that I am unraveling the deception that is flowing through deep-rooted, pride-filled opinion that comes in opposition to My Word and My ways.'

'As the Scripture says, **"Who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been able to give him advice? No one has ever given God anything that he must pay back. Yes, God made all things, and everything continues through him and for him. To him be the glory forever! Amen."** (Romans 11:34-36 NCV)

'I say unto you, My people, in this hour you must bring your opinions to Me and allow me to TEACH YOU. I say unto you, that the exaltation of pride-filled opinion in this hour in My Church has grieved me greatly. I say unto, that you have the mind of Christ (1 Corinthians 2:16) and I am inviting you higher into the place of hearing, receiving and perceiving My thoughts and knowing My mind.

'My fire is falling upon pride-filled opinion. My fire is increasing on pride-filled opinion. My fire is falling on the wildfire spread of man's opinion in this hour, and I am going to release unprecedented demonstrations and revelation of My wisdom in this hour to

those who will humble themselves, those who will ask for My wisdom (James 1:5), and those who will HUMBLE themselves under My mighty hand and My wisdom.

`I say unto you, My people, that much has been built in this hour on opinion rather than My Word, My leading and My unction. My fire is going to consume those places where much has been built on opinion, and I say unto you, My people, where opinion has been used as a weapon against one another, I am coming to deal with the injustices done within My Church rooted in and from pride-filled opinion that is not My heart and not My ways. I am calling you deeper, My Church, into My heart and into My Word. Humble yourselves and allow My Word and My revelation and My heart in this hour to REFINER YOU. I am raising up a victorious Church who stands in MY TRUTH and MY OPINION, which is ULTIMATE TRUTH.

`I say unto you, My people, I am drawing a line in the sand in this hour, and I am calling you, My people, to devote yourself completely to My opinion and My Word in humility. You must choose where you will live. Where deep-rooted pride keeps My people from the repentance of opinion that is against My Word, I will give you over to your opinions. Where you refuse to repent for pride-filled opinion and judgement, I say unto you, you will be pinned by your own opinions, unable to move forward into the new things I have for you. There is a maturing into My mysteries that I am bringing My Church into in this hour, and pride and holding onto and fighting for your own prideful opinions will prevent you from entering.

`The hour is urgent, and I am not raising up a Church rooted in her own opinions: I am raising up a Church that is branded and marked by My wisdom, lives in deep intimacy, and is teachable in heart. Where pride-filled opinion has done much destruction in My body, I am now bringing forth MY DEALINGS, and I am raising up a Church which is completely surrendered and devoted to seeing My Glory and MY wisdom exalted to the highest place in their lives and in the earth.

`I am calling you to stop dancing with your own opinions that are in opposition to My Word and My ways, and to allow Me to bring you deeper into the divine dance with My Spirit to LEARN My ways, KNOW My mind and see My wisdom exalted. My people, there is a greater dying to self-happening in this hour: to carry, receive and walk in My wisdom. Those who live and walk in the awe and wonder of who I am, walking with Me in great reverence, recognizing their NEED for My wisdom and the limitations of the human mind and heart and wisdom, and they cry out for wisdom and intercede for revelation and My insight, these ones will arise in the earth in this hour, carrying My wisdom and strategy in unprecedented ways.

I am looking for those who will treasure My wisdom, and there are many in this hour who treasure their own wisdom and opinion above mine. I am calling you to allow My Spirit to examine you deeply and your opinions (Psalm 139:23-24) and allow a deeper refining to happen in the place of repentance. I have GIVEN YOU My mind (1 Corinthians 2:16), yet many continue to choose to walk in and delight in the ways of their own minds. My people, do you perceive the weight of the invitation before you in this hour to walk in My wisdom and walk in the mind of Christ? Wake up, My people: be AWAKENED to the depth and urgency of this season to hear, receive and walk in MY WISDOM. I am calling you deeper into surrender, deeper into humility to KNOW My ways and KNOW My mind, and oh, My Glory that they shall carry and see in their midst, in the outworking of My wisdom and My ways.'

**Kislev 6, 5785: Saturday-December 7, 2024**

**Dutch Sheets**

**NOVEMBER 20, 2024**

**People of Passion**

***"Be enthusiastic to serve the Lord, keeping your passion toward Him boiling hot! Radiate with the glow of the Holy Spirit and let Him fill you with excitement as you serve Him."* (Romans 12:11 TPT)**

God loves wholeheartedness. Divided and lukewarm hearts, on the other hand, nauseate Him (see Revelation 3:15-16). He refuses to tolerate indifference. Yahweh epitomizes passion and offers to share His passionate heart with us. If we are going to turn America back to Him, we must be a people of *passion*.

King David was a man of passion. When listening to Goliath mock the Lord, David quickly reached his threshold. "Who is this guy to curse the living God in the name of his false gods?" David asked. Then he asked the poignant and loaded question ***"Is there not a cause?"*** (1 Samuel 17:29 KJV).

Through this rhetorical question, David declared, *the ramifications of this threat are bigger than just our nation, Israel; they're more important than our land and even our lives. God's reputation is at stake!* Perhaps this is why David actually ran to face the 9½-foot-tall giant. Death was possible, yes, but David's passion for God was stronger than his fear of death.

God is raising up Davids in our day who will run to face today's spiritual giants – the forces of evil opposing Him and His purposes. They are willing to lay their lives down for His cause. I believe passionate warriors such as this are on the increase. Though they will never be in the majority, there will be enough. God will empower them, just as He did David, and they will prevail.

David refused to outgrow his youthful passion. Years later, he was still passionate about God. As the Ark of God's presence (abandoned and ignored during Saul's reign) was being brought to Jerusalem, David threw off his kingly robes, laid aside his royal pomp and dignity, and danced wildly (see 2 Samuel 6:14; 1 Chronicles 15:29). He was celebrating the fact that God's presence was coming home where it belonged. I love it!

David's wife Michal, however – like her father, Saul – was not a worshiper and certainly wasn't passionate about God; she liked neither David's passion nor his humility. Michal actually *mocked* his zeal and lack of dignity. Incidentally, dignity over passion is still quite appropriate in most worship services.

What was David's response to Michal? *You haven't seen anything yet!* He stated, ***"I will be much more undignified than this!" (2 Samuel 6:21-22).***

Passion for Christ must outweigh our pride and overcome our dignity. He and His cause must outweigh love of self.

And by the way, God's response to Michal's spiritual indifference and disdain for David's passion was much stronger than David's. The Lord sentenced her to barrenness – not wanting her nature passed on. That's pretty serious. Assuredly, God loves passion and loathes apathetic indifference.

### **A Prisoner of Love**

The Apostle Paul demonstrated great passion. "*The love of Christ controls us,*" he said, in describing his commitment to the cause of Christ (see 2 Corinthians 5:14). "Controls" (Greek: *sunecho*) is a word actually meaning "to be a prisoner."<sup>(1)</sup> God's passionate love had possessed Paul to the point that its hold was inescapable. Bound by love, Paul faced hunger, thirst, numerous beatings, imprisonment, and much more in his quest to preach the gospel. The need for pleasure and comfort didn't control him; passion for Christ's cause had enslaved him.

The Founders of America had extreme passion and were willing to die for the cause of freedom. "Give me liberty or give me death" was more than a slick campaign speech. When Patrick Henry made this now-famous statement, he was unequivocally stating, "I am willing to die for this cause." Look up his entire speech, and you'll see his unwavering passion for God and this nation.

## Passionate Until Death!

I have mentioned John Adams at other times, but it is appropriate to include him here, as well. Adams was such a passionate pioneer of liberty that Thomas Jefferson referred to him as a "colossus of independence."<sup>(2)</sup> Though the two of them didn't always see eye-to-eye, their passion for America enabled them to put aside their differences, and they died as close friends - on the same day - Independence Day!

Most people aren't aware that both Adams and Jefferson died on the 50th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1826!<sup>(3)</sup> Incredibly, it was as though both men willed themselves to live until that landmark day. Their passion to see the survival of this "holy experiment," as many described America at that time, kept them alive until this milestone was reached. Adams, too weak to attend the national Fourth of July celebration, asked to be sat in a chair by his window in order to observe the festivities. While there, he drifted into unconsciousness and died later that night. Two of Adams' last words before he graduated to heaven: "Independence forever."<sup>(4)</sup>

Passionate in life; passionate in death.

Adams and our other Founders were God-honoring pioneer-patriots with the steel of mind and heart to face perhaps the greatest empire in all of history. Like David, they asked the profound question, "Is there not a cause?" And they answered it with their lives.

We must ask the same question today. Is Christ's purpose for America – preaching the gospel to all the earth – important enough to live and die for? There are now millions of young people in the United States who have had their opportunity to know Christ stolen by ungodly educators, liberal politicians, legislating judges, and lukewarm preachers. Are not these young people worth our prayers and passion? How many more of them must die in gangs, school shootings, suicides, overdoses, drunken car accidents, and sex trafficking before the church of America has the courage and passion to stand up and shout, "ENOUGH!"

How many more babies must be murdered in the womb of their mothers? How many more children will be raised in fatherless homes? When will enough be enough?

Many are familiar with the movie *Braveheart*. At the end of this stirring film, the great warrior, William Wallace, is being tortured to death. He is offered mercy, however, if he will renounce his quest for freedom from England's tyranny. Wallace's answer to their offer was a thunderous roar that rang from the depths of his passionate, warrior heart: "FREEDOM!!!"

Wallace's passion and commitment, even in death, inspired a nation to fight and gain their freedom. Like him, I hope my shout is still heard when my mouth is silenced by the grave. And I, too, would like it to provoke passion and action.

Ask God for passion!

**Pray with me:**

Father, with passionate hearts, we cry out for revival. With passionate hearts we cry out for a presence movement to sweep the earth. With passionate hearts we ask You for the greatest harvest ever – by far – of people coming out of death into life. With passionate hearts, we ask You to set captives free, open prison doors, and heal the brokenhearted. With passionate hearts, we declare that America shall be saved, the earth will hear the gospel of the Kingdom, and the knowledge of the glory of the Lord will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea!

And Father, we ask for a de-escalation of the war between Ukraine and Russia, especially with Ukraine firing U.S.-made long-range missiles into Russia. As the rhetoric intensifies, mentioning nuclear war and WW3, we ask for Your supernatural intervention to stop this. Bring peace to that region and to the Middle East.

And finally, we ask for wisdom to our President-Elect Trump and his team as they prepare for the future. All of this we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen

**Our decree:**

With passionate hearts, we declare that the "burning ones," those with hearts aflame, are arising on the earth.

**Kislev 7, 5785: Sunday-December 8, 2024**

**Andrew Whalen: Annulling the Death Covenant of 2030**

[**Editor's note:** Below are the notes that Andrew Whalen shared from during his recent interview on ElijahStreams.]

**Demolishing Systemic Witchcraft**

In prayer recently, I heard the Lord Say, "You haven't heard the phrase 'systemic witchcraft,' but it's what I'm demolishing now!" I knew when I heard this that God was taking great mercy on this generation because of the witchcraft intentionally built into the systems of our lives.

Systemic witchcraft is the operation and use of witchcraft within and relating to policy, practice, or a set of beliefs that have been established as normative or customary throughout a political, social, economic system.

In other words, the use of witchcraft has intentionally been infused into the interconnected systems pertaining to the whole of society.

**God is dismantling the scepter of wickedness and  
witchcraft from our land!**

**"For the scepter of wickedness shall not rest on the land allotted to the righteous, lest the righteous reach out their hands to inquiry." (Psalm 125:3)**

**Trinity of Evil**

**"Let no one be found among you who sacrifices their son or daughter in the fire, who practices divination or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft..." (Deuteronomy 18:10)**

- Divination: Hebrew *qasam* (Strong's 7080)/*qesem*(Strong's 7081) = "to divine"/"conjure" (false word/narrative)
- Sorcery: Hebrew *kashaph* (Strong's 3784) = "to whisper a spell, to enchant, practise magic" (spiritual power, drugs, potions)
- Witchcraft: Hebrew *nachash* (Strong's 5172) = "to hiss, whisper a, spell, to prognosticate" (control)

Here's a "word picture" of how these three evil crafts work: consider music as a pill.

Divination: Lies, evil narratives/false words.

Sorcery: The demonically charged music/the magical power that injects the false word.

Witchcraft: The motivation behind these evils—to hiss/bring people under the control of satan.

**Doom for Touching the Children  
(Excerpt from Andrew Whalen's book,  
"Dreams to Save a Nation," Day Six)**



January 1, 2023:

*Lying in bed, I clearly heard the Lord say, "The nations have not understood the structures of witchcraft governing from secret." After a little while of pondering what I had heard, I suddenly heard the Holy Spirit say, "I am coming to destroy the scepter of the wicked for the sake of the children." Then I fell asleep and went into a dream.*

*In my dream, I had covertly infiltrated a witches' coven that looked more like a fancy hotel with a conference center. None of the so-called witches looked like I thought they would. In fact, most of them were very polished, sharp, and professional. In the dream, the main witch, who was the host, had the whole coven watch a video explaining how they intended to corrupt, defile, and then bring the younger generations of the nations under the spell of their "queen" and "king," whom I knew to be satanic rulers in the heavens.*



*In the video that was shown, the main thing taught to the witches was that the key to putting a spell of control over the young generations was to slowly scrub the internet, libraries, and movie vaults of all pure, wholesome, and clean entertainment. They were taught to only make entertainment that showed some form of witchcraft in an acceptable light, along with subtle imagery and acceptance of sexual perversions. The video showed a future where people who wanted to find wholesome and pure*

*entertainment to watch with their children could no longer find it, and so they had to compromise with subtle allowances of sexually charged and demonically infused entertainment. (Photo via PickPik)*

*At this point in the dream, I was very upset as I was thinking of all the children they are seeking to defile! I walked up to the head witch, who didn't yet know I wasn't one of them. She looked at me, expecting my approval of all that I had just seen, but I looked back and said, "What you don't know is that I have been sent here by Jesus Christ, and now you will suffer His fury for touching His children."*

*I woke up from several alarms on my phone, which were amber alerts, notifying me of children being kidnapped. I knew the Lord was shouting and saying, "It is time to wake up on behalf of the children!"*

### **Satan's Assets in Healthcare**

Dream received on August 15, 2021:

In my dream, I saw a high-level satanist, Anton LaVey (founder of the church of satan and author of the satanic bible), who is now deceased. However, in my dream he was alive and packaging health products for people. I saw that these were being sent out in bundles (multiple products in one delivery). I looked at the return address—where it was sent from—and sure enough, all products had been handled and shipped from Anton LaVey.

