



WAKE UP!!!



IT'S

NO DREAM!!!!!!!

THIS IS REALLY 2016...

AND IT IS **"LATER"** THAN YOU THINK!!!!!!

PEOPLE **"WAKE-UP"**

AND GET *READY*.....

**JESUS IS COMING IN THE
RAPTURE...**

REAL SOON!!!!!!!

**ARE YOU “REALLY, REALLY,
READY... FOR
REAL”?**

THE SCARIEST WORDS IN ALL EXISTANCE
“DEPART FROM ME, I NEVER KNEW YOU.”



THERE'S ONLY “HEAVEN OR HELL” FOR YOU TO CHOOSE FROM!!

CHOOSE YE THIS DAY WHOM YOU SHALL SERVE!

(Joshua 24:15).



“OH NO! JESUS IS NOT COMING”!!!!

OH YES HE IS COMING BACK!

STOP LYING TO YOURSELF!!!!!!

AND, HELL IS HOT (WORSE THAN A TOWERING INFERNO), BLACK (DARK), TORMENT, “WATERLESS” AND IT IS “REAL” FOR ALL ETERNITY AND, I PROMISE, “YOU DON'T WANT TO GO”!



PRAISE THE LORD MEN OF GOD!!!!!!

All “PRAISES” are to our WONDERFUL LORD AND SAVIOR, JESUS

*us to see another New Year! 2016! **WOW!!!!** AND, WHAT A YEAR **2015 WAS!!!** BUT WE KNEW THAT IF GOD BROUGHT US TO IT, HE WOULD BRING US THROUGH IT! **AMEN?!***

HERE'S A TRUE and "URGENT", OPEN VISION

*Listen, around the 10th of December (2015), God showed me a vision. Sitting in front of my computer, **wide awake**, I saw a family. They loved Jesus, they were very religious and prided themselves to be "**devout (church going) Christians**". However, it appeared that they were very occupied with some **pending legal affairs at this time. They were inside of a court house setting and they were waiting for the lawyer to come in.** While waiting, the mother decided to go into the restroom. As soon as she left, the lawyer came and began to check to see if everyone was present. **Noticing that the mother was not there he asked, "Where is your mother"?** The family answered, "**Oh, she is in the restroom**". He walked over to the door of the restroom and began to **call** her name. The mother answered, "**Yes**"? But the lawyer **continued** to call her name. **AND, SHE CONTINUED TO ANSWER HIM.** This kept on until they both began to feel *frustrated*.*

Suddenly, the lawyer stuck his head *into the bathroom* and called out to her a little *louder*. Still, *she answered him a little louder!* **Puzzled**, he kept looking back at the family saying, "**There is NO ONE IN HERE. ARE YOU SURE THAT SHE CAME INTO THIS RESTROOM**"? They all answered, "**YES**". So, he stepped *inside* of the restroom and continued to call her name. *She stepped out of the stall*, looked at him and said, "**What is wrong with you? Don't you see me standing here? Answering you**"?!? Again, the lawyer yelled back to her family, "There is *NO ONE* in here"! Almost angry, the mother walked over to him and pushed him and said, "**You mean you don't see me**"? *You standing here acting like I am invisible or dead or something.* At that very moment, someone walked over to the family and said, "**We are sorry to have to tell you this, but your mother has been DEAD for**

That is why the lawyer could not hear or see her **BUT** she could see and hear him. **Her life was over! She wanted to panic.... To scream... Or to simply wish for just *one more second* of life! One more second to try to get things right that she had neglected to get right in life. One more second to**

humble down and repent to that person that she had held “bitterness, resentment, unforgiveness and hatred” in her heart for. One more second. But, she knew that it was **NO USE. IT WAS OVER! JUST ONE MORE SECOND! JUST “ONE” MORE SECOND! JUST “ONE” MORE SECOND?? YOU BETTER CHECK YOUR PULSE, RIGHT NOW!**

WHAT COULD WE ALL DO WITH JUST “ONE MORE SECOND”???
WELL, HOW OLD ARE YOU RIGHT NOW? WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH ALL OF THOSE SECONDS OF YOUR LIFE THAT YOU LET SLIP BY YOU? HOW MANY “SECONDS” DID YOU USE UP LYING? OR HATING SOMEONE, OR HOLDING GRUDGES AND UNFORGIVENESS? KEEPING UP MESS? CURSING? STEALING? GETTING HIGH? INTO PERVERSION? OR REFUSING TO REACH OUT AND HELP SOMEONE WHO WAS IN NEED?

NOTICE, THERE HAD BEEN NO WARNING SIGNS THAT THIS WAS ABOUT TO HAPPEN! **NO BELLS OR FLASHING LIGHTS! NOT EVEN A SICKNESS, SURGERY, COLD/FLU OR A HOSPITALIZATION! JUST, HERE ONE “SECOND” AND GONE THE NEXT. TOTALLY “UNEXPECTED”. WHAT A SHOCK!!!!!!** As I was sharing this “VISION” with our congregation, God gave me to ask each person **THOSE QUESTIONS!** See, we always want to say, **“Oh, I know that Jesus called me to preach or teach. Or, “I know that HE gave me a healing ministry and anointed me to lay hands on the sick”.**

Yet, if you keep listening, you will hear them say, **“I know that I am not ALL that I should be”, Or, “I know that I am NOT doing what God called me to do”.** Then my question is, **“Why NOT?”** Again, **how OLD are you right now? You have had NOTHING BUT TIME TO START doing EVERYTHING, (every Purpose and every destiny) that God has put**

What is SO important that you keep holding on to it? Is it ***“THAT” SPECIAL*** that you keep allowing it to **HINDER YOU** from doing what God has called you to do? *What about your purpose and destiny?*

DON'T YOU KNOW THAT YOUR SOUL IS AT STAKE?!?!?!?

*I remember when Sister Tomyia preached her first sermon, years ago. She said that she had a vision that she and the devil were **locked up together**, tightly. It appeared that they were wrestling or tussling! She began to scream at the devil, **“Turn me loose”!** The devil replied, **“I ain't got you! You got me! You came all the way down to HELL and got me! You need to let ME go!”** Look Brothers, we need to STOP playing with God and with the *devil!**

Stop omitting and START admitting! Why keep **lying to ourselves** that something **has us**? You quickly say, **“That HABIT of lying got me and it won't let me go! That spirit of perversion, or pornography has got me SO bound! It will not turn me loose! Drug addiction has me hooked and it will not let me go! Lust OR MASTERBATION has me wrapped up”!** Come on Men, who are we fooling for real? STOP kidding yourself! Those things DO NOT HAVE YOU! YOU HAVE THEM! Just TURN THEM LOOSE AND LET THEM “GO”! **The devil is a lie!** All you got to do is make it up in your mind that **“THIS IS IT”** and take one step towards FREEDOM IN THE HOLY GHOST!

*I keep remembering **Brother John John's testimony!*** He came to the service one night, got convicted by the Word of God and the ANOINTING of the Holy Ghost led him to the altar. While down there, God led me to take my towel and just hit him in his back lightly, seven (7) times. Seven means COMPLETE! He said that as he was leaving the service, that night, he looked at some of the men and told them, **“That's it for me, I AM THROUGH WITH THE GAME! I AM OUT OF IT”!** And, you know what? I have gotten so many letters from other men whose lives have been changed by just watching Brother John John's life! Right there in that prison! Many have said, **“Pastor, If God could change John- John's life, I know he can change mine”.** Many have come to Christ because of his witnessing the POWER of CHRIST to them! Who knows WHAT you are living better than your peers?