Next in the dream, I opened the package. I could feel the battle raging over my mind as if the witchcraft of fear was empowering a desire to take the products. The labels and the messaging of these products all seemed to assert that taking these products would be very good and beneficial for our health.

However, I knew that two things were certain. Firstly, I knew in the dream that because they had been handled by a satanic asset, these products had been given a curse attachment through ritualistic witchcraft. Secondly, I knew in the dream that what had been infused into the product and hidden within was actually poisonous for the body. So, I realized that these products were like a vaccine that would harm people.

Faith suddenly rose up within me and I said, "**Greater is He that is in me.**" I then placed my hands on these products, and I watched as power from the Holy Spirit coursed through my hands to neutralize all effects of the curse, and the poison.

End of dream.

### **Annuling the Death Covenant of 2030**

Word of the Lord received on November 18, 2024:

Talking to God exposes one to unfiltered truth!

Last night, I was eating cereal (a kind that had fewer ingredients than most) and pondering how so much junk made it into the cereals we eat and the food we

consume. Then I heard the Lord say, "It was because of agenda 2030; the kings of the earth made a covenant with death."

I inquired further and asked for more understanding. I heard the Lord say, "Those willing to compromise and kill rose to the top to become the gatekeepers of their respective industries. They shook hands with death to depopulate the earth."

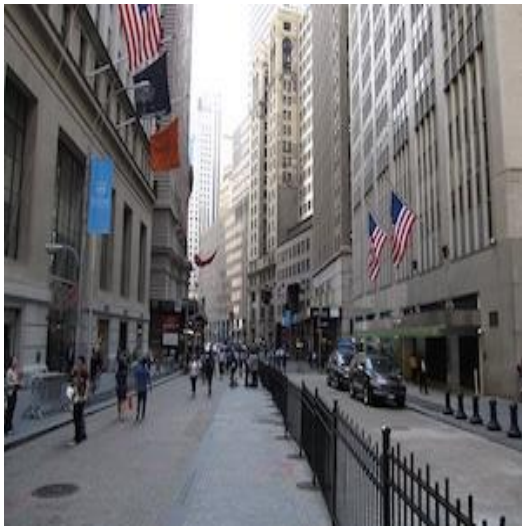
Waiting for a moment, I heard Him say, "For the sake of My people, these days have been cut short. For I am now releasing My wrath against satan and his works! He has come to kill, steal, and destroy, but I have come to bring life and that abundantly. **I am annulling the death covenant of 2030.**"

### **Kelly's Dream**

My wife, Kelly, received this dream in 2019:

In her dream, she heard, "Go to' NEW YORK to make war over the financial deal."

The specific place Kelly was told to go to was a town we hadn't heard of. Looking it up, we realized it was actually a town in New York State. In Kelly's dream, she saw that I was praying at a university. Sure enough, there was one there.



A covenant friend and I flew to New York City and went to the financial district where the bank holding back the deal was located. The Lord said, "March around this institution seven times and decree the garrison of angels to break the work of witchcraft and the thief over this financial deal." (*Photo via Flickr*)

We obeyed and then needed to eat. We walked into a restaurant across the street from the financial institution. On our way in, we looked across to the other corner and saw a place called "Witchcraft" directly facing this

institution. Upon walking into our restaurant, we heard a song playing called "The Angels Are on the Move." We knew this was a divine encounter.

Next, we drove three hours to the city shown in my wife's dream. Upon arriving at the campus, the Lord said, "Go buy a book on the history of this place." We bought it at the campus bookstore. The first page we opened up to said, "This

institution was established through masonic ritual. Money from the banks in NYC were placed within the cornerstone and it was laid during the ritual."

We were shocked and knew at that moment we had been on a Holy-Spirit-guided treasure hunt designed to uncover the witchcraft empowering the thief of this financial breakthrough.

That night we made war in prayer for several hours against the witchcraft holding back the deal. We decreed that the investor who went silent for six months without a trace would now be released from the power of this financial witchcraft to fulfill the call of God on him to sow! Sure enough, that very next morning, the first call came in from this man who could not be located or connected with previously, and he recommitted to making sure a team of lawyers would now oversee the financial transaction.

### **The Accuser Must Repay**

Dream received in 2019:

In my dream, I was brought before the courts of Heaven by an accuser. The accuser had a very large and condemning list of crimes that I was guilty of. I realized that the accusations against me were somehow true, and I wept before the court, admitting my guilt.

One thing I realized is that, in Heaven, sins are magnified. I was being charged with murder and adultery for things such as lust, gossip, and hatred. It is exactly as Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5). Lust is seen as adultery, hatred as murder, and so on.

In my dream, as I stood before the judge, weeping and acknowledging my guilt, suddenly, my Advocate rose to my defense. He said, "It is true what this accuser has said about Andrew—he is guilty. However, when Andrew was committing these crimes, his accuser had put him under witchcraft."

**With intense anger, the Judge rose to His feet, pointed at my accuser, and said, "Because you put him under witchcraft, you will be held guilty for his crimes, and must repay sevenfold what you stole" (Proverbs 6:31).**

The appointments that Trump is now selecting to positions of power are a sign that this is going to begin to take place. One example is RFK Jr.

**In conclusion, I believe God is now demolishing the systemic witchcraft in the seven mountains!**

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**IDH ANNOUNCEMENT: "PROPHECY TO 2025!"**

**I Decree: It's time for The Remnant to arise and Prophecy to 2025!**

I Declare: 2025 will be a year to Thrive, to be revived and to be established in the Divine Plan and Purposes of God.

As we Prophecy into 2025, it will pave the way, and it will build and establish a highway for a greater manifestation of Signs, Wonders and Miracles in the year ahead.

**2025 / 5785**

There is a Call to Come up Higher, to Ascend the Mountain of The LORD, to Come into a deeper place of Intimacy and Divine Encounter with His Presence.

Furthermore, the **Year 5785** is symbolized by the Hebrew letter "hey" (ה), the fifth letter of the Hebrew alphabet, which the shape of the Hebrew letter resembles an "open window" or an open space.

There is an invitation from Heaven in this hour to **look through and see** things from God's Redemptive and Restorative perspective for The Nations.

**2025 / (5)78(5)** will hold special and powerful Prophetic significance, as the New Year begins and ends with the number Five (5).

In Biblical symbolism, the number Five (5) represents **Grace** — God’s unmerited favor, and Divine Empowerment.

So, as we advance into the New Year, the Prophetic Significance of the number Five (5) will speak prophetically to God’s Abundance, His Unmerited Favor, and His Divine Empowerment to overcome every obstacle.

Moreover, the number Five (5) also signifies the **Five-fold Ministry**.

God is beginning to bring a Greater Alignment within The Body of Christ, for the Reformation of The Five-Fold, and the Rise of Kingdom Reformers in The Nations of the Earth!

See **Ephesians 4:11** — Apostles, Prophets, Evangelists, Pastors, and Teachers!

In this hour, we are being Supernaturally Equipped, Empowered and Divinely Enabled as a Mighty Remnant Army to War from the Deeper Realms and Dimensions of His Glory and Revelation for Divine Restoration and Reformation within Nations.

So, prepare your hearts and Come with a Fresh Word of The LORD in your Mouth, and **by Faith**, let us put a demand on the Power of God for a greater Manifestation of Healing, Restoration and Revival in our Nation!

I Decree, **2025 / 5785** will be marked by God’s Supernatural Favour, Increase and Overflow for **Kingdom Advancement and Expansion** on the Earth!

***"And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ," Ephesians 4:11-12.***

**Kislev 9, 5785: Tuesday-December 10, 2024**  
**Pat Frances: Prayer Is Conversation with God**

**"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints." (Eph. 6:18).**

We are told to pray always, with all kinds of prayers and for all kinds of requests. This means that prayer is to be a lifestyle. Prayer includes worship, thanksgiving, asking, and ending with thanksgiving. Prayer is conversation with God and it can be anywhere at any time and at any place.

Prayer is not complicated, but it requires commitment. It takes commitment to spend quality time with your family. It takes commitment to finish what you have started, and it takes commitment to strengthen your relationship with God through prayer.

We are encouraged to pray about all kinds of requests – anything at anytime and anywhere. God wants to hear from you, and He also has some things to say to you if you have time to listen. God is willing to be your Coach, Teacher, Encourager and Trainer. We are told to: **“Pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” (1 Thess. 5:17, 18)**. As you go through the journey, remember that help from God is only a prayer away.

**Kingdom Declaration:**

I pray, listen and obey as each day I live, work and rest in the grace of God.

Read the Bible in One Year: Ezekiel 24-26; 1 Peter 2.

**Kislev 10, 5785: Wednesday-December 11, 2024**

**Sara Whitten: The Wilderness Is for Words**



## What Is a Wilderness Season?

What is a wilderness season? When we think of "wilderness" what comes to mind is an area that is unfamiliar, uncomfortable, and uncertain. There are no maps, trails, or human conveniences built in. A wilderness is any land that has not been modified or cultivated. It hasn't yet been settled or borne fruit.

In the spirit, this translates to a season in which we are in unfamiliar territory. The path ahead is uncharted, and we are without the comforts we typically lean on. It can be a rugged place where we feel unprepared, or unequipped. It can also tend to feel punishing, though we find in Scripture that the wilderness is actually not a bad thing.

## The Wilderness Precedes the Promise

If you're in a wilderness season, while it might not feel like good things are right around the corner, it's important to remember that, in the natural, any land that will one day be fruitful or populated first starts as a wilderness. In fact, if we wield the words we're given by the Lord, the wilderness precedes the promise.

**The wilderness can have three effects: it can work on us, it can work for us, or it can work against us.** The first two are the reasons why the Lord leads us into wilderness seasons. The third (the wilderness working against us) is what happens when we fail to wield the words of the Lord.

## An Invitation to Intimacy

First, if you're in a wilderness season, draw your attention to the ways the Lord is working *on* you. The Israelites had a God-appointed wilderness time of training to be prepared to enter the Promised Land. *(Photo via Unsplash)*

There is often a preparation happening that comes in the form of teaching and testing. The "teaching" is the Lord revealing His words to us or reminding us of things He has already spoken. The "testing" is an opportunity to lean on those words and see





the goodness of God and the truth of His Word. Through personal experience, this solidifies these truths in us.

For the Israelites who were still under the old covenant, the words given to them in the wilderness (the commandments), were an invitation to draw near to the Lord and a blueprint for fruitful living. **Our own personal wilderness functions the same way; it is an invitation to a new level of intimacy with the Lord and the blueprint needed for what will be fruitful in future seasons, if we listen and obey those words He is seeding in our hearts now.**

### **Don't Miss the Wilderness Blessings**

Second, begin praising God for the work the wilderness does *for* us. In the temptation of Jesus, we see that **"Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness for forty days..." (Luke 4:1–2)**. While this was a place in which the enemy tried to tempt Him, it was also a place where He got to be alone, just after a powerful, anointed baptism, and just before launching His world-changing ministry.

**The wilderness has the potential to be a place of affirming connection to the Lord and standing on His words.** It is only when we step away from other voices and all of our "normal," that we can truly lean on the Word. What a gift that is! It also was the place where angels ministered to Jesus. In the midst of the sneers of the enemy, let us not lose track of the "ministering angel" moments that meet us in the wilderness.

### **Don't Compromise!**

Finally, we must be aware of the ways the enemy wants to work the wilderness season against us. I think of Abram. **In Genesis 12:1, "The LORD had said to Abram, 'Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you.'"**

Talk about a call into the unknown! Yet God followed it up with these powerful words Abram would wield for decades to come: **"I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on Earth will be blessed through you" (Genesis 12:2–3)**. As he went to that new land, he experienced disagreements with Lot, childlessness, and ultimately succumbed to the temptation that maybe

God wasn't going to fulfill His promise. We see that compromise in the conception of Ishmael. That same temptation kept most of the Israelites from entering the Promised Land, because they saw the obstacles of the land as more real than God's promise that it would be theirs. Satan tried (unsuccessfully) to give the same bait to Jesus: *Do it yourself. Compromise. Quit. Take the shortcut. Don't do the hard thing. Don't trust God.*

Jesus responded, however, by wielding the words He had been given. **When we pick up the words He has given us without compromise, without quitting, without taking the shortcut, and without doubting God's goodness or ability, we will come out of the wilderness ready to settle the land and bear fruit in the next season that the Lord has for us.**

### **Let the Wilderness Work for You**

If you're in the wilderness, here is some encouragement. God always ordains our time in the wilderness for a season. We are always meant to be there for a brief, time-limited stay. The Israelites only got stuck wandering there when they chose to give up on the ability of God and the truth of His promises. The purpose of this season is His Word. **When we take our eyes off of our opposition and refocus them on His Word and promises, the wilderness begins to work *for us* and *in us* instead of against us.** He is the living water, and when water flows in the wilderness, a desert becomes a garden.

Take some time with the Holy Spirit to ponder and ask these things:

- *What words are You giving me or reminding me of in this time?*
- *How can I use them as a defense against the discouragement of the enemy?*
- *God, what deeper truths are You embedding in my heart that will begin to cultivate the wild ground and transform the wilderness into a settled, fruitful land for the next season?*

**Kislev 11, 5785: Thursday-December 12, 2024**



**Photo provided by Barry Wunsch**

[**Editor's note:** Below are the prophetic words that Barry Wunsch shared during his recent interview on ElijahStreams.]

### **Prophetic Encounter: Lion of the Tribe of Judah**

I felt led to share about a prophetic experience I had a few years ago. I believe it was in 2021 during a fifty-day life-changing fast that the Lord brought me into. What happened was about two weeks into the fast.

The Lord woke me up in the middle of the night, and before me was a picture of Him in another nation and how they saw Him. The next thing I knew, I watched as the Lord took me around the world, nation to nation, and I saw a picture of the Lord in each nation the way they saw Him.

From North America, Mexico, India, Pakistan, South Africa, South America, Asia, the Middle East, Iceland, Switzerland, Germany, Sweden, the Philippines, Europe and others, picture after picture, I saw Him dressed in that culture's attire and how they knew Him and saw Him.

Then, at the very end, the last picture that was in front of me was the Lion of the tribe of Judah. As I looked into the eyes of this magnificent lion, the Lord spoke to me, and He told me that people were going to come to know Him in a way they have not known Him, as the Lion of the tribe of Judah! I believe that we are entering into a time, and this is what we are going to see. He is coming in a way that we have yet to know Him. May we be found ready!

## Prophetic Encounter: The Storm & the Great Awakening

**Word released November 22, 2024:**

As I was driving, I was taken into the spirit. I saw the nations from the third Heaven.

As I was looking at it, all of a sudden there were what looked like sparks here and there throughout the nations. At first, they started out slow, and like popcorn they began to increase rapidly throughout the world until the world was covered. It reached a high point of intensity, and as quickly as it began, it stopped.

After a period of a few minutes, it started up again just as it had initially, but this time around, it was not just sparks but lightning strikes. It went city to city, and then increased to nation to nation, until again a flurry of synchronized lightning went wave after wave throughout the nations. From what I was watching, this covered the earth, not one nation or region being left out.

It seemed to me that there was a "taking down" of Globalist Elite/Cabal control. It was a taking down of systems that the establishment has used to control and oppress us, keeping us as slaves oppressed by their evil agendas.

There were some areas that looked like war zones with intensity of resistance. These particular regions were those that had been significant hubs used to deploy and govern with the most evil and corrupt leaders and regimes.

It was clear to me that this lightning was from the Father Himself dealing with dark and demonic principalities, powers, and structures that were bringing great oppression and destruction through their actions. What the Lord was bringing now *would not* and *could not* be stopped. This was clearly part of the storm we had been waiting for!

After some time, this lightning also came to an end. I knew that what had to be taken out of the way had been successfully dealt with by the Father's hand! After the lightnings of God had stopped, there was a period of silence. **This pause let the dust settle. What had just happened was of biblical scale!** *(Photo via Pexels)*



As I watched over the nations, I saw laser-like beams of light bursting out, shooting out from nation to nation! These were arching beams as they then connected city to city and then nation to nation. This connectivity was basically instant, as they connected and began interacting with one another.

I could see light particles flowing back and forth and around as if they were traveling through a clear, crystal pipe. The light particles looked like sparkling diamonds! I had never seen anything like it before! This light was fast! At first there were only a few, and as I continued to watch, they grew into a more increased global coverage, and these nations were part of the biggest shift in history!

**This was a shift that was like nothing we had ever seen before. I knew by the Spirit of God what I was watching unfold before my eyes was a Jubilee!** There was freedom! There was a clean slate to build anew! This was more than restoration!

This was more than communication, this was more than technology, this was more than wealth, this was more than new governance, and this was more than new energy (even though it was all of those things). Altogether, this combination was a release to the nations who would be part and parcel of the great awakening and revival that is soon to be at hand! The light of His glory covering the earth was magnificent!

In watching this play out in front of me, I could understand why the enemy has been wreaking havoc, trying to impede what the Lord has coming.

### **Glory-Releasing Light Throughout the Nations!**

As I was writing this out, the Lord dropped this word on me: "Barry, tell My people that I am preparing to release the light of My glory throughout the nations!

"Barry, tell My people that it is not going to come as they suppose. I am going to release My lightning only as I can. **I can change a heart and a life forever with one encounter with Me. By My Spirit I can change a nation in a day.** There is nothing too great for Me.

"Men's lives will pass before their eyes in an instant, and they shall tremble before Me and fall to their knees, calling upon My name.

"The gold is Mine, the silver is Mine, and the earth is Mine and everything therein!

"Let it be known on this day, I am releasing the wealth that I have stored up since the beginning of time for My Kingdom purposes, and that time is now!

"Barry, tell My people that I am calling My people higher! I am calling them to walk with Me with a sanctified life, to be all that they can be in order that they can steward what I am about to entrust them with.

"I am calling My people to a love that is so much greater than what they have. This great love can only be found in and through Me! Remember, it is only through true intimacy and love that you can fulfill all that I have called you to!

"Barry, tell My people to examine their hearts before Me, and let Me sift out the things that encumber them. It is My heart that they walk in the fullness and wholeness that I have for them, for I came to bring life and life abundantly. **Tell them that in and through Me and My blood they are made new, so bring it all into the light for My healing, the place where darkness no longer has power over them.**

"Barry, tell My people that what is coming will never be contained within the four walls of a building! I have called you to disciple nations, and so you shall! You will see the shaking down and the dismantling of the religious and political spirit that has trapped so many!

"As you turn to Me in repentance, turning from all sexual immorality and where you have tolerated Jezebel, Jezebel shall be dealt with! Let Me remind you that I am coming for a pure and spotless Bride! It is time to clean things up, and as you do, you will encounter an outpouring of outpourings!

"Behold My face before you today as I behold yours, for My love for you is great, and it's not My heart that anyone perish, but rather that you trust Me, believe in Me, and turn your heart to Me now and forever!"

Holy is the Word of the Lord.

### **Prophetic Word: Strategic Plans for the Republic**

**Word released November 27, 2024:**

From what I am seeing prophetically, there are still a lot of things going on off-screen right now. We are in a game of 5-D chess. For the past few weeks, I have been seeing some things that appear to be going on "off the radar." I will do my best here to articulate what I have been seeing.

The Lord has taken me in the spirit with President Trump in meetings. **These were not typical, everyday meetings; these were meetings that resembled Founding Fathers forging the rebirthing of the nation.**

The meeting spaces had been carefully planned. His trusted inner core carried the assignments and meetings with the utmost discretion to keep them off the radar. They had been putting all the pieces together for the greater things ahead, with great outcomes.

I was taken into one meeting where Jesus was standing over the shoulder of President Trump with His hand on his shoulder. The Lord was overseeing the work He had assigned to President Trump. There were two angels posted at the door, and there were a dozen governmental angels with red sashes standing on the room's perimeter overseeing the meeting. This handpicked, ordained gathering was being given assignments, and they were being vetted and sorted out with the greatest care and oversight.

I was also aware that there was a "house cleaning" going on. There were "bad actors" that were not going to be part of the bigger plan at hand. They could not be trusted and were so entrenched in the old that they would be a hindrance to the new. They had to be removed, so they were.

The main core here had been working on this for many years, and now they were getting very close to making things happen—the moment they had been waiting for. I also knew by the Spirit of God that these ones had been walking a very difficult road to put this together, and many from the team did not make it this far.

Some were taken out covertly by the enemy, by awful ways and means. Others were under threat but were moving forward ever so carefully not to put themselves or others at risk. There were also those who were attacked by physical afflictions and illness. Others were put into financial distress, and some were hit with it all. The enemy did what he could to stop their roles in God's bigger plan.

**This meeting I was in had a set of ornate, gold binders that were labeled "Strategic Plans for the Republic." They had trains embossed on the front covers with the number 45 as well.** There was no doubt that these God-loving and God-fearing men and women gathered here were working on the rebirth of the Republic of the United States of America. *(Photo via PickPik)*



I saw that there was a collapse coming, and they were ready to go when it came time to do so. The Corporation of the United States of America was bankrupt, along with the Federal Reserve, and it was hanging on by a thread.

The Lord had released angels of justice, and they were doing the bidding for the task at hand. The stripping out and consequences were clearly coming to bad actors, criminals, and treasonous officials on every level in every agency.

I was then taken into the DOJ and the FBI, and they were packing their bags. They were on the run now. They had tried to hide and destroy evidence on the way out, but the Lord had gone ahead of them, and there was nothing that was going to be missing. There remained copies of everything that would be needed to bring justice. They were in full panic mode.

I watched as the generals and the White Hats were in a briefing, and they were positioned and ready to go. The National Guard was on notice at the highest levels of trust. They were all aware of the Deep State's high-level threats to President Trump and the American people as well as the elevated state of high alert.

The demonically driven Deep State was more than prepared to take drastic actions to stop the January 6, 2025 election certification and President Trump's January 20, 2025 inauguration. The Deep State had assets and cells inside and outside the establishment to deploy the darkest of agendas. **Just as the enemy had assets in place, so did the Lord: specially assigned undercover agents as well as an angelic host working on His behalf. The Lord was going to use this all to expose and overturn things as needed.**



The Lord took me by the Spirit of God into Washington DC, and a group of angels took me on a tour of DC. They took me to a couple of buildings in DC. They had excavated the foundations to expose the Masonic cornerstones for me to see. These cornerstones had been intentionally laid and gave vector alignment points to build other Masonic related designed architecture and infrastructure. At that point, I was acutely aware of the spiritual foundation and the battle that was at hand to see the rebirth of the nation on godly foundations.

As I was writing this out, the Lord spoke to me and said, "Barry, call My people to prayer—prayer and fasting during this time. Barry, tell My people that this is first and foremost a spiritual battle. This is not a political battle; it is a spiritual one. The enemy is intent to kill, steal, and destroy. He is after the birthright of this nation and [the] generations to come. The balance of America is at stake as are the nations.

"Call My people to pray and fast and to come against the dark plans of the enemy. Call My people to worship Me and shift the atmosphere over this nation. Call My people to stand in the light and be the light in the dark places!

"Tell My people it is time to take it to the public square! Break up the fallow ground and prepare for the harvest that is at hand! Barry, tell My people this is a time of strategic, tactical intercession. This nation shall be built on My foundations, not the foundations of false gods!

"Let My people know that **I am going to use what the enemy has intended for evil to bring a great awakening and revival to America the beautiful! She shall fulfill her destiny!** Hold fast unto Me, as I am to you! Watch and see My redemption flow through this great land! There is nothing that will stand in My way to see My people free!"

Holy is the Word of the Lord.

**Kislev 12, 5785: Friday-December 13, 2024**

**Phil and Angela Lamb: Hidden Pathways and Deep Waters**



**Intro from Jeff Tharp:**

For those of you who frequent our ElijahFire podcast, the Lambs will be familiar faces. For those of you who are unfamiliar, meet Phil and Angela Lamb! They are both emerging prophetic voices and proud parents of three amazing children.

As a couple, they make up the indie pop/rock group *Mountains in the Sea*. They have a high bar for excellence and their music is fun, energetic, and full of unique innovations. But more than that, they carry a deep love for the Lord and carry His heart for people and our nation. It has been an absolute joy to get to know them both this year and to call them friends.

It is impossible to not feel uplifted when spending any amount of time with them. Whether that is virtually, in-person, or through an article such as this. They carry joy and hope with them wherever they go, and I know that you will be blessed and encouraged!

For more on this couple, I would recommend watching [Elijah Fire Episode 524: \*Changing Frequencies In The Music Industry\*](#) on Rumble, or wherever you listen to podcasts!

***Jeff Tharp, Host of ElijahFire  
ElijahStreams.com***

**The Shaking Will Reveal Hidden Pathways by Phil Lamb**

There are doors that have been inaccessible that will suddenly appear in these months ahead. The Lord showed me a picture of a couple of hillsides pressed up

next to each other. Then a shaking earthquake took place, and suddenly there appeared a doorway between the hills that had once been hidden before.

I then saw people mining a mine shaft. They chose to go in one direction and worked and worked. They spent all their effort going in that direction, thinking it would eventually pay off. Their efforts showed very little pay off, though, after the tons of time they had put in.

They looked defeated and looked as if they could hardly take anymore. Then a major shaking took place in there as well, but they were all okay. They got their bearings and got up only to realize that there was gold and precious gems on the other side of the mine where they had started digging. The gold and precious gems had been uncovered just enough so that the miners could see them lining the whole wall. **They quickly began working on that side and found gem after gem, and with much more ease. Their pickaxes were accomplishing more with every single swing.**

There have been a handful of years where many of us have put our all into what we know the Lord has called us to. We've pressed and pressed and put all that we've had into seeing the fruit of the things that He's shown us will come to pass. For many, it's pushed us to the edge of hardly being able to go on anymore because of the spiritual warfare and fatigue. *We can't ever give up though.*

God is bringing these things to pass that He has shown us, and He will not fail. When it is in His perfect timing, nothing can or will stop what God has spoken or shown His people. Get ready, because **when this shaking comes, paths will open up that we never even knew existed, and we will see what He had planned for us all along.** It will all make sense. Keep pressing forward.

### **The Mechanics Are the Same by Angela Lamb**

The other night before I went to sleep, the Lord showed me a vision. In the vision, I was walking out on the water of a fairly smooth lake (like a lake we have here in Washington State), and it was dark outside. At first, I was walking on the water just near the shore. It was shallow, maybe a foot deep. *(Photo via Freerange Stock.)*

The Lord was walking next to me, leading me and teaching me how to walk on the water.

Then the scene changed, and we had gone out to where the water was a little deeper. He was there teaching me again. The water was still not too deep, so if I were to sink, I wouldn't drown; maybe it would be up to my chest or neck.

But then the scene changed again, and He had taken me out to the deep waters. *Very deep*. It was dark all around. The water was dark, but I was still walking above it with Him. I could see Him still, as if illuminated by moonlight.

Then He spoke to my heart: **"The mechanics are the same."**

In that instant, I knew what He was saying. The mechanics of walking on water are the same, whether you're right next to the shore or out on the deep waters. The act of stepping and walking with Him is the same. Nothing had changed in what I had to do.

I just had to keep my eyes on Him, keep walking the same way as Him. The only thing that would mess me up was fear or doubt—getting afraid of the deep water and the "what ifs." But He had already taught me. And the walking now was just the same as before. All I had to do was the same thing: walk with Him, trust Him, and not worry about the water or the wind, or about the darkness or what lurked under the surface.

For the past several years, the Lord has graciously been leading us by the hand, taking us out a little deeper and a little deeper. He has been teaching us to walk with Him, above the water, and not get tripped up by the darkness of the depths of what has been happening below our feet. Now He's going to lead many of us out to the deep waters.





But, oh, I cry at how gracious and good He is! The mechanics are just the same. We will just do what He's already taught us—to keep walking with Him, just like we have before. *(Photo via Flickr)*

The only thing that's changed is the circumstances around us, but we don't have to do anything different—just keep in step with Him and TRUST Him. **Don't let the darkness or the depths make you begin to doubt now. Just keep walking, just like before. The mechanics are the**

**same.**

**"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you." (Isaiah 43:2 ESV)**

The Lord has been so gracious and gentle, leading us out on the waters a little deeper at a time. Keep trusting Him.

**"And in the fourth watch of the night He came to them, walking on the sea. But when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were terrified, and said, 'It is a ghost!' and they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, 'Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid.'**

**"And Peter answered Him, 'Lord, if it is You, command me to come to You on the water.' He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, 'Lord, save me.' Jesus immediately reached out His hand and took hold of him, saying to him, 'O you of little faith, why did you doubt?'" (Matthew 14:25–31 ESV)**

**Kislev 13, 5785: Saturday-December 14, 2024**

**Andrew Towe: This Is Your Payback Season!**



### **The Lord God of Recompense**

While in prayer, I kept hearing the Lord proclaim, "Recompense! Recompense! Recompense!" As I prayed again the following day, I clearly heard Him say, "I am the Lord God of recompense." He most certainly had my attention, which led me to do a search that would take me deep into a revelation of one of the many names of God. The name I'm speaking of is *Jehovah Gmolah*, the "Lord God of Recompense."