That night, *Brother John-John became a BRAND NEW MAN IN CHRIST JESUS! AND IT SHOWS!* Hold on Brother John-John! Be encouraged! We love you and are praying for you! Brothers, God's WORD **cuts**! And, if you REALLY want it to, it will cut YOU loose from all bondage, too! Hallelujah! There is no better or perfect time to get Holy, be Holy and live Holy... than RIGHT NOW! Lay aside every weight and the SIN that has been so easily besetting YOU! IT'S TIME TO LIVE HOLY! ***God gave me this passage of scripture.** This is serious, urgent and it is NOTHING TO BE TAKEN LIGHTLY! PLEASE, GET YOUR BIBLE AND TURN WITH ME TO THE BOOK OF **REVELATION 2:1-7.**

Now remember as you read, **"YOU"** are the Church! **(To the Church in Ephesus)** - *"To the angel of the church in Ephesus write": These are the words of him who holds the seven stars in his right hand and walks among the seven golden lampstands. O.K. now! Let's examine each verse as we go! First, who is the ANGEL OF THE CHURCH? The CHIEF Pastor! Who is he that holds these seven stars and walks among the seven golden lampstands? JESUS! (our Lord and our example)! And, who are the stars and the "golden lampstands"? WE ARE!!!!* However, just like the Church of Ephesus, many of us forget the **qualifications** of being like our example, **JESUS CHRIST!!!!**

The Church at Ephesus needed to remember their Lord as being, not only a loving God, but the one who actually was HOLDING each of them in HIS hands! Their very BREATH! The Church's first love had gone out of their Christian walk! Anytime this happens, there is always a tendency to fall into a **mechanical faith** that is **strong against heresy**, but tolerant of **conventionalism.** Notice that the Church of Ephesus's temptations **DID NOT ARISE FROM THE PREVALENCE OF ERROR, OR THE BITTERNESS OF PERSECUTION, BUT FROM A DISPOSITION TO FALL BACKWARD AND AGAIN, DO THE DEAD WORKS OF THE PAST.**

There was not so much need to take heed unto their doctrine, but there was great need that they should take heed unto **THEMSELVES (1Timothy 4:16).** See, there is **danger** because **"earnestness"** in the Holy cause is dying out,

fitting than to be reminded of Him whose hand can strengthen and uphold them, and who walks among the candlesticks, to supply them with **the oil of fresh love?** (**Zechariah 4:2-3; Matthew 25:3-4.**)

Let's examine the Church's RESUME' given by the Lord Jesus Christ, himself in Revelation! ² **I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance. I know that you cannot tolerate wicked people, that you have tested those who claim to be apostles but are not, and have found them false.** ³ **You have persevered and have endured hardships for my name, and have not grown weary.**

WOW!! *What a resume' for the Lord Jesus to give to someone! A perfect profile if I have ever seen one! How sad it is though that it is at this point that **TOO MANY OF US START TO GET THE BIG HEAD, THE STUCK OUT CHEST, AND THE STOIC LOOK OF PRIDE!** Look what alphabet is in the middle of pride... "I". (It is up to you to take it out!) "I did this... "I did that". See that is the danger of any kind of success... especially spiritual! God uses us a little bit and we get to a place where we start believing that **WE did it our self!** We start publishing our **OWN newspapers and believing our OWN PRESS!***

*If we don't take the "I" out of pride, our actions then **STOP** being God's actions and start being mechanical and conventional with traditionalism! We suddenly forget God's Love, compassion and kind-heartedness! **We become the JUDGE, JURY and EXECUTIONER of others!** BUT look at what God says about that! He adds this **codicil to your perfect resume'**: ⁴ **Yet I hold this against you: You have forsaken THE LOVE you had at first.** WHAT?!? Yes! You have forsaken your first love! Remember when you first got saved? You were **SO** loving! You cared about everybody and had compassion on everybody! **You went that extra mile** with people and never looked down on anyone. **You actually looked at a sinner THROUGH GOD'S "LOVING" EYES!** You hated the sin but **STILL LOVED THE SINNER!** **But NOT now!** You are talking to people like dogs, treating people like dogs, looking at people like dogs... And, you are doing it in the name of being **"RIGHTEOUSLY INDIGNANT"**! Jesus was upset with the money changers in the TEMPLE, and he drove them out but He still did it in LOVE!*

I preach against the sin of HOMOSEXUALITY, PORNOGRAPHY, STEALING, etc. But, I still LOVE THE PERSON! They have a SOUL and I am in the BUSINESS OF **“WINNING SOULS”** for the KINGDOM! **Years ago, I had a Chaplain at one of the prisons to say to me, “Mother, you are around here hugging, and shaking the hands of these NASTY inmates. Some of them are homosexuals. You better stop it. Protect yourself”!** You know Men of God, I probably could have received it a little better **if he had been concerned about my health or safety.** But, he clearly made it very plain that he was looking DOWN on the inmates instead (**AND HE WAS A PASTOR**). I respectfully expressed that **God loves us all** and except for the **GRACE** of God, **THERE GO I (AND HIM).**

A little more recently, a beautiful Brother in Christ, who is also a Pastor had just finished preaching a sermon. Afterwards, a long time member (a female) came up to him. Appearing to be upset, she said, “Pastor, I am leaving the Church! God told me that my season here is up”! The Pastor never stopped walking. He simply responded, **“Oh, O.K”.** **Very shocked, the sister asked, “Is that ALL you got to say”?** He looked at her and said, **“Well, sister, What else do you want me to say? That’s all that I CAN say. SEE, I CAN’T GIVE SECOND OPINIONS ON GOD. When God speaks, He speaks! And, whatever God says, IT IS FINAL”!** God is final AUTHORITY! Listen, never get a second opinion on God.

If the Lord said that, Don’t ask NOBODY what they think! Well, instead of the sister just leaving, she wanted to stand there and **ARGUE.** This started to frustrate the Pastor now because he felt her **“upset spirit”** transferring to him. He said, “LOOK, either tell me what your real problem is or you need to go on about your business”. Very angry now, she pointed her finger at him and shouted, **“There is a young girl in the choir and she is “pregnant” and she is NOT married! And, YOU know about it”!** **The pastor responded, “Yes, I do. There is not much that goes on around here that I don’t know about”.** She really started ranting and raving then. She threw her hands up and down in the air and yelled, “Oh No! I just can’t live like this”!!! The Pastor grabbed her hand and said, **“Well sister, let me apologize to you and pray for you. But, first let me tell you something that you did not know. THE GIRL THAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT GOT SAVED LIKE THAT!**

*And, she is dealing with a DRUG situation while trying to deal with an infant, **BUT SHE CAN SING!** And, I just happen to know that her gift is entwined with her SALVATION! So, if I STRIP her of her singing, I can **BACKSLIDE** her without her permission, and I am **NOT** in the business of causing people to **Backslide**”!*

Men of God, what would happen if there was a physical mark that came up on every person that sinned? Have you ever fallen and hurt yourself? Surely, you would think that people would really **STAND** with you during that season. But, “**NO**”! They come, look at you, turn and walk away from you! **Listen, the HELL that you are going through AIN’T coming from ENEMIES but from FRIEND-IMIES!!!** See, an enemy cannot get close enough to me to inflict the type of wound and pain that a “**SO CALLED FRIEND**” could. Watch your friends! (Your click)!