After the Lord gave me this revelation of His name, I began to sing and declare, "You are Jehovah Gmolah, the Lord God of Recompense." As I sang, the room filled with the presence of God. I felt a prophetic anointing come upon me, and I began to prophesy, "Recompense is on its way to you. God's rewards are overtaking you."

Not only did I feel the prophetic come upon me then, but even as I write now, the Lord's prophetic unction is upon me to prophesy to you! Receive the word of God. **God's power is now toward you to repay you for all your labor and all your righteous acts!**

**"Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompense of reward." (Hebrews 10:35 KJV)**

In the Bible, the word *recompense* has multiple interpretations. Some convey the word in a positive way, and others reflect it in a negative way. It can be

translated as "repayment, benefit, compensation, retaliation, requital, or reward" (see Bible Study Tools). The primary meanings of recompense are to *repay* and *reward*.

A mystery began to unravel to me about this name, Jehovah Gmolah. I learned it carries the promise to repay, to restore, and to bring justice.

Throughout the Scriptures, there are countless instances where God demonstrated His nature as the God of Recompense, from the stories of the Israelites experiencing deliverance from their oppressors to the assurance of restoration found in the prophetic writings. It became clear to me that **God's character is solidly linked with the act of recompense.** *(Photo via Flickr)*



When we think about God's judgment, many of us associate it with negativity, imagining Him as wrathful and eager to unleash His anger upon us. However, I heard the Lord say to tell you that His judgment is not against you; it is in favor of you. He says, "I am rendering My judgment in your favor and have ruled against your adversary. Recompense is coming to you. Moreover, this is your PAYBACK season. I have kept a record of every seed you've planted, and nothing has gone unnoticed by Me. I have seen the times the enemy has stolen from you, and now the thief will have to repay sevenfold back to you."

### **You Will See Your Turnaround**

In the book of Exodus, the Hebrews endured the harsh reality of slavery under the Egyptians, laboring tirelessly without any form of payment. They endured cruelty and suffering, yet God took notice of their pain and cries for help. In response, He raised up Moses as a deliverer for His people. God has heard your cry, too, and He has already paved a path for your deliverance. He has ensured, like He did for the children of Israel, that you will not emerge empty-handed from your trials and hardships. Just as the Hebrews were led out of Egypt with the riches of their oppressors in hand, you, too, will see a turnaround. The chains of your past are being broken, and you are being set free to embrace a future filled with hope and abundance.

**"And the children of Israel did according to the word of Moses; and they borrowed of the Egyptians jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment: And the Lord gave the people favor in the sight of the Egyptians, so that they lent unto them such things as they required. And they spoiled the Egyptians." (Exodus 12:35–36 KJV)**

Once Israel left Egypt, the Lord guided them on the longer route through the wilderness and the Red Sea instead of the shorter one through the land of the Philistines. God was not done with His judgment against Pharaoh; He hardened his heart, compelling him to chase after the Hebrews. Despite enduring the plagues while God's people remained safe in Goshen, the Egyptians still failed to grasp that the living God was fighting on behalf of Israel. The Lord was preparing to deliver His recompense upon the wicked Pharaoh.

### **You Are Moving Forward!**



When Israel saw the Egyptians approaching, they were consumed with fear and cried out to the Lord for help.

**"And Moses said to the people, 'Do not be afraid. Stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord, which He will accomplish for you today...'" (Exodus 14:13 NKJV).** *(Photo via Creazilla)*

God commanded Moses to lift his rod and stretch out his hand over the Red Sea, allowing the Israelites to go forward in the midst of the sea. Listen here! **The Lord says that just as He did for them, He is doing for you. No longer will you be trapped. You are moving forward!**

The story doesn't end there. As Israel crossed over, the Egyptians went in after them, giving the children of Israel their payback season! God Himself fought against their enemies!

**"... and the Egyptians said, 'Let us flee from the face of Israel, for the LORD fights for them against the Egyptians.'" (Exodus 14:25 NKJV)**



As we exit 2024 and enter 2025, you will experience the justice of God against your enemy! His reward is coming to you! In fact, it has already begun. Can you sense it? Walls of impossibility are falling and barriers are being demolished.

I saw, just now in a vision, a person desperately trying to move forward and progress only to be stopped by an obstruction. But eventually the barriers were dismantled, allowing them to gain momentum. That is precisely what God is doing for you! Jehovah Gmolah, the Lord God of Recompense, is ready to move, intervene, and reward you in this season.

**Kislev 14, 5785: Sunday-December 15, 2024**

**Rachel Lynn Lawrence: Take Captive the Captives**

Following the wave of red across our country, I heard within my spirit the Holy Trinity release marching orders for this hour: **"The enemy is stunned. It's time to take captive the captives so that they may be captivated by the One who has overcome evil.**

"They [powers and principalities, rulers of darkness of this world, and spiritual wickedness] are so fixed upon maintaining evil that they won't be able to withstand the force of love."

**Will You Love Those Who Have Been Held Captive?**

Love is personal. Love is intimate. Love is for one and for many. Will you love those who have been held captive? I see an army of Christian soldiers arising, stepping into formation. Not defensively, but armed with love. The enemy's camp is stunned, they are wounded, they are castrated of their power, and it is time to capture those who have been held captive and in bondage to lies.

I see brothers and sisters in Christ marching in unison with love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, and with goodness, being faithful to the call of God to bring the light to those who are bound by darkness. It takes an army to reach the multitudes who are lost. It takes militia to rescue the one who is trapped in the rubble of despair. Will you love them enough to be a part of the rescue mission that is here?

There's a mighty movement in the earth that is marked with the tenacity of love mounting forth from the soldiers of God—everyday people who will not stand in complacency any longer, who will not allow others' "truth" to be accepted as truth, and who will be awakened to the reality of those who are spiritually dying all around them.

We walk amidst a battlefield; **it's time for us to walk as the victorious people that we are in Christ, seeing the dying and the wounded and bringing them into freedom and into abundant life.**

There is a sweeping movement that God is calling forth across His world, empowering and ordering the people of God who carry mercy upon their lips and ministry in their hands; a movement among God's people **"to proclaim good news to the poor," "to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives, and release from darkness for the prisoners" (Isaiah 61:1, NIV)**; and to declare that indeed, it is the time where the Lord's salvation and favor will abound greatly!

### **Will You Demonstrate His Love?**

Days later, I heard Jesus tenderly and adamantly say, "Will you bless those who curse you? Will you stand in the midst of their mocking and have open arms to receive them into My love? They are captive, bound, discouraged, unsettled, confused, and darkened in their understanding.

"Yet, light has come! Righteousness is dawning. Many will grow darker—yes—but the harvest is glistening, ripe, and waiting. My people who are still captive are now unlocked in their cells in this hour, yet they don't know how to get out. They don't know where to go. They can't comprehend freedom.

"Will you introduce them to Me in love?"

"I've made a parade, a spectacle, of captives from darkness before. My command goes forth to do it again. There's trumpeting... do you hear it? I've triumphed over darkness! Do you not remember? Release the captives from the evil that I have taken captive.

"Don't get wrapped up by evil. Evade those held captive by it with love. Opinions never saved anyone, but a demonstration of love has. My love through you saves."

## Will You March Forth in Love?

I next heard the Father resound the message from the throne of Heaven as it burst forth into the atmosphere of my spiritual hearing: **"My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are My ways your ways (Isaiah 55:8).** Don't get trapped in defensiveness; embrace and capture in love those who are lost. *(Photo via Pixabay)*



"There is a grace period now. What are you going to do with it? Undeserved favor is mounting; it is peaking; it is exuding in this season for the lost.

"Captivate them with My love. Capture them with My presence. Win them [over] into everlasting [life] through My victorious Son. Move! March! Go!"

## Verses to Meditate Upon

**2 Timothy 2:23–26 (NLT): "Again I say, don't get involved in foolish, ignorant arguments that only start fights. A servant of the Lord must not quarrel but must be kind to everyone, be able to teach, and be patient with difficult people. Gently instruct those who oppose the truth. Perhaps God will change those people's hearts, and they will learn the truth. Then they will come to their senses and escape from the devil's trap. For they have been held captive by him to do whatever he wants."**

**Colossians 2:15 (AMP): "When He had disarmed the rulers and authorities [those supernatural forces of evil operating against us], He made a public example of them [exhibiting them as captives in His triumphal procession], having triumphed over them through the Cross."**

**Ephesians 4:7–8 (AMP): "Yet grace [God's undeserved favor] was given to each one of us [not indiscriminately, but in different ways] in proportion to the measure of Christ's [rich and abundant] gift. Therefore it says, 'WHEN HE ASCENDED ON HIGH, HE LED CAPTIVITY CAPTIVE, AND HE BESTOWED GIFTS ON MEN.'"**

**Kislev 15, 5785: Monday-December 16, 2024**

**Rosangela Atte: Your Promises Are Maturing**



### **Promises in Incubation**

**"So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up." (Galatians 6:9 NLT)**

As I spent time with the Lord, I asked Him, "Lord, when will Your promises come to pass?"

He said, "Rosangela, they will come to pass at the appointed time. They are incubating in Me."

Logically, I looked up the meaning of *incubate/incubation*, and this is what I found:

- "develop"; "to cause or aid the development of" (Merriam Webster)
- "to develop slowly without showing any signs" (Oxford Learner's Dictionary)
- "to keep something warm, causing it to develop" (Cambridge Dictionary)
- "grow under conditions that promote development" (LanGeek Dictionary)
- "to keep something safe and warm so that it can grow" (Vocabulary.com)

I said, "Okay, Lord, what are You saying?"

He replied, "Rosangela, according to your earthly mindset and measurement of time, it may appear as if the promises are being delayed, or that they are taking

longer than they should. In My Kingdom, time doesn't exist. I have created time for mankind; My Kingdom operates according to My appointed times. **Therefore, everything that I decree happens at the perfect time, not too late and not too early.**

"Your job, as you wait for the promises and visions to mature and come into their fullness, is to run with those visions; to do everything you can to not get discouraged; to hold fast and wait without doubting.

### **Promises Like a Child in the Womb**



"Although a mother knows it will take forty weeks for her child to be fully formed and strong enough to live outside of her womb, she still feels as if the moment [will] never arrive! But then, suddenly, the water breaks, and the child is born, and she forgets all about the time that passed and the pain she had to endure to finally hold the child in her arms!

"So it is [with] you. As you patiently and eagerly wait for those promises to come to pass, you [may] feel as if they will never come, as if I have forgotten about them, because you do not see any signs. But at the right time, at the appointed time, at the peak of their maturity, they shall be birthed!

"Trust Me, child, because I am taking care of them. I am keeping them safe. I am watching over My Word to perform it. *(Photo via Pexels)*

**"In order for things to grow and produce an abundant harvest, they need to mature.** Your future is protected in Me. I am the controlled environment in which everything that concerns you and your family is kept safe and secure. As long as you let Me guide you, and as long as you obey Me, you don't need to worry about anything.

### **Promises Like a Seed in the Soil**

"So, don't grow weary in the waiting, My child. Keep doing what is good, and in due time you will reap the harvest of your faithfulness. I know it is hard for you to

understand the concept of waiting, but it is in the waiting that things mature and develop. It is in the waiting that I prepare you for the harvest.

"Just like when a seed is planted, [it] needs time to grow. It needs to be watered, it needs sunlight, it needs to grow roots and anchor itself to the ground so that it has the strength to grow and develop upward and bring a harvest. **You know it will eventually break through the soil and reveal itself at the right time. So it is with My promises.**

### **Write the Vision and Start Running!**

"Joseph had to wait and endure many trials before the dreams I gave him came to pass, before he could become a ruler! It is a necessary process that cannot be rushed! **Therefore, wait and stand on guard, and once you see the signs, write the vision down and start running!**"

**Habakkuk 2:1–3 (KJV): "I will stand upon my watch, and set me upon the tower, and will watch to see what He will say unto me, and what I shall answer when I am reproved.**

**"And the Lord answered me, and said, Write the vision, and make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it.**

**"For the vision is yet for an appointed time, but at the end it shall speak, and not lie: though it tarry, wait for it; because it will surely come, it will not tarry."**

(See also Psalm 105:19; Jeremiah 1:12; 29:11; Isaiah 40:31, 43:19; Numbers 23:19; Deuteronomy 28:1–6.)

**Kislev 16, 5785: Tuesday-December 17, 2024**  
**NATE JOHNSTON: FOR THOSE BUILDING THE NEW**

**I have a word for those who have been hiding on the fringe for a long time.**

You've been the faction-less, those who haven't quite fit the current church structure, methodology, and culture simply because you're carrying something different.

You've been in a process where the Lord has been encouraging you to step out and be a voice, but you've known there's timing to it.

You've been tenderly waiting for the Lord to release you and give you the green light.

You've been patient, not rushing or pushing down doors.

Over the past four years, the Lord has been adding layer upon layer to the building blueprints inside of you.

You've been asking, Lord, when will I get to begin stepping into this?

This year has been marked by war against your confidence.

There's been questioning, feelings of missing your moment and a sense that maybe you've failed to step in at the right time or that the vision is dead in the water.

But it's not dead in the water.

You're about to step into the fruition of what God has placed within you.

You're moving out of the theoretical and into the practical, actively beginning to build what God has called you to.

Let me say this humbly: it's not that you're replacing what God has done; you're adding an extension to the pure house.

God has been judging and revealing the impurity of the old house, which has come to rubble and ruin.

This is where you step in, for God has called you His remnant, His prophetic remnant that has not bowed or kissed the lips of Baal.

You've been set apart for a purpose, a reason, and a season.

Now it's time to build.

The Lord has been pulling you out of the shadows, challenging you to begin establishing a new company and a new people.

You've been looking for people, but the Lord says, "Instead of looking, you will build them. You will be the family. You will father and mother a people in need of this new move."

We are leaving the days of the prophetic house as a celebrity house.

The Lord is leading the Church out of the celebrity focus and into a season where the prophetic company is nameless and faceless.

God is calling the whole Church into its prophetic destiny, where the entire Body will hear Him as if for the first time.

The Church is stepping into its ability to engage with the heavenlies and release Heaven into the earth. It won't be a select few anymore. But a pure bride with a collective voice.

And I hear the Lord saying to those building the new: "It is time to begin focusing on what lies ahead and ignoring the noise of critics slandering you to prevent you from building."

Over the next six months, it will feel as though critics are emerging from everywhere to discourage you from laying the first few bricks of the new thing you've been dreaming of and processing with the Lord for the past seven to 14 years.

That's right, this has been in your spirit for 7 to 14 years.

The last four years, you've endured the Nehemiah 4 opposition phase, where it felt like an all-out war to prevent you from birthing what God placed in your heart.

But now there is a grace coming upon you to gather the clay, form the first brick, clear the floor, lay the foundation, and set it down.

This is a moment of grace and favor in what appears to be the wrong time.

Yet the Lord says, "This is not the wrong time; it is the opportune time. It is the right time to lay it down."

Just as Zerubbabel was given the authority to lay the cornerstone, the Lord is giving you His signet ring—His authority, favor, and anointing—to lay the foundation for the new move of God, without spot, wrinkle, or compromise.

There will be shouts from the sidelines, storms trying to pull you in, and noise seeking to distract you.

But the Lord says, "This is a moment I want you to go low and build. I want you to focus only on My face and nothing else. Push through the noise and begin to establish what I am giving you. This is the mission I've placed in your hands, and there is an anointing upon you to press through what looks like an impossible feat.

"I will provide the clarity, the provision, and the people you need.

"But heed this warning: Know your lane, know what I've given you to do, and know your tools. Do not engage in anything outside of what I've placed in your hands.

"Just as the prophets came to Elisha and said, "This place is too small," and they began to build, they lost the axe head because it was borrowed.

"It is a time to go down to the Jordan—the place of the flow and refueling.



"You must build in the Spirit, not in the flesh, lest you repeat the mistakes of the past."

Step into the new flow of the Spirit, for the waters are rising, and the Lord is looking for those who will prepare the Body of Christ for the great harvest.

In this hour, the Lord is raising up crossover prophets and crossover apostles to lead the Church into the new day, out of the rubble.

The next six months will reveal much rubble, but God is raising up specialists who will know how to fashion it, create with it, and use it for the new thing He is building.

The best days are yet to come.

**Kislev 17, 5785: Wednesday-December 18, 2024**

**Bethany Hicks: Whose Voice Is Shaping Your Faith?**



### **Who Do We Listen To?**

For several weeks now, I've had lyrics from an old children's song playing in my spirit: "Be careful, little ears, what you hear..." Every day, we are surrounded by voices: news reports, social media updates, podcasts, and conversations, each offering a perspective or a story and all vying for our attention. To add to this daily dose of opinions, we have an election year that has ramped up the intensity of emotions and expressed convictions. With so many voices around us, the

question is, *who do we listen to?* And if God is always speaking, how can we tell whether what we are hearing is His voice or not when emotions run high and opinions clash?

**Part of maturing in our faith is learning to recognize His voice even when it comes through sources that might surprise or challenge us.**

Since God once spoke through a donkey in the Bible, we can know that He may still use unexpected vessels today. Jesus said, **"My sheep hear My voice" (John 10:27)**, meaning that if you've trained yourself to listen to Him, you can know when He's speaking no matter how, or through whom, the message comes.

Let's explore three important points about how the voices you listen to shape your faith and beliefs.

### **1. What You Hear Becomes What You Believe**

In Romans 10:17, we read that **"faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God."** This powerful truth reminds us that what we listen to, whether it's God's voice or the world's noise, will shape what we believe. As Believers, it's crucial to discern when God is speaking and when He isn't so we don't attach our faith to the wrong voices.

In today's world, especially with the rise of social media, this ability to discern has become more urgent. Every post we scroll through presents us with new voices, opinions, and ideas. While some of these voices are helpful, others can lead us away from truth. *(Photo via Pexels)*



One of the roles of prophetic ministry is to not only help the Body of Christ learn to recognize God's voice for themselves, but also to help people discern when it is not God speaking. This is important, because **the voice you listen to is the voice you will act on.**

The Holy Spirit, who lives in each Believer, helps us test the voices we hear so that we can align with God's truth. Every day, we have to decide which voices we're going to allow to influence our lives: voices that bring life or voices that lead us astray.

### **2. The Danger of Listening to the Wrong Voices**

Not all hearing is equal, and not every voice we hear is from God. Some can lead us down destructive paths. This is nothing new. In the Garden of Eden, Eve listened to the serpent instead of God, and that choice led to humanity's downfall. **Adam and Eve attached their faith to what the enemy said instead of what God had spoken to them.** Today, the enemy still uses the same tactic: planting lies, doubts, and accusations to steer us away from the truth.

Satan is called the "**prince of the power of the air**" (**Ephesians 2:2**). In today's culture, he has certainly taken advantage of his reach through the airwaves by using the voices around us to plant seeds of doubt, fear, and division. When we listen to and agree with these voices, we give them power in our lives. Our agreement with the voice of the enemy is shown through our gossip, slander, or even negative self-talk.

Jesus reminds us that "**He who has ears to hear, let him hear**" (**Matthew 11:15**). As followers of Jesus, we're called to carefully discern and test every voice we hear and filter out those that don't line up with God's ways.

### **3. The Power of Hearing God's Voice**

While many voices compete for our attention, only one voice leads to life, peace, and godly faith—the voice of God. The more we train ourselves to recognize His voice, the more our faith grows, and the harder it becomes for other voices to shake us. *(Photo via PickPik)*



The media, with its endless stream of information, can easily drown out the still, small voice of God if we allow its influence to overshadow His voice in our lives. Jesus has empowered us by His Spirit to distinguish His voice from the myriad of others by paying attention to how we hear (Luke 8:18). **In today's world that means being mindful not just of what we listen to but how we engage with it.**

If you find yourself getting swept away by the latest trends, opinions, and controversies, you can employ a key of discernment that Jesus shared in Matthew

7:15–20 to separate God's voice from harmful voices: *Look at the fruit.* If what you're hearing brings life, hope, and faith, it's likely from God. But if it brings fear, accusation, or division, it's time to tune out and refocus on His Word.

Faith is built by what we listen to, whether good or bad. **So, take a moment to honestly evaluate whether the voices you're allowing into your life are producing the fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22) or leading you into fear, doubt, and division.** We are citizens of an unshakable Kingdom, and to be unshakable in a world that's constantly shaking, we need to root our faith in God's voice—the only voice that brings true life and lasting transformation.

**Kislev 18, 5785: Thursday-December 19, 2024**

**Nate Johnston: PIONEERS, IT'S TIME TO SHUT THE DOOR**  
**Repost from Nov. 2021 (A WORD IN SEASON)**



It's time to prepare for closure and the ending of the year and season. I know you have been standing there at the brink of the new day but afraid to let go of the past season. I know you have been apprehensive about moving forward because so much feels in the air still. I know you have been wearing yourself out trying to pull together the pieces and are still in damage control.

There are His loose ends to take care of, and it's time to let them go and entrust them to Him. Like keys to a car that ran its race, it's time to hand them over. It's time to give your heart space to process, heal, defragment, and declutter. It's time to leave some things where they lie and surrender your questions at the feet of Jesus.

It's time to give God your doubts, fears, trauma, and wounds from the season. It's time to let the Father minister to you, affirm you, and speak truth into the core of your being. It's time to let those people, cities, and expired and unfinished projects go. It's time to untie yourself from some expectations that didn't come to pass. It's time to shut the door to the failure and lies that say you didn't walk this season out well.

It's time to internally reconcile and be revived. It's time to turn your head around from the past and look forward towards your future.

It's time to remember, in all of your hard and exhaustive labor, that God is the author and finisher, and just because right now it doesn't look finished, in the years to come you'll see the full picture.

It's imperative right now to leave survival and enter creative mode. It's so crucial right now that you shift gears out of worry and into wonder. It's time to break any agreements you have made with doom and gloom and the spirit of death over your destiny. It's time to sever all ties to everything that is trying to keep you in bondage to the past season. It's time to remove the labels and words you collected over the last few years and flush them. It's time to give yourself space to dream with the Lord again.

Don't be afraid of a fresh slate, because what comes from it will be fresh and new. I see such a pent up river of creative exploits being released that have been delayed and waiting at this crossing point. Get ready to move from stagnancy to overflowing with innovation, because right now the Holy Spirit is breathing upon your dry and dead bones.

He is breathing life upon the places of your soul that have been twisted and sick. People will say "But didn't he/she face that deadly storm? How are they standing?" and you will know that it could only have been the power of God that in a moment shifted you from the grave path of continual mourning and back to life.

It's time to open the door to what the enemy has been hoping you wouldn't see. It's time to clear away the distractions of judgments and constant chatter to see the new day and hear the words of the Father saying "Well done!" It's time to give yourself permission to breathe and find the adventure and unbridled passion you began with and get it back.

It's time to adjust your ears to what God is saying over you, without the critics' words ringing in your ears. It's time to see the hope you haven't been able to see for so long and break your feet free from the concrete of heaviness you have been stuck in. It's time to untie your old, bloodied, and worn warrior boots from the battle, and put on

your new shoes for a new season. It's time to see beyond the storm you have been in and walk through the door of hope and fresh promise again.

It's a hard step I know. I know it's a faith one, but you know you can't stay where you have been another minute. I have seen the decision we are in. Do we stay or do we go? Do we keep going around and around this mountain, or do we lay our cards at the foot of the cross? But I have seen what is awaiting us. I have seen the hour of glory the church has if we keep moving and adapt to His leading.

I have seen the opportunity we have to be part of the next wave that is going to be an answer for the problems and chaos the world is facing.

**That's you pioneers. That's you.**

So today, surrender to the Lord afresh. Do business with God. Give Him your hang ups and have that hard conversation you have even avoiding. Lay everything down at His feet and invite the Holy Spirit to bring closure and usher in the new day. One day we will look back, and it will all be worth it.

**Kislev 19, 5785: Friday-December 20, 2024**

**Karen Hardin: It's Time to Contend for Destiny**

We are in a window of opportunity. The result of the 2024 election was a miracle. It revealed the mercy of God, even though America deserved judgment. It was the result of prayer and contending for our nation, for America's prophetic destiny.

Now apply that to your own life. Are you contending for your prophetic destiny? If not, you will most likely continue to hit the ceiling of frustration intent on holding you back. But God is calling you to contend for your destiny.

**How Esau and Jacob Took Back Their Destiny**

Consider Esau and Jacob. Older brother Esau forever walked in the shadow of his younger brother. Jacob took the birthright of the oldest and stole the blessing of the oldest. But both men were given promises of prophetic destiny. However, in order to walk in them, it required they contend for them.

Esau's blessing from his father was his key for breakthrough.

**"...But it shall come about when you become restless, that you shall break his yoke from your neck." (Genesis 27:40)**

With the word "restless" in this verse, these words could be translated to say: *When you decide to take dominion or rule, to take back the reigns.*

It was a blessing with a requirement. Esau would have to finally get tired of his younger brother's domination, stand up to it, and break it off, which he finally did.

Jacob, on the other hand, was shown his prophetic destiny at the beginning of his journey to seek a wife.

**"... I am with you, and I will protect you wherever you go. One day I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have finished giving you everything I have promised you." (Genesis 28:15)**

God was revealing to Jacob who he was. Out in the unknown, God spoke to him of his prophetic destiny. Jacob was not yet that man, but God was giving him a vision of the future of who he was supposed to be. Remember, at that point he was still the deceiver and the supplanter. Yet God saw something else and wanted him to see it. But in order to walk in that promise, Jacob would have to contend for it. He spent years contending for Rachel and for his part of the wealth he helped create for Laban. And in that contending, God was refining.

The hard work of contending forced Jacob to rise to who he could be, not who he was. It was in the journey that he developed the spiritual muscles to walk in his destiny. The same goes for Esau. Esau had to rise above his hatred for his brother, forgive, and take back his own destiny.

## **Contending for the Blessing**

### ***What about you?***

Consider the hardships both men walked through. They were the result of their own decisions, and yet God still saw them for who they were created to be, not who they were.

It is the same for us. **Whatever mistakes or missteps you have made, it doesn't discount your prophetic destiny.** As with Jacob, God has given you a promise to bring you back and give you everything He has promised. But it always comes with a price. We must choose to let go of the weights of the past and contend for it.

Jacob finally came to the place where he was ready to break Laban's yoke off and return to his homeland.

As Jacob neared the place of his past mistakes, fear gripped him. He feared Esau, and rightly so. He sent his family and livestock ahead.

**All alone in the camp, God had his full attention. The Bible says, "... a man came and wrestled with him until the dawn began to break. When the man saw that he would not win the match, he touched Jacob's hip and wrenched it out of its socket. Then the man said, 'Let me go, for the dawn is breaking!'**

**"But Jacob said, 'I will not let you go unless you bless me.'**

**(Jacob was contending!)**

**"What is your name?' the man asked. "He replied, 'Jacob.'**



**"Your name will no longer be Jacob,' the man told him. 'From now on you will be called Israel, because you have fought with God and with men and have won.'" (Genesis 32:24–28 NLT, emphasis added)**

Jacob wrestled with God for the blessing God had already promised. Was it because God refused to give it to him, or because there was something in the contending that was required? Obviously, in all of these situations, it was the latter. *(Photo via Creative Commons)*

**When we press in to contend for what has been promised to us, it requires we remove more of self and take on more of Him. It requires faith. It requires effort that changes us... which is the point.**

**"Then God said to Jacob, 'Get ready and move to Bethel and settle there. Build an altar there to the God who appeared to you when you fled from your brother, Esau.'" (Genesis 35:1 NLT)**

Jacob's response is telling. He required his family to purify themselves. All these years later, he finally got it. He wasn't just returning home, he was returning to



God. He wrestled with the angel and contended with God for the blessing and he was forever changed, becoming who he was destined to be all along.

It is the same for us. Remember, it doesn't matter where you have failed, missed it, or sinned. None of that changes who God has called you to be or your prophetic destiny.

So it is with America. **We contended in prayer for the opportunity to return America to what it was created to be. Now we have a window of opportunity, by His grace, to continue to contend for it.** May we not give up both America's destiny and our own.

**Kislev 20, 5785: Saturday-December 21, 2024**

**James Gregory**

**What steps do we take to rebuild our nation?**

If a new Republic is to come, and I believe it is, then this whole Republican/Democrat thing will cease to exist. The Political spirit in partnership with the spirit of Religion will have you keep believing a lie and call it righteous. The victory we won election night must progress into the advancement of the Kingdom of God and his righteousness. The first thing that must be done is a change from the financial policies and agendas of a fiat based monetary system into a system of asset-based currency (gold, silver, precious stones or metals), and needs driven by the Kingdom of God and his righteousness. If this doesn't happen, the Global bloodline families who control international banking and set monetary policy will continue to control your lives from the background. Bitcoin at \$200,000 only serves you in the short term because once you convert the bitcoin, you are now back to being taxed. Same thing with all your current dollar-based investments or assets. All these wonderful investments that are soaring in value must be converted to a system of accountability so their true value can be put to utility! Let's Roll!