You better learn how to be “**KIND**”, because you don’t know what’s gonna hit you tomorrow. Listen, the Pastor said that (3) nights later, that same sister that said God told her to leave the Church, was now sitting five rows back as he began to preach. **He felt himself getting upset.** He thought, “*What is she doing here now? Didn’t she say that God told her that her season here was up*”! Well, the Pastor starts to thinking, “*When exactly is your season up*”?

Did God give you a “two-week notice” or something”? After he finished preaching this time, here she comes again! This time she is crying, “**Pastor, when I went home, my daughter came to me and told me that SHE IS PREGNANT**”! The Pastor asked, “**Isn’t your daughter in the choir**”? Yes, she answered, and she is threatening to leave the CHURCH, but I need her to stay in Church under the **WORD**”!! **The Pastor thought to himself, “Now, you wanted me to fling this young girl OUT of the Church but now you want me to Protect your ‘pregnant’ daughter! And, besides, Did you ‘forget’ or get a re-instatement or get an extension from God on your season being ‘UP’ here at this Church**”?

Listen Brothers, a few years ago, a precious Pastor here in Birmingham and I were discussing providing hygiene items for prisoners. “**Oh, No**”! **She declared! Never will I give a prisoner ANYTHING! They should not have done the CRIME! They get (3) meals a day, have clean clothes, live for free” and SO ON... etc.** I just said It’s OK sweetheart, God always provides”! **Guess what?** The next week, one of her only 3 sons was **looking**

directly into jail, prison, death or hell through an alcohol bottle. She called me frantic. I immediately took her to Jesus first, then to a *Natural Source* of help. Not one time did I ever say, **“TOLD YOU SO”**. We just never know, do we? “The problem is that these are the Christians that are more **SPIRITED** than **SPIRITUAL**. Always finding fault with others. Holier than thous! They are the ones that God speaks *to and through* ALL OF THE TIME, *but they don't LOVE NOBODY BUT THEMSELVES!!!!!!*

Now, let's look back at Revelation 2 and verse 5. Jesus said:

⁵ Consider how far YOU have fallen!

In other words, “HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN HOW *NASTY, DIRTY AND SINFUL YOU WERE?* Have you forgotten that you used to do the SAME “vile”, “nasty and corrupt” things? THINGS THAT THEY ARE DOING NOW AND WORSE? I PICKED YOU UP! Now look at yourself! It is OK to look down on the SIN! But, How dare you LOOK DOWN ON SOMEONE ELSE **(the person)**! Just as you were, you came to me and I picked you up, **(filthy and raggedy)** and loved you! Now look at you! Clean on the OUTSIDE and well Shaven but INSIDE, “EMPTY and VOID” of MY LOVE! Where is the Love of God? Just look at how far you have fallen!

(verse 5 continues)-Repent and do the things you did at first. If you do not repent, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its Place!

Listen, a LAMPSTAND is what stands firmly and HOLDS the CANDLE (in order to allow the light to SHINE brightly). However, since Faith works by love, and you have LOST your love, then you have NO FAITH THAT SOULS WILL BE SAVED! Your “LOVELESS” spirit is the reason that they are NOT being saved. **Ephesians 2:8-9- says:** ⁸ For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God ⁹ **Not of works, lest any man should boast.**

So, therefore, since NO SOULS are being saved and since you are NOT accomplishing WHAT YOU WERE PUT HERE ON THIS EARTH TO DO, then *you are ONLY taking up space!* So, God says, “REPENT”! That means **“MAKE A CHANGE”!** Or He promises to come quickly and REMOVE YOU from the HOLY SPACE that you are uselessly occupying on this earth! *(Any blood on your hands)? You blow your own witness because it is void and*

father, Kenneth Hagin, that God **DOES** need us, **BUT HE IS NOT DEPENDENT ON US!** We are replaceable! While we are running around here thinking that the Sun will not shine if we do not come to Church, or join in the prayer circle or give an offering, or give our support to a ministry... God is about to show you that He does not have a problem finding ways to discipline you! Can I tell you that YOU ARE NOT *indispensable*?

TRUE STORY!!! - *My mother was a Holy Ghost filled Pastor.* Years ago, a young lady came to the service and God saved, delivered and set her free from sin. *She was one of the best Pianist/Organist/Singers in the entire city of Birmingham.* (Very well known and she had one of the BEST jobs in the City). She told my mother that she was so grateful for being delivered that she felt compelled to join the Church and PLAY for the ministry. And she did. She never missed a service, and she was always on time. **Our Church was a small congregation** but we still took up an offering for her, even though she insisted that she was just GLAD to be using her gift for the Lord. She did not appear to need the money. **(She was SO talented!** She drove a Big Stylish Car! She herself, was not pretty, (at all) on the outside. But, **she was very BEAUTIFUL on the inside.** See, she was not only gifted, talented, well-educated and endowed with artistic capabilities but she was very Sweet and **HUMBLE, too!** I was just a young lady at the time, but I was very impressed and inspired by her humility. Listen, this woman could just **“hit”** a chord on the piano in a sleep/dead Church and everyone in the building **would wake up** with Praises to GOD! The HOLY GHOST through her, **“ROCKED THE HOUSE”!** And, she did it WITHOUT any effort! I mean, without exaggeration, she was the BEST there was! We had a little boy in the ministry also. **His name was Prince.** **He loved to TRY to play the piano.** You know how kids love to BANG on the piano after service! He wanted to learn to play SO BAD! Well, it was not long that our choir was being invited to sing everywhere. It appeared that, once again, everyone in Birmingham began to call on this lady to play for their engagements! She was really in high demand. She really got into the money. She started dressing very extravagantly! She started coming to the Church services very late. **on**

would sit in the back of the Church. She heard the saints struggling through the song/praise/worship service but she would *sit back* and NOT MOVE! Everyone would look back at her and motion for her to go to the piano. *She would simply shake her head “NO” and wave her hand. She had this proud, arrogant look on her face and unless the Pastor almost BEGGED her to come to the piano, she sat motionless, with her arms resting on top of the pews, stretched out on either side of her.* She would tell the choir members that if the Church could not pay her what she was WORTH, then she was NOT going to play. There was also a young lady named *Denise* in the Church.