### **THE FOURTH MAN IN THE FIRE**

As I was praying over this week, I saw a clear vision of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego cast into the fiery furnace for standing for righteousness when King Nebuchadnezzar ordered them to bow, and they would not bow.

I feel this word is for the whole body of Christ right now, as many are going through personal struggles and battles.

But I believe that what I was seeing was even more specifically for those who are standing for righteousness in their nation, in a time of division, high tension, and where people are easily triggered.

The spirit of this age is raging, causing people to act in anger, to lash out at others, even within the body of Christ.

There is a remnant of people who've been standing for righteousness and standing on the word of the Lord, who've come under intense slander, attacks against their reputation, their future opportunities, and even their livelihoods.

Let me say this to you - Your stand for righteousness has caused a demonic surrounding warfare around you.

This whole year, you've been living in a constant state of backlash because you've stood for righteousness.

And it feels like, at this moment in time, you've been under so much pressure, so much intense scrutiny, surveillance, and warfare that your mind, heart, and soul can hardly bear anymore.

It's felt like you've been cast into the fire of judgment and adversity, with battles and opposition swirling around you on a personal level, not to mention what you feel in your own nation and community.

**The war has been against your health.**

**It's been against your finances.**

**It's been against your relationships.**

**It's been against every part of your life.**

And you're wondering, "God, what are you doing? Why am I suddenly in this place when I've stood for You? I've stood for righteousness."

And the Lord says to you this week, "I am the fourth man standing in the fire."

Let me say this again.

The Lord says, "I am the fourth man standing in the fire.

"I am the fourth man standing in the fire.

“And you will walk out of this not even smelling like smoke.

“For those who put Me first above man, for those who have not bowed to Baal, I will deliver, and I will bring recompense, says the Lord.

“Stand and watch My deliverance.

“Even in the next few months, when it looks impossible, even if your future looks bleak—but I will rescue you from that which has been after you, says the Lord.”

**Our work has just begun with my family. We keep pressing into the Kingdom and manifesting Abbas Glory! I love you all.**

**Kislev 21, 5785: Sunday-December 22, 2024**

**Anita Alexander: An Hour to See What You Have Never Seen & to Rise in Fearless Leadership**



**An Hour to See What You Have Never Seen Before**

**The following prophetic word was released on November 2, 2024:**

Don't be intimidated by the impossible that has never happened before. Before Noah, rain wasn't seen or heard of. Before Abraham and Sarah, no one had ever

heard of or seen a ninety-year-old barren woman conceive naturally and give birth. Before Moses, seas hadn't parted.

**The thing about pioneers is that they break through into firsts, that is, things that previously have not been seen or heard of but now are.**

We are in Isaiah 66:8–9 days: **"Who had heard such a thing? Who has seen such a thing? Shall a land be born in a day? Shall a nation be brought forth in a moment? For as soon as Zion was in labor she brought forth her children. Shall I bring to the moment of birth and not cause to bring forth?' says the LORD; 'Shall I, who causes to bring forth, shut the womb?' says your God" (ESVUK).**

Be encouraged, the unprecedented God has promised you, that what you've been carrying in your heart, can be brought forth in a moment, *In a day*. Just because there is no grid for it or past occurrence, does not mean the promise is not from God, nor does it mean He will not do it!

Just know that just because others around you may struggle with conceiving or believing what God has told you He will do for you and through you does not reflect on the legitimacy of His promise to you.

Sometimes we get discouraged by other people's unbelief around our promise. I've learned over the years to "zip it" when it comes to sharing things with others that I'm believing God for. Sometimes it's only a very select few with whom I will share these promises, because often times well-meaning people are very good at telling you every reason why it won't work and can't work, because they measure possibility based on past occurrences and blueprints. But we are not to measure possibility based on precedented outcomes, if we are to see what we have never seen before and hear what we have never heard! **We are to measure possibility based on what GOD HAS SAID!**

One thing we must remember: **If GOD SAID IT, ONLY GOD CAN DO IT.** If you can do it, I question if God said it.

Don't be intimidated by someone else's unbelief around what God has told YOU! Just because others don't believe, doesn't mean it's not God. Just because others can't see, doesn't mean it's not God. Just because others don't AGREE, or even APPROVE, doesn't mean it's not God. Stop waiting for others to approve or agree with what God has promised you! You don't need man's permission to agree with Heaven's promise over your life. Just believe God!

Abraham didn't go to anyone else to get their opinion. He simply believed God, even though it was unprecedented.

I'm sure everyone would have thought Noah was crazy, speaking of an unprecedented phenomenon of rain.

**Don't measure the validity of your promise by man's opinion, unbelief, lack of approval, or lack of agreement.**

It's an hour to step into the unprecedented for those who believe. And surely we will hear these words ringing throughout: **"But who has heard such a thing? And who has seen such things? A nation CAN be born in a day!"**

### **A Time for Fearless Leadership and Bold Courage!**

**Prophetic word released on October 26, 2024:**

The days are coming when playing the "safe ground" will not be safe anymore.

In the early hours of the morning, the Lord woke me up with a word for leaders in the days ahead:

"The time is coming when the hour will require fearless leadership. It will require bold courage, and in that will be a dying to reputation. Seeking to play the safe ground will not be safe. Seeking to avoid rocking the boat in order to remain standing in good stead, or to remain in good favor, or to avoid controversy will not be safe. For the hour is coming, and is even here, where those who seek to save their lives will lose them."

**"Those who want to save their lives will lose them. But those who lose their lives for Me will find them." (Matthew 16:25)**

In these days, as the earth groans and shakes, it will become more apparent that there is no "supposed" middle ground to take. Many have yielded to the deception that there is a middle ground which is safe territory, but there is no middle ground. It's either light or darkness.

Those who love the light will come into the light as Jesus tells us in John 3:20–21, and their works will be seen as having been done in God. But those who love darkness will not come into the light. *(Photo via Unsplash)*



**"For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God." (John 3:20–21)**

In these days, many leaders who have sought to strive for the middle ground in seasons of testing in times past will be faced with choices. Some will not "see" or recognize that there is a choice before them, as they have been conditioned to live before men. They will choose the favor of men above the favor of God.

Others will realize that they have a choice, as the fire of God is now dealing with the heart, bringing many out of denial to how they have feared man and served themselves in their need for recognition, reputation, and status.

In these days, choosing God will be controversial. Choosing God will require a stand for truth and holiness. Choosing God will rock the boat, the religious boat, the universalism boat, the political boat, the New Age boat, and every other "full of mixture" or "worldly doctrines of demons" boat.

I see contractions in the spirit of those coming forth who will rule and reign, the sons of God who are about to be birthed, for the time and age demand it; hence the birthing in purity of love for their Bridegroom King—a Bride who has no other lovers, not even herself.

These shakings are indeed of the Lord, and indeed there is a separation of the sheep and the goats in this hour. Where goats have sounded like sheep and have been able to hide among the fold, the times and seasons themselves will expose those who have served themselves and those who haven't.



**Choices are coming. Stands will need to be made, and courage to make those stands will be of essence. Pray that you have the eyes to see what is in fact the Lord, for the pure in heart WILL see God (Matthew 5:8).** *(Photo via Piqsels)*

When Joshua was preparing to take the land, he was exhorted by the Lord to have boldness and courage three times. These are the ingredients required for Kingdom advancement in these days. I believe this marries with the

three powers of overcoming explained in the book of Revelation: **the blood of the Lamb, the word of our testimony, and the clincher—loving not our lives even unto death (Revelation 12:11).**

Many forget that in order to love not your life even unto death, you need to be in love first. And in order to be in love, you need to know you have been loved first. **"We love Him because He first loved us" (1 John 4:19). In these coming days, a love revolution will turn the powers of darkness on their heads who have held a generation captive.**

The answer is this: If you fear to save your life, your ministry, your influence, your reputation, your friendships even, then let your heart return to its first love. Be revived in love for Him again, as this is the key ingredient in overcoming. Everything has to mean nothing in comparison to Him, and there, from that place, choosing Him will be no effort when the hour demands it.

**Kislev 22, 5785: Monday-December 23, 2024**

**Lana Vawser**

**I HEARD THE LORD SAY 'LISTEN CLOSELY,  
I AM RELEASING CLARITY FOR 2025'**

Recently, I heard the Lord say, 'Listen closely, I am releasing clarity for 2025.' When the Lord spoke these words, the words 'Listen closely' were very highlighted to me, and I could feel the invitation from the heart of the Lord to draw deep in this time, in a posture of surrender, and not rush into 2025 because there were new things the Lord is going to bring forth.

As I leaned in and listened to His heart, I heard: 'My people, draw close, come low and move slowly. For the following of MY assignments in 2025 will take you into some unexpected pathways. I say unto you, do not rush forward in filling and moving as you have, but I am calling you deeper into the place of making room to hear the direction for 2025. For there is great temptation to "plan as always has been" but I say unto you, can you hear the sound of the NEW springing forth in 2025? There are new things that I am going to bring forth, in and through your lives, in 2025, and I am calling you to come deeper in waiting upon Me for My direction for the coming year.

'There will be many twists and turns in 2025 as I continue to lead you and guide you in all that I have for you; and I say unto you, come deeper into holding your year with an open hand. For there are many "finishings" that are happening now and there are many "new beginnings" that will come forth in 2025. Come close, lean in and listen to My heart and what I have planned for 2025. I say unto you that 2025, for many, will be a year of seeing assignments that I have been speaking to you about for many years and preparing you for, come to fruition in this year. I say unto you that I am going to bring you into some full-circle assignments. I am going to bring you into some greater destiny assignments in 2025, that I have spoken to you from years ago, and as you step forward in obedience to where I am leading, it will move you into a whole new realm of moving with Me in realms you have not moved in before.

'Be not quick to move ahead on the first things that I begin to release to you for 2025. For 2025 will be a year of deeper depths in Me and in many areas of your life, and there is much that I will unpack for you in revelation, clarity and insight for 2025. Do not rush ahead and fill your calendars with what has been familiar: but I am calling you into the place of listening and waiting upon Me for My direction, for there are NEW FRONTIERS that will be opened up to you in 2025.'

'I am bringing My people deeper into the place of intercession and governing with Me in 2025, and you must make room and allow Me to teach you, train you and move you where I need you to be in 2025. I say unto you, the RIVER is rising. The river is rising. MY RIVER is rising in 2025; and as you live low and stay low, in the place of surrender, humility and tenderness and sensitivity to My leading—not rushing ahead—you will go where My River flows. For there is great tension, that many will find, to trade the RIVER for RUSHING. I say unto you, in 2025 there will be an even greater need for you, My people, to be sensitive to My leading, to My direction and My divine leading, wherever My river is flowing. My River will refresh and restore souls (Psalm 23) in a deeper way in 2025.



`As the River rises in 2025, I say unto you that there will be a greater increase of the offloading. You will see a greater mobilization of My Church and My army in 2025. As you continue to wait on Me and My leading and move where I am moving, in the moving, there will be a greater offloading of things that have been completed; things that have held you down; things that have been from past seasons; and the call to embrace the new places, spaces and frontiers that I am leading you into, in greater ways.

`My people do not be afraid of the leadings of My Spirit leading you into 2025 and the stretching that will come with these leadings. For I am bringing you into a deeper place of dependence and trust in who I am and what I have planned for you, and a greater understanding and demonstration of "Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit" in 2025. Unfamiliar and uncomfortable does not mean it is not Me. I am the God who continues to call you higher and call you outside the boat, and I have new lands for you to plough, new places for you to stand and new heights for you to occupy. Do not be dismayed by the battle for the high places in 2025, but know that I am leading you deeper into the place of governing with Me in prayer: and as you follow the leading of My Spirit and My strategy in intercession and obedience, you shall occupy in a greater way in 2025.

`For there will be much shaking that will take place in 2025 and as you stay low before Me in the place of intimacy and humility in 2025, you will find a strength, grace and empowerment in Me in 2025 that you have not known. You will find as you stay close to Me and deep in My Word in 2025, a stability of being grounded and founded in Me to not be shaken, in ways you have not experienced before. There will be unexpected empowerment for the unexpected places in 2025, and a grace to stand and stand in boldness like you have not experienced before in 2025.

`For I say unto you, that I am raising up the STORM CHASERS. Where storms have come and intimidated many of My people and they have RUN FROM the storm, I am raising up a people in 2025 that will run towards the storm in My authority and in My wisdom and speak "PEACE BE STILL". And there will be a greater overcoming of storms that comes as My Bride arises in greater unprecedented revelation of their authority in Me. There is a BOLDNESS that you have not seen before, to take Me at My Word and not move until what My Word says comes to pass in 2025.

`The spirit of fear has come heavily against many of you in the past few months, because the enemy knows that I am raising up a people of BOLDNESS like never before that will see many storms chased away and overcome IN MY NAME as they stand in a

new level of boldness in Me as they continue to see Me and who I am in deeper depths in the secret place. As many showdowns come forth in 2025, slow down and listen to My voice and what I am speaking and My strategies to pray and obey, and watch My fire fall.”

‘Watch the Word come to life in a greater way in 2025. Watch the increase of revelation and demonstration of the POWER of My Word in 2025. I am calling you, My people, deeper into My Word in 2025 and to take Me at My Word with a ferocious resolve. Watch how you will be consumed by My truth and the revelation of who I am in a greater way, that will see the GIANT SLAYERS ARISE in greater ways in 2025.’  
‘For I have much to show you and reveal to you for the coming year. Listen closely, for many divine mysteries, clarity, divine intelligence and strategy will be given to you—to arm and posture you for the coming year. For it will be very clear, in 2025, those who are walking in MY WAY and MY WISDOM and those who are living IN THE WORD, and those who are NOT. Come deeper, My people, listen to My heart and My voice, for there are new frontiers and moves of My Spirit ahead.’

**Kislev 23, 5785: Tuesday-December 24, 2024**

**Kathi Pelton**

**God Will Grant You the Desires of Your Heart**

**He gives great Gifts!**

**“Trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.”  
Psalm 37:3-4**

Psalm 37:3-4 were the scriptures that God spoke to my family when He asked us to move away from our home state to live in a new land that He was calling us to many years ago. In some version, verse 3 reads,

**“Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness.” Psalms 37:3**

As we obeyed His directions, His statutes and His ways, the Lord set a bountiful table of His faithfulness before us. We were drawn into safe, green pastures and saw His love and goodness rest upon our lives. As we yielded to being His delight, He in turn becomes our delight.

Psalm 37 goes on to say,

**“Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteous reward shine like the dawn, your vindication like the noonday sun.” Psalm 37:5-6**

We often hear prophetic words about personal breakthroughs and victories. But we must respond to the Lord and find out what our part is in that personal breakthrough. I believe this verse is a key to seeing that take place. “Commit your way to the Lord...” We must not commit part of our way or a portion of our life, but rather all. Commit it all! Fully trust Him without holding anything back, and watch the break of dawn shine forth and His vindication shine over you without any shadows.

Ask the Lord, “What do I need to commit to you that I have been holding back?” What you are holding back may be holding back your personal breakthrough. For example, I’ve heard of believers who could not get free of a poverty spirit, and it caused them to hold back from giving generously. Out of fear they held onto what they had, and what came upon them was more lack— not less. But, when they committed their finances to the Lord and they began to give generously, suddenly financial breakthrough came upon them. We must remember that His ways are not our ways, and most Kingdom ways will not make sense to our human understanding— such as giving something away to receive more.

**“Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.” Luke 6:38**

When Jesus gave His life as a ransom for us, He gave it all. Likewise, when we gave our lives to the Lord, we gave it all. We did not commit part, we committed all, or did we? If not, let’s re-commit and this time give it all.

During this last month of 2024, let’s realign and recommit all of our ways to the Lord. All of us have areas that need improvement and realignment— don’t wait for January and do it as some sort of New Year’s resolution— but do it today because He is worthy of all of us!

He is moving in such a sovereign way in this hour, but it is requiring that we yield to Him— and often this means getting “our way” out of His way. The places that our hearts have been divided and that we have been double-minded (or had compromise) are being realigned and made whole so that we might enjoy oneness of spirit with Christ (1 Corinthians 6:17 & John 17:20-23).

Today declare with David the words from **Psalm 23:**

**"The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."**

**Kislev 24, 5785: Wednesday-December 25, 2024**

**The 1<sup>st</sup> day of Hanukkah!**

**I haven't said much about Christmas and much needs to be said. Most of our regular followers recognize that Christ had to fulfill all of the scriptures. He came according to the times and seasons and most importantly the Hebrew historians. Historical documents indicate Yeshua was born on the first day of Tabernacles 3BC. It equates on our calendar to September 29<sup>th</sup> of that year. The key to the holidays is the celebration of his birth. I was talking to my dear friend Dr Greg Gerry about his endorsing Christmas, and he sent me an excellent letter that he includes with Christmas wishes to all of his friends. I love it, we need every bit of joy we can receive for the season and all the encouragement that come with it.**

**So from Frances and I, Merry Christmas! (Wade Butler)**

**Additionally a word from Erica Smith from November 26, 2023**

No matter how many times I read this, I just cannot do it without getting chills all over me! I bet you didn't know the following about the manger that Jesus was laid in. Of course mangers are animal feeding troughs but in ancient Israel they were made of stone - not what you would see in a modern-day nativity scene. Not comfortable, but great for protection. That's why those who were experts in this matter, the priests, would put their newborn lambs in them for protection. But not just any lamb, the unblemished perfect lambs that were used in the sacrifice for sins. And Bethlehem, where Jesus was born was FAMOUS for their UNBLEMISHED LAMBS used for the sacrifice. These lambs had to be perfect so they would wrap them tightly in cloth and lay them in the manger to keep them safe. This is exactly why the only time mangers are mentioned in Jesus' birth story it is being told to shepherds. In Luke 2 it says, **"This will be a sign for you, you will find a baby wrapped in cloth and lying in a**

**manger.”** The shepherds would have understood this powerful parallel! THEY KNEW what the cloth and the manger meant! This baby would be THE PERFECT LAMB OF GOD! The Messiah who would sacrifice His life for the sins of the whole world. He wasn't just a baby wrapped in swaddling clothes lying in a manger, He was GOD: perfect, sinless and Holy, humbling Himself to become the perfect sacrifice to reconcile us back to Himself!! THAT is my friend, that Perfect Lamb, and WHY we celebrate Christmas!!

**WHAT IS CHRISTMAS**  
**The Gerrie Family Beliefs 2024**  
**The heart of Christmas is CHRIST MASS.**

MASS means “cause to assemble as one body.” CHRIST is Jesus Christ the Savior of the world, so it is a time to gather “as one” to celebrate the Birth of Christ. Christ was not originally a name, but a title derived from the Greek word Christos, which translates the Hebrew term Mashiach ( מָשִׁיחַ Messiah), meaning “the anointed one.” Jesus Christ is the gospel. The word gospel is derived from the Anglo-Saxon term god-spell, meaning “good story,” a rendering of the Latin evangelium and the Greek euangelion, meaning “good news” or “good telling.” So, Jesus Christ IS the Good News! He is the savior of the world that whosoever calls on His name will be saved. Halleluiah!

**Many know that Christmas is really not on December 25!**

Under Emperor Constantine, the Church in Rome began celebrating Christmas on the 25th in 336 A.D. Some say the date was chosen to outshine the Sol Invictus and pagan celebrations. Some say it's a lie and even blasphemous to celebrate on December 25.

**Here is what we believe:**

The focus and celebration is what is important. The fact that God sent his only Son to die for our sins and to show us His glory is worthy of celebration daily and even hourly, but we will celebrate majorly with others in December rather than argue the date. To be clear, the two most important “events” in the history of the world are #1 the birth of Jesus Christ and #2 the death & resurrection of Jesus Christ.

**So, what about SANTA CLAUS?** (Sinterklaas in Dutch meaning St. Nicholas) The legend of Santa Claus is based on the story of St. Nicholas, a 4th-century Christian bishop from Myra, now in modern-day Turkey, who was an ardent follower of Jesus. St. Nicholas was known for his generosity and secret gift-giving. He was the patron saint of children and was often depicted in red bishop's robes along with his white beard. We love what he stood for. **We know Jesus is the GREATEST gift we can receive.** What is wrong with blessing others with gifts to celebrate Jesus Christ first, and second

for what St. Nick stands for, which is blessing others, especially children. Note that the wise men from the East were not three men with three gifts. It was an entire caravan of camels who brought mega amounts of gold as a symbol of Kingship on earth, Myrrh, a perfume that was used to anoint dead bodies (foreshadowing the future), and Frankincense (used for worship in the Temple and a symbol of the deity of Jesus Christ.) The generosity of the wise men was profound.

**What about HANUKKAH?** This is a Hebrew festival commemorating the recovery of Jerusalem and subsequent rededication of the Second Temple at the beginning of the Maccabean Revolt against the Seleucid Empire in the 2nd century BC. It is also called The Festival of Lights. We think this is significant, as the Temple in Jerusalem is the highest place to worship Adonai for the Jews. Our Jewish friends believe in the same God as we Christians do, but their (our) Messiah is yet to come. We love our Hebrew friends and celebrate Hanukkah with them. Surprise! Christmas day and Hanukkah both happen on December 25 this year. Let the lights shine and His Glory fill the Gerrie home and yours. Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah. May The Lord bring you great abundance this season.

Regardless of your beliefs, you are welcome and loved here. Sarah, Tina & Greg Gerrie

**Kislev 25, 5785: Thursday-December 26, 2024  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Hanukkah**

**Veronika West**

**"WATCH", Says the Spirit of God. "FOR A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS, DOUBLE TROUBLEMAKERS, AND GIANT SLAYERS IS RISING"**

**And then I heard the Spirit say,..**

"LISTEN, I SAY TO YOU 'WATCH!' FOR A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS IS BEING BIRTHED IN THE EARTH. A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS IS NOW EMERGING. A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS IS RISING TO BREAK, BREAK, BREAK AND SHATTER TO PIECES THE ALTARS OF BAAL. I SAY, GET READY REMNANT, FOR THE HOUR OF A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS IS HERE.

I DECREE: A Mighty New Breed of Breakers, Double Troublemakers and Giant Slayers Will Rise in 2025! A NEW BREED OF BREAKERS that will break up the fallow ground and break open the heavenly realm!! "It won't be by their might, but by My Spirit," says the

Lord. They will move and have their being in total Surrender and Radical Obedience unto God. They are Anointed and Appointed to Uproot, and Tear down, to Break and to Smash to pieces every Demonic stronghold and Stranglehold in high places.

Listen! There is a Sound of a Cry, A Piercing Cry like that of a Mother in Labor. For this is the Sound that shall be heard coming from the Ones who will weep and travail between the porch and the altar for the Destiny and Birthright of the Next Generation.

At the Sound of the Lion's Roar, the Eagles will soar, and they will carry the sound of heaven that will break open portals and atmospheres; that shall invite and make way for the Glory of God to come and inhabit their Praises.

These are the Violent Ones, a Mighty New Breed of Breakers in the Earth, Holy and Anointed Ones who know how to push through until they break through and Break to pieces the Arrows in their hands.

Ha! These are the New Breed of Breakers, Double Troublemakers and Giant Slayers that are Bold, fierce and Courageous and that have been Anointed and Armed with the Battle Axe of Awakening and Reformation. Yes! This New Breed of Breakers shall go forth to confront the counterfeit and cause great Chaos and Disruption in the Devil's Camp; A New Breed of Light Bearers and Glory Carriers that will bring Divine exposure to the demonic realm. Watch As Demonic powers and principalities bow down and flee in every direction at the very sight of this New Breed of Overcomers and Mighty Destroyers. I say this New Breed of Breakers will be known as THE MIGHTY DESTROYERS THAT HAVE DESTROYED THE DESTROYER OF DESTINIES. Watch! As this New Breed of Breakers goes forth to Agitate and even instigate War against the Enemy in the days ahead, I Call them My Double Troublemakers. NO LONGER WILL MY BREAKERS TOLERATE THE ALTARS OF BAAL AND THE RULE OF JEZEBEL AND AHAB.

These Double Troublers, These Mighty Breakers, will Become an Army of Madmen from the Seed of Jehu for this next generation. They are the undignified but Undeterred by the distractions and schemes of the devil. They are the Fiery, Burning Breakers that carry a flame that cannot be quenched. They are the LIVING SACRIFICES, Breakers that are Keepers of the Flame. They are the RADICAL. They are MY REDEEMED REFORMERS. They are MOUNTAIN MOVERS AND GIANT SLAYERS. They are the Mighty Breakers of the City of Zion Birthed FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS!!



WE PROPHECY THE MIGHTY BREAKER IS HERE. I want to Declare: "The Womb of the War Room will bring to Birth a New Breed of Breakers, Double Troublemakers and Giant Slayers that will BREAK, BREAK, BREAK, and Shatter to pieces the Altars of Jezebel and Baal in the Nations."

**So, rejoice, O sons of Zion, and be glad in the LORD your God, for He has given you the early rain for your vindication, and He has poured down for you the rain, the early and latter rain as before. (see Joel 2:23)**

**Kislev 26, 5785: Friday-December 27, 2024  
The 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of Hanukkah**

**Joe Joe Dawson: Victory Encounters with Religion, Slander & Betrayal**





The Lord gave me three prophetic dreams that serve as a warning of things that you might experience in this next season. I went to sleep near 11:00 P.M., and the Lord woke me up at 1:00 A.M., 2:30 A.M., and 4:00 A.M. to three separate dreams.

It is important to know that you have nothing to worry about. In Luke 10:19 it says, **"You will trample upon every demon before you and overcome every power satan possesses. Absolutely nothing will harm you as you walk in this authority."**

As I go through these dreams and explain what we are going to encounter in this upcoming season, have peace that through the power of God, we will overcome.

### **An Encounter with a Religious Spirit**

In my first dream, I was walking into a church, and immediately I could tell that I was on staff at this certain church. I was wearing a pair of shorts upon entering, and immediately the pastor laid into me, saying, "Joe Joe, you can't wear those shorts in the house of God. How can you call yourself a man of God and wear that in His house?"

My reaction was, of course, unfazed, but I recognized very quickly that it was a religious spirit.

Soon after, someone that the pastor respected walked in wearing shorts, and after that an entire family walked in wearing shorts. In total, about eight people walked in with shorts on, and the pastor didn't say anything in regard to it. I knew this meant that he hadn't lashed out at me because of the shorts, but he'd lashed out because he had something against me.

**Even when attacked by a religious spirit, we have to remain unfazed by the schemes of the enemy.**

Another key point of this dream was my reaction. I was very polite, smiled, and remained calm so that the Lord could have His way in the situation.

### **Accusation and Slander Behind Your Back**



In my second dream, once again, I was working at a church and walking across the parking lot, talking to a young man. I could tell in the dream that I did not trust this man, but I listened to him speak regardless. There were about four to five other people nearby, and the man asked me, "Hey, do you think I could borrow twenty dollars?" *(Photo via Picpedia)*

I responded, "Sure man, it's in my office; let me go grab it."

As I turned around and began to walk toward my office, the man told the people around him, "I'm never paying him back."

I turned around and said to him, "What? Excuse me?"

He responded, "Oh, I was just telling them how much I appreciate you and how you are like a mentor to me."

I turned to continue walking when he spoke again, saying, "I can't stand him, I am going to find a flaw in him or a way to expose him."

I turned around again and responded, "Now what are you saying, man?"

He responded once more, "I was just telling them how I wouldn't be where I am in life without you, man."

As this continued to happen, I noticed that each time I turned around there were less people standing near him until there was nobody. I went back to him and said, "Look man, you know why nobody helps you? You know why nothing is working out for you? Because you always come against people who are trying to help you."

I knew that I was dealing with the spirit of accusation and slander. When people come against you, don't get frustrated, because oftentimes people slander others because they are jealous and envious of someone else. **A piece of knowledge I often tell those in our mentoring program is this: "Never accept criticism from someone whom you wouldn't take advice from."** Don't let the spirit of accusation take you out. We have to keep our eyes fixed on what is coming ahead.

## A Thief Caught and Betrayal Exposed

In my third dream, I was outside in the same parking lot from my previous dream, and I was speaking with a few gentlemen. I then turned around to walk inside the church. Once I got inside, I looked through the window at the parking lot. I saw one of the guys whom I had been speaking with break into my car and attempt to steal some things, and I immediately went back outside. I could tell that he had a wad of cash from my car in his pocket, so I said, "Hey man, what are you doing?"

He responded, "Nothing."

When he was confronted by me, the other four men who had been with him fled quickly, and he looked both ways, seeing that everyone around him had left.