She was just learning to play. She could play *some* songs by SHEET MUSIC. She was NOT comfortable with playing for the service, *but she tried*. One night, after months of “begging” the other sister to come up and play, Pastor did something different! She was about to entreat this woman to come up again, but instead, she turned to this *little “boy” who wanted to play REALLY BADLY.* Then, she turned to Sister Denise and called them BOTH up. *Pastor said, “God told me NOT to beg Sister... to come up anymore. Instead, He told me to anoint these two young people to play under the anointing”!* Pastor obeyed God and from that time on, God’s anointing was on those two people like **crazy**. And, **guess who Prince played just like? Yes, that sister!** Today, He has become a household name in Birmingham. It seemed like God had switched their talents. She started sounding like he used to sound on the piano. There was no anointing there, anymore. And, when that sister saw that she was no longer needed, she tried to slip back into the piano seat as often as possible. **But, the anointing was gone! My heart broke because I loved her SO much!** (still do). I cried as I saw her trying to retrieve her status again. **It never happened. She lost her job, her car, and her anointing!**

It was not long that we got a call that she was walking the streets and had **lost her mind**. Years later, I saw her in a chicken place. She was barely recognizable but I was so happy to see her and through tears, I tightly hugged her. She appeared to be in “**great mental distress**”. I tried to get work FOR her as a **musician**. She said “Oh, I don’t do that anymore. I have not

played in years”. **Men of God! DELAYED OBEDIENCE IS STILL DISOBEDIENCE!** Let pride **“GO”!** Pride will bring you down low but a humble spirit will obtain honor. (**Proverbs 29:23**). Only a **FOOL** thinks that he can use God’s gift (at will) or **REFUSE** to use God’s gift **TRYING** to **“BOYCOTT”** God’s services, or to hurt someone else! **Are you kidding?** It belongs to God! So do you! Your voice, your hands, your feet, and your fingers! **Get your stupid spirit straight and get back in your place, (humbly, repentant and quickly)** before God comes and remove your candlestick. Who do you really think you are? It is because of God’s mercy that **WE** are not consumed, because His compassions fail not! Great is His faithfulness (**Lamentations 3:22-24**). I implore you to **SPEEDILY RECOGNIZE** that whether you sing, play, preach, or etc... **That is God’s gift, NOT YOURS!** You are not making people jump or shout or get delivered! And, it is because of God’s anointing that the **“YOKES”** are destroyed (**Isaiah 10:27**)! **Keep on taking God’s credit! Ask “King Saul”! He lost his!**
And, YOU ARE ABOUT TO LOSE YOURS!!!

Listen, I pray around the **CLOCK!** At the end of the (2015) year, as I prayed with my 3 a.m. prayer partners, Mr. Holy Spirit gave me the word:

EXPENDABLE. We looked it up and this is the definition: **designed to be used only once and then abandoned or destroyed. Of little significance when compared to an overall purpose, and therefore able to be abandoned; discarded. Dispensable, replaceable, nonessential, inessential, unnecessary, noncore, un-needed, not required, superfluous or disposable!**

Another TRUE STORY : Men of God, please listen to me! Some years ago, as I lay across my bed reading my Bible, I saw a **demon spirit**. He was up high, **floating in the form of smoke** through my house. I told some saints about it and we prayed against a demon of **“house fires”**. Well, a few days later, **(whether in the body or out of the body), I DON’T KNOW, but I** walked into my living room. There was the **DEVIL himself** sitting there **(on my sofa)** with a number of his minions, demons, imps, cohorts and followers! Immediately, I stretched out my arm and pointed as I commanded them to **get up and get out in the name of JESUS!**

right there! But, even though he **DID NOT WANT TO GO**, he knew he had to. (James 4:7). Unwillingly, he started to leave **slowly**. Unhurriedly, his **evil spirits** followed him in a single file line.

*One of his cohorts that was in the back of the line kept trying to say something to me. He was partially **smiling** and looking kind of pleased. **As he got close to me, he whispered, “I am so proud of you. Most people are afraid of him and they let him push them around. But you COMMANDED him to Go and he had to Go! I have been waiting to see someone STAND UP to him”!*** Just then, the devil turned around. He looked back behind him to see if the demon was talking to me. The demon was obviously scared of him, but I could see that he was *determined* to tell me something. The demon *quickly* jumped back in line and straightened up.

He was trying to act as if he was NOT talking to me. However, he continued trying to tell me something but the devil kept turning around looking at him. So, finally, he gave up and just quickly whispered, **“Just beware of the 23rd”**. *Then they all disappeared.* Well, all the rest of that night, I was puzzled about the 23rd. I kept asking, **“God, what is going to happen on the 23rd”?** *I could not sleep.* My spirit was troubled. *Later, around 3am,* I walked into my living room again. There, in plain view, was a long sheet of paper laying on my love seat. On it were **numbers and their meanings!** I wondered, where did this come from? *I knew it was not mine and NO ONE else had been in my house.* Quickly, I grabbed it and looked at the number **“23”**. It meant **“DEATH”**. So, that was it! *Satan had put a hit out on me, to kill me on the 23rd.* **But how?** I was definitely **NOT afraid**

of the devil but being determined *to be prepared*, I called a few prayer partners and we started to “fasting and praying”. *This was around the 20th of January.* We met in the evening after every one in the prayer group had gotten off of work. We continued in prayer all night on the night of the 23rd. As day light was coming across the sky, *I dismissed the group so they could go get ready for work. At least we had prayed through the 23rd and NOTHING had happened! Praise God!* However, I still felt uneasy. So, I warned the saints to **STAY PRAYERFUL** because I still did not feel a

myself busy around the house. That evening, it was almost time to go to Church. I quickly undressed, as I was about to go into the bathroom and get into the tub. Suddenly, as I was about to step across the threshold of the door, I felt the spirit of God tug at my heart, saying, **“DO NOT GO INSIDE OF THAT BATHROOM”**. Confused, I stepped back into the hallway. I did not know what to do, so I kept praying in my heart, but I also kept watching the **CLOCK**. It was getting closer and closer to time for me to be ready for Church. After doing a few more things around the house, I went back to the bathroom.

Again, as I went to lift my foot to go inside of the bathroom, I felt the spirit of God say the same thing! **“DO NOT GO INTO THAT BATHROOM”!**

This time I was really puzzled. “God, what is it”? I walked back to the kitchen and looked down on the floor. There was a brand new case of Cokes on the floor. **I thought, “Oh well, I guess I will just put these sodas into the refrigerator”**. As I stooped down to pick them up, I heard a distinct buzzing noise and the lights “blinked”. I turned and walked down the hall to the laundry room. There, **FLAMES OF FIRE WERE BLAZING UP THE WALL!** I ran and got the fire extinguisher! It did not work. *Quickly, but trying to be calm, I stopped and called the fire department!*

WOW!! See, if I had gone into that bathroom and closed the door, I would have been trapped! I lived in a condominium type apartment at that time, with only (1) way out of it. Guess which room in the whole house was totally destroyed? Charcoal **BLACK? THAT BATHROOM!** Satan had set a “trap” for me! That fire quickly **SWEPT UP THE WALLS AND THROUGH THAT BATHROOM!** There would have been **NO WAY OUT** of it and I never would have known it was on fire until it was **TOO LATE!** **B-U-T God!** Through my “Guiding” angel, God led me to grab a **“BIG COAT”**, **put it on and wrap it around me, (NO CLOTHES OR SHOES ON)**, reach through the smoke and get my purse, turn and walk straight to the door, go out and close it. **IMMEDIATELY**, after I closed the door, satan was **SO MAD** that he sent a **“BACKDRAFT”** after me. It hit the closed door so hard

that the neighbors could hear it. Then, when the backdraft could not get me, it turned violently, flew back through my house, **BURSTING** out all of my **WINDOWS!** Flames were everywhere! Praise God! God delivered me from the **snare** of the devil, again! God, through My Warring angel had “fought” the flames of hell for me! Hallelujah! Now! Men of God, Don’t get SO caught up in this testimony that you Forget the real reason that I am telling it to you. Let’s go back a little. Remember the word that God gave me, **EXPENDABLE?**

O.K. let’s review that definition again.