I approached him and said, "Hey man, I saw that you stole that cash from my car. Would you please give it back?"

He responded, "No sir, I didn't steal anything from you." *(Photo via Pexels)*

I tried to kindly ask him to return what had been taken, but he chose to lie and deny that anything had been stolen. There were other people standing around, uninvolved, and I asked them. "Hey, could you get the pastor and call the cops?" The most important part of the dream was what I said next: "... and call the proper authority."

I then walked up closer to him, because it seemed like he was trying to get away. As I put my arms around him, he immediately fell like a dishrag and crumbled in my arms. I knew immediately that this was the spirit of betrayal. Judas betrayed Jesus, and afterward he crumbled under the pain and disappointment of what he had done, just as this man had done in my dream.

**The Lord was teaching me that if betrayal comes, you must call on the proper authority to heal the situation.**

If you are doing anything for the Lord in this next season, then you will experience spirits like these: the vile religious spirit, the spirit of accusation and slander, or the spirit of betrayal. **Remember, these spirits have no power**



**over you, and they will continue to break under the power and authority of God, like it says in Luke 10:19.** The Lord will protect you from every attack of the enemy. Always stay in the will of God, and remain wise while we advance and build as the Body of Christ.

**Kislev 27, 5785: Saturday-December 28, 2024**

**4<sup>th</sup> Day of Hanukkah**

**Veronika West**

**"Kingdom and Covenant Coalitions Now Taking Place Over the Nations";**  
**<https://www.hiskingdomprophecy.com/kingdom-and-covenant.../>**

**Today during Worship,**  
**I heard these Words, "Kingdom and Covenant Coalitions are now beginning to take place across The Nations."**

The term "Coalition" means: Cooperation and a collaboration, where parties involved are working together in a harmonious, united, and effective way to achieve a goal or purpose.

I heard The Spirit say, "Watch! For I AM setting up a Kingdom Coalition Government on the earth in these days.

"For I AM calling My Ecclesia to come into a Divine Coalition with My Will and with My Word that My Kingdom Government may be built and established in The Nations of the earth.

"I say, come into a Divine Coalition with My Glory and with My Power and Authority — and watch as I turn Nations upside down and inside out. Watch, for I say, I AM also calling My People to come into a Covenant Coalition with one another — for Covenant Coalitions will begin to form in these days, a supernatural co-laboring and supernatural cooperating with one another in The Spirit of Unity, Submission and radical Love for one another. For even as My Ecclesia come into a Divine Kingdom Coalition with My Spirit, so they shall come into Covenant Coalitions with one another, to build and to rebuild, to uproot and to tear down! Watch! — for I say, Kingdom and Covenant Coalitions are now taking place for the advancing of My Plans and Purposes on the earth!"

I believe we are going into a Season when God is calling for a Kingdom Coalition — for us to come into a Divine Coalition with Heaven — to come into Divine Alignment with Heaven — and to begin to co-labor and partner with Heaven in order to impact and shift the earth realm.

As The Ecclesia, we are entering into a Time and Season when God is also calling us into a time of Covenant Coalitions and Collaborations — to link arms and come together in unity — and in one accord, to build and establish His Government on the earth!

God is calling us to come to places of humility and surrender, and to submit to His Will and Ways, and to begin to come into a Kingdom Coalition, both with Heaven and with one another, for greater impact and influence on the earth.

Today, we want to Decree and Declare that we are now coming into a Time of Kingdom and Covenant Coalitions with Heaven and with one another for Kingdom Advancement on the earth!

We Decree and Declare that as we move into 2025, we are being Divinely Aligned and portioned as Kings and High Priests, to co-labor and collaborate with Heaven in the earth realm.

Blessings to you all.

~ by Veronika West

**Kislev 28, 5785: Sunday-December 29, 2024**  
**5<sup>th</sup> Day of Hanukkah**



**Lana Vawser**

**I HEARD THE LORD SAY 'CLOSED AND COVERED BY MY BLOOD'**

Recently, I heard the Lord say, 'Closed and covered by My blood.'

I then went into a vision, and I began to see circumstances that have been giants in the lives of believers - open doors (landing places the enemy has had), long standing battles that have had seemingly no breakthrough or victory manifested, and places of ongoing attack in the lives of many believers. As they leaned into the Lord, standing on His Word, walking by faith, these circumstances were suddenly closed and covered by the blood of the Lamb.

There was such a strong sense in this vision of the 'ending' of many long-standing battles, addictions and oppositions suddenly being broken by the power of the blood of Jesus.

What struck me in this vision was the posture of these beautiful followers of Jesus. Their hearts were so tender towards Him. There was such a humility in the hearts of these ones who were desperately crying out for freedom and an 'ending' to these areas where victory has felt delayed and so far away. Their hearts were postured in such a beautiful place of yielded surrender to the Lord, lifting and exalting His name, His Word, His faithfulness and the power of His blood to the highest place.

There was a cry that came from their hearts that echoed **Psalm 139:23-24:**  
**Search me [thoroughly], O God, and know my heart;**  
**Test me and know my anxious thoughts;**  
**And see if there is any wicked or hurtful way in me,**  
**And lead me in the everlasting way. (AMP)**

I could feel that the heart posture of these ones before the Lord moved His heart deeply.

The sense continued to surround me of 'FINALITY', and I could feel the invitation from the Lord to these ones to join their FAITH with the decree of the Lord: 'FINALITY.' When I saw the word 'FINALITY' in this encounter, the sense was not one of a soft, gentle ending – it came with a FEROCIOUS SEVERING. It was the power of the Lord's mighty hand. It was the avenger who comes to bring justice, recompense and freedom – that is already theirs in Christ – in such a powerfully ferocious, loving way.

This weightiness of this invitation, to join their FAITH with the FINALITY that He was decreeing, was an invitation to stand stronger upon, and more deeply in, the FINALITY that came through the CROSS and RESURRECTION of Jesus Christ. I could see a mighty shift happening within hearts, where the Spirit of God was moving them more deeply into the place of conviction, faith, and awakening to the truth that EVERYTHING has been paid by Christ at the Cross.

**It was then that I heard the Lord say:**

'I am raising up My people with a stronger conviction and a greater fire within them that roars, "IT IS DONE! It has ALL been paid for at the Cross and by the broken body and shed blood of the Lamb. **IT IS DONE! IT IS DONE! IT IS DONE.**"'

It was then that I began to see such a mighty shift taking place within their expectations, their prayers, and their decrees. I watched as these ones were coming alive like never before in the revelation of what is theirs in Christ. This deeper awakening to the revelation of what Christ has purchased fueled a greater boldness, broke heavy weariness and discouragement, and lit a fire within them that saw them praying and declaring in their lives from a greater place of victory. I then heard the Lord speak again:

'Where I am decreeing FINALITY, where I am decreeing CLOSED AND COVERED by My blood – in these great and mighty endings and servings that are taking place – I am bringing My people through new doors of a new day of healing, freedom and justice.'

When the Lord spoke the word 'JUSTICE' it felt like an earthquake happened in the Spirit.

**I then heard the Lord speak again:**

'The endings and severings that I am bringing forth in this hour are going to see mighty demonstrations of My justice come forth with such power of My Spirit that will cause My people to tremble in awe and wonder of who I am – the Almighty One. My people, ARISE! I am increasing the revelation of the power of My blood in this hour. Raise your faith and expectations, for a MIGHTY FINALITY is taking

place. I am the Lord your God, the One who brings justice on your behalf. The days of justice have BEGUN!

**Kislev 29, 5785: Monday-December 30, 2024**

**6<sup>th</sup> Day of Hanukkah**

**Nate Johnston**

**I Heard the Lord Say, "I Will Smash the Rocks of Transition Anxiety"**

This week, as I was praying over the pioneers, I received a vision that spoke powerfully of where many of us are right now. In this vision, I saw people standing in a tight path surrounded by mountains that seemed to press in on them from all sides.

Their faces showed a mix of confusion and uncertainty, as though they were struggling to discern which way to go. As I watched, I felt the Lord impress upon me that this was a picture of those in transition, a season marked by movement, yet filled with questions and unknowns.

**Thrust into Transition**

Right now, many pioneers have been suddenly thrust into this season of transition, where everything seems to be shifting around them. Assignments that once brought purpose have come to a close. Relationships that once felt secure have faded or ended. It's as though God is clearing the slate, changing everything to prepare each person for the next assignment, the new thing He has in store. The Lord's heart for us in this moment is to rest in Him and not be overwhelmed by the movement and change.

We're not to stress, strive, or hustle our way through this season, nor are we to lose the peace He has given us. But in the vision, as I continued to look at these pioneers, suddenly, I saw rocks being hurled at them from seemingly nowhere. These rocks were not large or threatening enough to cause real harm, but the pioneers responded as if they were deadly. Rocks in scripture often represent obstacles, burdens, or even accusations in the spirit.

During transition, the enemy uses these rocks as tools to create distraction and unrest, seeking to chip away at the confidence, joy, and hope we are meant to carry in these times of change. In this case, these rocks were more than just small irritations; they symbolized deeper issues at play.



## **Anxiety, Fear, and the Battle of the Mind**

As I asked the Lord what these rocks represented, He revealed that they were fear, anxiety, and foreboding. Many pioneers have endured difficult seasons of transition in the past, seasons where they faced hardship, uncertainty, and unresolved pain. Now, in this current transition, the enemy is stirring up those old anxieties and fears, seeking to trigger feelings of insecurity and foreboding.

These small rocks are reminders of past seasons that the enemy is using to create turmoil in the mind, and that's what this is right now - a battle of the mind, a relentless onslaught of thoughts that pull us back to survival mode and that old wilderness mentality.

The enemy wants us to believe that this transition will be like the painful ones we've endured before. But the Lord is saying that this time, it's different. He wants us to resist the temptation to dwell on fear, and instead, press into the peace He's offering.

### **Breaking the Rocks of Anxiety and Fear**

In the vision, as I continued to see the rocks pelting these pioneers, I heard the Lord say: "I am going to break the rocks and stones of anxiety and foreboding that have been over my people."

He brought to my mind Jeremiah 23:29, which says:

**"Is not my word like fire," declares the Lord, "and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?"** God's word is a hammer that shatters the rocks that have burdened His people, breaking every lie, every doubt, and every foreboding thought that the enemy has tried to use against them. Where anxiety has felt like a constant assault, God is declaring that His word will bring freedom and clarity. He is removing the remnants of past traumas and resetting His people for the joy, purpose, and victory that lie ahead.

### **The key right now - THE WORD**

The key right now to breaking free from these rocks of fear and anxiety is to immerse ourselves in the Word of God. This is a practical word for us in this season. We are called to take out the Word, meditate on it, and let it transform our minds. Let it be as the hammer that breaks through the lies and distortions the enemy has used to cloud our vision.

The enemy has been waging war over our minds because he knows that if he can capture our thoughts, he can keep us flustered, anxious, and unable to discern God's direction. But as we root ourselves in the Word, we reclaim our authority over our

minds. We're not to dwell on fear, but instead to anchor ourselves in the promises God has spoken over us.

### **TAKE BACK THE GROUND**

As we reclaim our peace and mental clarity, the fog of confusion will begin to lift. Where we have felt flustered, we will find renewed focus and calm. As God smashes the rocks of transition anxiety, He will release fresh strategies and wisdom. Our minds will be free to hear His voice clearly, to move forward without fear, and to embrace this new season with joy. The Lord is leading us into a place of freedom, not bondage.

He is guiding us to a place where we can dream with Him again, where transition is not marked by survival but by excitement for what lies ahead. As we allow God to break the rocks and restore our peace, we will receive the strategies we need to move forward boldly, and unafraid. This is His promise over us in this season. He is breaking the rocks of anxiety and foreboding. He is restoring clarity and peace. And as we walk in this, we will see the fullness of His plans unfold before us, unafraid and with great expectation for what He has prepared.

### **Let me pray for you;**

Lord, we come before You, surrendering every fear, anxiety, and foreboding that has tried to cling to us in this season of transition.

We thank You, Lord, that You are the God who goes before us, who sees every obstacle, every challenge, and every unknown. You know the depths of our hearts and the wounds we've carried from past seasons. Today, we release those burdens to You, knowing that You desire to heal and restore us.

Father, we invite Your Word to be the hammer that breaks every rock of fear and anxiety in our lives. We ask that You shatter every lie, every doubt, and every foreboding thought that the enemy has used to cloud our minds. Let Your truth replace every anxious thought and fill us with clarity and peace.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You to fill the places in our minds and hearts that have been disturbed by transition. Give us the strength to resist fear, to move out of survival mode, and to embrace the new season with confidence and joy. We ask for a reset in our spirits, for fresh vision, and for the excitement of dreaming with You again.

Lord, we declare that You are breaking the rocks that have tried to hinder us. We receive the strategies, wisdom, and direction You are releasing. Let our minds be clear and our hearts be at peace, so we can walk forward unafraid, knowing that You have prepared the way of this transition, and we no longer have to fear in Jesus name!

**Kislev 30, 5785: Tuesday-December 31, 2024**  
**7<sup>th</sup> Day of Hanukkah**



**Charlie Shamp**

I heard the Spirit of the Lord say, "Just as I poured out My Spirit on the day of Pentecost, I am now calling you into a season of unprecedented empowerment and blessing. I say, do not be afraid of the shaking you have experienced, for I am building a strong foundation in you, and from the ashes of trials, I will bring forth a vibrant, thriving life in you that will reflect My glory. You have sown in tears, but now you shall reap in joy. The time has come for you to step into the fullness of your calling.

I am doubling the anointing upon your life, your ministry, and your mission. This double portion will empower you to advance My Kingdom in ways that will astonish you. You will see breakthroughs in areas that seemed impossible. The gifts I have placed within you will be activated like never before, bringing healing, deliverance, and salvation to those who are lost.

My presence to be magnified in you. I am calling you to deeper intimacy with Me, for it is in My presence that you will find the strength and wisdom to fulfill the great commission. In this season, The resources you need both spiritual and material will be provided abundantly. Look not to your limitations but to My limitless power, for I am the God who can do exceedingly abundantly above all that you ask or think. Prepare your hearts, for I am sending a fresh wind of revival. This is a time for bold prayers and daring faith. As you seek My face, I will reveal to you strategies and insights that will transform your community. You are called to be a beacon of hope, a city set on a hill, shining brightly in the darkness.

Embrace the double portion I am giving to you, and know that it is not for your glory, but for Mine. Go forth with confidence, for I am with you, and I will accomplish My purposes through you.”

## CONCLUSION

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