Designed to be used only once and then abandoned or destroyed. Of little significance when compared to an overall purpose, and therefore able to be abandoned.

Dispensable, replaceable, nonessential, inessential, unnecessary, noncore, un-needed, not required, superfluous or disposable!

Now, let’s go back to my **TESTIMONY!** The next day after the fire, My doctor suggested that I be admitted to the hospital for some tests. She wanted to see if I had suffered any “**SMOKE INHALATION**” or damage to my lungs. And, since my heart rate seemed to be a bit *irregular*, she wanted to check to see if there were any **blockages**. Now, years before, they had diagnosed me with an **aneurysm** in my basil artery (**the smallest artery in my brain**). **At that time, I thanked the doctor for telling me this, got up, got my purse and was about to walk out.** The doctor asked me, “Where are you going, we need to schedule you for surgery”. I told them, I am going home. They asked, “Don’t you see that aneurysm here on the X-RAY”? I answered, “Yes Sir, I saw it”. (You see, they knew that I am a registered nurse with my BSN). But I also knew something else! **“Doctor, it may be a FACT but it is NOT the TRUTH”!** **You see, the TRUTH is Isaiah 53:4-6. Jesus was wounded for my transgressions! Bruised for my iniquities! The chastisement of my peace was upon HIM and by his stripes, I AM HEALED! I WAS HEALED OVER 2000 YEARS AGO! Glory Hallelujah!** See, satan really wanted to kill me. Come on! With just a slight little **SLIP** of the knife and “Sorry family, we did all we could”. Devil are you kidding? Look, if something is wrong with my Ford Automobile, I

Mercedes, I take it to the Mercedes dealership who made it! Right? Not to an amateur! So, if something is wrong with MY BODY, I take it BACK to it's dealership! It's MAKER! Almighty God! This body is MY (HOUSE), MY TEMPLE OF THE HOLY GHOST, whose builder and maker is the Lord **(Hebrews 11:10)**. Praise God! So, anyway, here I am now, years later, allowing my doctor to admit me to the Hospital for observation and tests.

NOW! This is the **WHOLE REASON** for me telling you this testimony! While lying in the hospital bed the next day, ***some of the saints came by the hospital and God lit the Place up with the HOLY GHOST and fire!*** My daughter Angel (who is also a Registered Nurse) worked upstairs on the 7th floor. I was on the 5th. (GRACE). She came downstairs for the PRAYER, also! She had 2 patients that had been in COMAS for a long time. The Holy Ghost sent His fire and His anointing throughout the entire Hospital and beyond!

One of the Brothers decreed that there would be "ZERO" Blockages! God moved! The next day, after the tests, the doctor came in and announced that there was ZERO BLOCKAGES and NO ANEURYSM! And, when Angel got back to her floor, her 2 patients miraculously WOKE UP! GLORY TO GOD! She gave God the Glory! Listen Men of God! Don't try to TAKE God's Glory! Pride will make you look like and DIE like a real "fool" !

For years NOW, I have told this testimony! However, every time I give it, I am very careful to give my God all of the Glory! ***Not me or the saints that were in that room will I ever give the Glory to! God did it! And, I know it!*** We have to give God Glory because although the effectual and fervent prayers of the righteous avail much, still GOD did it! But, again, be careful **NOT TO TAKE GOD'S PRAISE!** Through the years, I have noticed that every time I have given this testimony, the brother that prayed with us that day, always inserts, ***"Then I spoke and said..."!*** This has troubled me for a long time. All I could do was pray and ask God to "HELP HIM". I recently ran a revival in another state. ***This Brother was there.*** God led me to tell this

the front (hemmed the Pastor of the Church up) and talking very loudly so that it would definitely attract attention, he inserted, **“This is the part that she left out....”!** And He proceeded to tell how **“HE”** prayed... etc. I heard it! However, I just painfully smiled, and while praying inwardly, I walked away! The next day, during testimony time, he boldly took the floor and said, **“I just want to fill in the part of the Testimony that she left out”.**

And again, he went into the details of how **HE** prayed and how **HE** spoke and how **HE** said and how **HE**... etc. *My heart wept because I saw what satan was trying to do to this dear Brother!* And he was falling **“headlong”** right into satan’s PRIDE trap! YES, GOD USED HIM BEAUTIFULLY to pray! He used everyone in that hospital room that day! **But, GOD DID IT! Not ME! Not a Doctor! NOT THAT BROTHER! NO-o-o-o-o!** Well, it was almost immediately after returning back to Birmingham that I saw that lying spirit of PRIDE really surface and literally **take this Precious man of God over!** This did not happen “overnight”, but little by little, over time. ***The PATIENCE of hell will AWE you!*** Men of God! Be careful! If God uses you ONE TIME, and people start to pat you on your back, or to give you accolades and praises, POINT UP TO GOD! NOT TO YOURSELF! **Don’t start to believe YOUR OWN PRESS! IT WILL NOT BE LONG BEFORE YOUR HEAD WILL BE SO SWOLLEN UNTIL NOBODY CAN TELL YOU ANYTHING and YOU will start to TAKE God’s praise!** I am reminded of ONE of my MOST FAVORITE PEOPLE in the BIBLE! **His name is Hezekiah!**

Wow! Do I love this Man! Well, as *soon* as he became King, *he got busy* FOR GOD!! I have loved him every since I first read his story, years ago! His name meant in Hebrew: **“He whom Jehovah has strengthened”.** He was the son of Ahaz **(2 Kings 18:1; 2Chronicles 29:1),** whom he succeeded on the throne of the kingdom of Judah. He reigned twenty-nine years **(B.C. 726-697).**

Hezekiah’s history is contained in **2 Kings 18:20, Isaiah. 36-39, and 2” Chronicles. 29:1-32.** "On the death of Sargon and the accession of his son Sennacherib "to the throne of Assyria, Hezekiah refused to pay the tribute" "which his father had paid, and "rebelled against the king of" "Assyria, and served him not " but entered into a league with" Egypt **(Isaiah 30: 21; 36: 6-9)**

This led to the *invasion of Judah "by Sennacherib (2 Kings 18:13-16), who took forty cities, and" besieged Jerusalem with mounds. Hezekiah yielded to the demands "of the Assyrian king, and agreed to pay him three hundred" talents of silver and thirty of gold (18:14). "But Sennacherib dealt treacherously with Hezekiah (Isa. 33:1), and a second time within two years invaded his kingdom (2 Kings 18:17; 2 Chr. 32:9; Isa. 36). This invasion ushered in the destruction of Sennacherib's army. Now, Men of God,*

PLEASE REMEMBER THIS!!!

Hezekiah prayed to God! Please read about it in 1Kings 19th Chapter, O.K.? Pay specific attention to Hezekiah's prayer. See how, immediately afterwards, God sent the Prophet Isaiah to assure Hezekiah of his victory! And that night the angel of the Lord went out, and smote in the camp of the Assyrians 185,000 men. Sennacherib fled with the "shattered remnant" of his forces to Nineveh, where, seventeen" years after, he was assassinated by his sons Adrammelech and" Sharezer (2 Kings 19:37). Wow! That is "AWESOME" isn't it? **Now! PLEASE LISTEN TO THIS! 2Chronicles 32nd Chapter** *talks about Hezekiah's Pride, Success and Death!* Look at the **24th verse.** In those days *Hezekiah became ill and was at the point of death.* (WHY?) ²⁵ But Hezekiah's heart was proud and he did not respond to the kindness shown him: therefore the LORD's wrath was on him and on Judah and Jerusalem. But, thank God, he quickly repented. ²⁶ Then Hezekiah repented of the pride of his heart, as did the people of Jerusalem; therefore the LORD's wrath did not come on them during the days of Hezekiah. "The narrative of Hezekiah's sickness and miraculous recovery is found in **2 Kings 20:1, 2 Chr. 32:24, Isa. 38:1.** I just THANK GOD that Hezekiah DID REPENT! HOW ABOUT YOU? How quickly are you **TO REPENT** when you see that you are wrong? **(Or, do you repent at all)?**

"KING ASA": Now, let's look at another one of my favorite people in the Bible. His name is "ASA"(Read about him in **1 Kings 15:9-24; AND 2 Chronicles 14th through 16th Chapters.** Asa was the third king of Judah, and the first one characterized in the Bible as a man of integrity. *His 41-year reign*

and its associated evils; by safety and reduced crime; and by military peace, interrupted by only two brief incidents. As a measure of the stability that existed in Judah during Asa's time: his reign spanned the reigns of seven kings of Israel! Unfortunately, late in life his faith wavered, and at two points of crisis: **He ignored God and turned to secular sources of help.** Nevertheless, because I love him so much, I still pray that God's overwhelming verdict is that "Asa did that which was good and right in the eyes of the LORD his God". Let us examine a little bit of his life.

Asa's First Revival: As soon as King Asa took the throne, he instituted a series of religious reforms. Men of God, listen to this! *One of the things that this man did that really IMPRESSED ME SO MUCH was that he pulled his OWN mother and grandmother down from off of the THRONE because of their sins. He showed no respect of persons!* He did not discriminate! He did not compromise! *(I curse those ugly spirits of "respect of persons, discrimination and compromising" and I CAST them out of the Church)!*

Listen, Asa went from town to town throughout the land, removing pagan altars and shrines and prohibiting the sins associated with them, and he restored proper worship of the LORD as the national religion. A lot of these old **WORLDLY dances and songs** that they are doing in the Church NOW are NOT OF GOD!

In recognition of this good work, the LORD gave Judah "*military peace*" on every front for the first 10 years of Asa's reign. *Recognizing that peace would not last forever, Asa wisely used that time to build and supply border fortifications, and to train and equip an army of 580,000 men.* This boy was just "**SUPERBAD! Rescue from the Invasion by Ethiopia:** After this time of peace with preparation for war, the army of Ethiopia invaded Judah. The number of soldiers recorded in the Bible is one **thousand-thousand (one million)**, though this may have been hyperbole for "vast beyond numbering." At any rate, Asa's forces were far inferior. In addition, Syria boasted a **mechanized army of 300 chariots**, for which Asa's foot soldiers were **NO** match. So, in a beautiful prayer, Asa expressed his helplessness and his faith in God to defend them. When the battle began, *the Ethiopian army was massacred.*

As they retreated, Judah's army pursued them to the Philistine border, inflicting such heavy casualties that Ethiopia could not recover. On the return trip, they gathered a great amount of plunder from the fallen soldiers. The Lord had indeed defended them.

Asa's Second Revival: As the victorious army returned from this against-the-odds defeat *a prophet named Azariah* took the opportunity to remind Asa and the entire nation that this success had come from the LORD. **He reminded them of the military vulnerability and crime that had prevailed in the pagan days of Kings Rehoboam and Abijam, compared to the peace and safety that existed since the revival ten years ago. And he urged them to renew their commitment to the LORD.** Hearing this, King *Asa re-doubled his efforts*, and the former revival took on new life. He again toured the nation, *destroying idols*, abolishing the immoral practices associated with their worship, and reinstating worship of the LORD. **This effort lasted five years, at which time the king called for a meeting of the entire population at Jerusalem. Here he added yet more force to his efforts, drawing the people into a renewed covenant with the LORD, even to the point of threatening with capital punishment any who maintained their pagan habits in accordance with the law of Moses.** The public was thrilled and the celebration intense. As a result of their dedication, God gave them peace on all borders for yet *another 20 years*.

Asa's Decline: COME ON MY BROTHERS! WHY MUST THERE ALWAYS BE A "DECLINE" when you are on an incline? It is mostly because of "PRIDE, REBELLION, POUTING AND HOLDING GRUDGES"!! Look at what happened late in King Asa's reign. King Baasha of neighboring Israel began to prepare for war with Judah. He closed the borders and fortified border cities. *Naturally, Asa saw this as a threat to be taken seriously.* When Baasha's preparations were well along, Asa entered negotiations with Benhadad, king of Syria, now at peace with Israel, but historically an enemy. Asa reminded Benhadad of a treaty between the two kings' fathers, and paid him a large sum to break his peace with Israel, *looting Solomon's temple and his own palace for the bribe.* (WILL A MAN ROB GOD)? No! Not and get away with it! Benhadad agreed, and sent

armies to attack various towns in Israel. Baasha, finding his kingdom under attack, abandoned his preparations against Judah and left to defend his kingdom. Asa took the opportunity to dismantle the abandoned work and confiscate the building materials, implementing a nationwide draft to provide the work force. **And so Judah was safe;** Baasha never rejoined the project. However, the LORD sent the prophet Hanani to tell Asa that he had been **negligent. God had intended to bring disaster on Benhadad, who was always hostile to Israel and Judah. But Asa had failed to consult God in this crisis, and so Benhadad had escaped.** Hanani also reminded Asa that years ago he had faced a great crisis, called on God, (like most of us do) and God had rescued him. But this time he had ignored God, and because of this, the remainder of his reign would be marked by war.

But rather than repenting, (like King Hezekiah had done), King Asa was furious. He had Hanani arrested, and abused his supporters. A few years later, King Asa contracted a serious disease in his feet. Once again, angry, pouting, rebelling and haughty, HE REFUSED TO TURN TO THE LORD, SEEKING ONLY THE HELP OF HIS POWERLESS DOCTORS. And, he died with that dreadful disease in his feet! THIS DID NOT HAVE TO HAPPEN!!! Please do not forget that: Pride goes before destruction and a Haughty Spirit is just before a fall! (Proverbs 16:18-19;).

Isaiah 2:12- *The LORD Almighty has a day in store for all the proud and lofty, for all that is exalted (and they will be humbled).* ***Proverbs 16: 5-*** *The LORD detests all the proud of heart. Be sure of this: They will not go unpunished. ."* ***James 4:10-*** *Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.*

The book of Revelation 2 continues in the 6th verse: **6 But you have this in your favor: You HATE the practices of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate. 7 Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to eat from the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God.** *Listen Men of God, Nicolaitans were a sect mentioned in (Revelation 2:6,15) whose deeds were strongly condemned. They may have been identical with those who held the doctrine of Balaam. They seem to have held that it was lawful to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit fornication, in opposition to the decree of the Church rendered in (Acts 15:20,29).* The teachers of the Church branded them with a name which expressed their true

Balaam. **(2 Peter 2:15; Jude 1:11).** At any rate, whatever their deeds were, Jesus said that **HE HATED THEM TOO (Revelation 2:6)**. Men of God, when you are rebuked, admonished, reprov'd, chastised, reprimanded, or scolded...Don't JUSTIFY, POUT, ACT CHILDISH or JUMP INTO OFFENSE!! Just humble on down! Jesus is meek and lowly! And, he's our PERFECT, SACRED, AND "HOLY" EXAMPLE!

TRUE STORY: I remember a few years ago, our church was invited to visit another Church.

God showed me *the night before* that I would be attacked in the spirit, that day. Well, I thought it would be at the Church that we would visit. But "NO"! It happened as we gathered in corporate PRAYER that morning, (before leaving for the other Church). It turned out that one of the leaders of our Church had apparently taken offense with the Word that God had brought through me in a previous sermon and had been walking in unforgiveness for quite a while. She had never come to me about it but had gone around discussing it with others. **I knew absolutely NOTHING ABOUT IT!** That morning as we gathered to PRAY, she turned to me and BOLDLY cried out,(in front of the WHOLE CHURCH), "YOU need to REPENT"!!! IMMEDIATELY, I THREW MY HANDS UP, Fell TO THE FLOOR ON MY KNEES AND BEGAN TO *WEEP* AS I EARNESTLY CRIED OUT TO THE LORD, **"OH, FATHER GOD! I REPENT! PLEASE HELP ME TO REPENT IN A WAY THAT IS PLEASING TO YOU!"** REMEMBER NOW! I did not even know and NEITHER DID I CARE (at that moment) WHAT I HAD TO REPENT FOR! It did not matter! The only thing that mattered was, if "God" said to REPENT, I was going to REPENT! And, I did! Right in front of the whole Church! None of them EXPECTED THAT RESPONSE FROM ME. And, definitely not the precious sister that had allowed the devil to use her to attack me. WHY? Because, for too long now, the Church World have walked in pride without crucifying the FLESH! Look, I ain't stuttin NO PRIDE!

Actually, my quick response brought "*True Conviction and Repentance*" to the WHOLE HOUSE! EVERYONE followed my lead and began to CRY OUT TO GOD!!! Look, y'all! I got to make it in the RAPTURE with JESUS! So, All I can say is, **"It is time to Die to the FLESH and get everything right with each other, so you can be RIGHT with GOD!"** However, even after

hearing what her offense was **ALL** about, I still could **NOT** repent for the **WORD OF GOD!** I am only the Postman/Messenger! If the word of God hurts, just say, **“OUCH, Oh Me, Oh My, Amen or Help Lord”!** If God said it, just **OBEY GOD!** Do what the Word says to do... **Go back and do your first WORKS over. Get your first Love BACK!! NO JUSTIFICATION!!** If you are wrong, you are just wrong!!! A HIT DOG WILL “HOLLER”!

I know! I have been “HIT” enough! But, one thing I know... if you are **RIGHT**, God will vindicate you everytime! Just **HUMBLE DOWN!** **All too often**, when we **HAVE** started to witness, minister or just talk to many of you about **JESUS** or your salvation, the first thing you say is, **“Oh, I am ready! I am saved! I am a Christian! I KNOW I AM GOING TO HEAVEN because I am a GOOD PERSON”!** **GOOD IS NOT ENOUGH!** A lot of good folks are in hell! **Sure you say, “I am a Good person”!** Yeah, but **ARE YOU A GOD PERSON?** Well, I am sure that the *entire church of Ephesus* felt that they were going to heaven **JUST BECAUSE** they were **GOOD** people. But, God did not feel the same way!

PRIDE IS A “THEIF”, A FOOL AND A “KILLER”



On Christmas Day (2015), we had a wonderful time of fellow-ship with the *Precious Men of God* at Draper, (from 9a.m. until 4p.m.)! **WOW! God did good!** To **Warden Boyd, Chaplain Whiting and EVERYONE of the Lieutenants, Sergeants, Captains and Officers**, **“OUR HATS ARE OFF TO YOU”**. We thank God for your love and kindness that **YOU** showed to us! We had a great time talking, laughing, singing and fellowshiping together! One of the greatest highlights of the day was **when many of the men shared about “PRIDE”**. *Their testimonies really BLESSED us. We went there to BLESS them, but THEY ALL BLESSED US!* **Pastor Morris, Brother Raheem and all of you wonderful men of God**, let us encourage **ALL** of you precious men at Draper and especially the ones on the Praise, Usher and Ministry Team at Draper to **“HOLD ON”!** Keep on Pressing On, and Praying! Serving God will pay off after while! *We wish we could remember ALL of your names but you know who you are! We pray to be able to “fellowship” with you ALL again very soon. Again, We love all of you and May God abundantly Bless*

SEASON! Listen, we all have struggled with pride at some point in our lives! Sadly, many of us do not realize our “potential of success”, (both naturally and spiritually), that waits for us if we just let go of pride and move forward in God's plan. In fact, the Bible goes so far as to warn us *that God hates the sin of pride and that He will discipline the proud!* Brothers, in this NEW YEAR, please let us not see ourselves as “wise in our own eyes” but let us become *humble and willing to learn from God and others!* Jesus Christ is our ultimate example of selflessness who gave Himself on the **cross** for us!

GOD'S PLAN OF “SALVATION”




By Brother Carl Hutto (Elmore)



*Praise the Lord Pastor Carmen and to God be the Glory! Here are a few scriptures that God had me to write on God's Salvation Plan. Let me start out with this question: **TO WHOM CAN WE GO TODAY FOR ACCURACY IN SPIRITUAL MATTERS?** Can we go to “ourselves”? **NO!** For man has made **BAD** mistakes concerning Spiritual matters. The Scriptures say, “The natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: Neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned”. **(1Corinthians 2:14). In James 4:4.** It says “Know ye not that the friendship of the world is enmity with God? Whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is an enemy of God”. And so as natural men and women and as enemies of God who are not born unto the family of God, they are not in any position to instruct themselves concerning Eternal Truths. We can't afford **NOT TO TAKE GOD'S WARNINGS SERIOUSLY!** They warn us against following after the traditions of men and further states that those who do follow after the traditions and doctrines of men... worship God in vain. **(Mark 7:1-13).** There is no **REWARD** in worshipping God in vain, but **He must be worshipped in Spirit and in truth, for God is a Spirit. (John 4:24).** A person cannot Worship God in the Spirit if he does **NOT** have the spirit. Paul said in Romans 8:9, “But ye are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now, if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His”. Therefore, the Bible plainly tells us that we cannot worship God without the Spirit of God being in us, which is the **HOLY Ghost.** Seeing that let's us know that we cannot go to any other **SOURCE** but to God's **WORD!** For God's Word is complete in itself. We are not to add nor take away from*

God's Word. It all is the Truth, the Whole truth and nothing but the truth. However, a person must know how to RIGHTLY DIVIDE the word of truth, by studying the Word to shew himself approved unto God; a workman that needeth not to be ashamed (2 timothy 2:15). We have to know the Truth in order to be saved eternally. The Bible says in John 8:32- "And you shall know the Truth and the truth shall make you free". In (Galatians 1:8-9), We read, "But though we or an angel from heaven, preach any other Gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. As we said before, so say I now again, if any man preach any Gospel unto you, than that ye have received, let him be accursed". At last we have found the answer in Paul's writings, in 1Corinthians 15:1-4 on, HOW TO BE SAVED! And that is to hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ preached! That Gospel is the Death, Burial and Resurrection of Jesus. Jesus died, was Buried and raised from the dead! Do we do it just like Jesus did? NO! The Bible says that we do it in the likeness of, but there are(3) Three Steps we have to do. We must:


1) Die to sin by repentance, with Godly sorrow, for the sins that we have committed against God and turn from them (STOP DOING THEM). **2) Be BAPTIZED in WATER** in the name of Jesus Christ for the REMISSION Of our sins, and that gets the Blood of Jesus Christ applied to you and washes away all your past sins, making you Buried with Christ in water Baptism (Romans 6:3-4). Putting the "OLD MAN" down in the Water (grave). **3) The New Man is then resurrected** into a new creature, old things are passed away and Behold all things become new. Then and only then have you obeyed the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. Remember you must fulfill **ALL three (3) steps which are: 1) Death 2) Burial 3) Resurrection** which is totally fulfilled when one obeys God's one and only plan of SALVATION given in God's HOLY WORD in (Acts 2:38). We can depend upon the Apostle's words as being accurate, we can depend upon the message that they preached. The message that the early church proclaimed is still God's plan for today. It has not changed and don't you let no one tell you it has. There are three (3) things I know that has not changed since the foundation of Salvation was laid by the Apostles and Jesus Christ, Jesus being the chief corner stone: God has not changed. His word says He is the same yesterday, today and forever. He is God, always has been God and can't be nothing but God. AMEN! **"His Word"** has NOT CHANGED! He spoke it, had it written and He sealed it forever in Heaven and He is not going to change it for YOU or for ME and His **"SALVATION PLAN"** has not

say unto thee, except a man be born of water and of the spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. **Being born of the water is being Baptized in water with a repentant heart, for the remission of your sins, being born of the spirit is being filled with the Holy Ghost. You will find God's one and only Salvation plan given by the Apostle Peter on the Day of Pentecost, who preached the first salvation message after the resurrection of Jesus Christ. (Acts 2:38).** Peter had the Gospel of the Jews committed unto him by God and Paul had the Gospel of the Gentiles committed unto him. Peter and Paul preached the **SAME GOSPEL** because there's **NOT TWO GOSPELS, ONLY ONE!** There was no one better qualified to preach and teach than they... Being taught by God himself. Therefore, the Apostles knew the "SOUL SAVING PLAN" of God. The book of Acts is the only historical book in the Bible that tells of the **EARLY CHURCH'S** being established. It is in this book that we find certain fundamentals being preached and practiced by the Early Church.

These are our guide! Now, in Galatians 1:8-9, we have discovered that we can and must depend upon the message that the Apostles preached, which is truly Apostolic! Upon reading the Book of Acts, we find that they believed in (3) basic fundamentals in the establishment of each Church. **These three (3) fundamentals are summed up in Acts 2:38**, the one and only Salvation Plan that God has for Salvation.

THE FIRST FUNDAMENTAL: The first basic thing that they taught was REPENTANCE of sin and looking to Jesus as their personal substitute and savior. This is essential; without it there is no possible chance of salvation. Jesus himself said, **"Except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish" (Luke 13:5).** This is an extremely important subject and cannot be stressed too much. Jesus' message on repentance was similar to, if not almost IDENTICAL to, John the Baptist's message, (Jesus' great fore-runner). He cried out that the people were to repent and that Jesus was the Lamb of God! This is what is preached by evangelical churches today. It is a tremendous message of TRUTH. Without hearing of this, not one woman, man or young person can be saved! But, if repentance is all that a Church teaches, it is 2000 years behind time. For with the establishment of the New Testament Church, as is recorded in the Book of Acts, Peter preached (and the rest of the Apostles sanctioned it). There are two more fundamentals, which became NOT THE EXCEPTION, but THE RULE! In the establishment of each New Testament Church and the message that the early church preached, these are the messages for today. Read what Jesus said was to be taught in **Luke 24:47:** Repentance! For the remission of Sins in his name... **JESUS!**

THE SECOND FUNDAMENTAL: The second thing that was not only urged

believers in the name of Jesus Christ, for the remission of sins. This was proclaimed by Peter on the day of Pentecost in **Acts 2:38**. The converts in Samaria were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus **(Acts 8:16)**. Phillip, in **Acts 8**, baptized the Ethiopian eunuch as soon as he believed the Gospel of Jesus Christ with ALL of his heart! In **Acts 9**, we read the story of Sauls conversion. Jesus said to him, **“Arise and go into the city and it shall be told thee what thou must do” (Acts 9:6)**. Saul (Paul) obeyed and there came a man to him named Ananias who said to him, **“Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, that appeared unto thee in the way as thou camest, hath sent me that thou mightiest receive thy sight and be filled with the Holy Ghost”**. And immediately, there fell from his eyes as it had been SCALES, and he received his sight forthwith and arose and was **BAPTIZED**! *Peter preached to the family of Cornelius and God poured out His Spirit upon them.* Peter not only commanded them to be Baptized but commanded them to be Baptized in the NAME OF the Lord **(Acts 10:44-48)**. **The NAME of the Lord Jesus (Acts 9:5)**. The jailor in **Acts 16:25-34**, to whom Paul and Silas said, “Believe on the Lord Jesus and thou shalt be saved and thy house”. This jailor and ALL his family were **Baptized** immediately, in spite of the fact that Paul and Silas were suffering from BLEEDING BACKS that had been inflicted upon them because of their faithfulness to Christ! **Acts 19:1-7** contains a record of twelve disciples whom Paul found in Ephesus. **They had only been baptized with Johns Baptism. After Paul had spoken to them having perfect understanding of God’s salvation plan under the anointing of the Holy Ghost, they were Baptized AGAIN** in the name of the Lord Jesus, fulfilling the second step of the Gospel, being buried with Christ in WATER BAPTISM (which is getting Christ’s BLOOD applied to them and getting their sins washed away and forgiven), just like Paul did in **ACTS 22:16**, when he was told what to do by Ananias. He was the man of God who was sent to Paul by God himself, **Acts 9:10-12**. Ananias said to Paul, “For thou shalt be HIS witness unto ALL men of what thou hast seen and heard and now why tarriest thou? Arise and be **BAPTIZED** and wash away thy sin, calling on the name of the Lord **(Acts 22:15-16)**. Therefore, this should be as plain as the NOSE on a person’s face to understand that you receive Remission of sins when you are Baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Until a person is Baptized that way, his sins have not been forgiven, washed away and thrown in the sea! They are STILL on his head! So dear Brothers and friends, don’t ever let anyone tell you that *WATER BAPTISM* is not a part of God’s salvation plan for man kind.

God's words don't have to line up with our BELIEF or thoughts! We have to line up with the WORD OF GOD! Jesus himself, being God ALMIGHTY, robed in human flesh, said to Nicodemus in **John 3:5...** "**Verily, Verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of Water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God**". Now friend, if anyone think for one minute, God didn't mean what he said in that verse, they have to be very ignorant. God's word says what it means and means what it says! Therefore if a man, woman, boy or girl that have not done what the scripture says according to **Acts 2:38**, they ARE NOT BORN into the Kingdom of God! A person has the **CHOICE** of believing what he wants to, but if you fail to **BELIEVE** this and fail to **OBEY** it, whoever you may be, you will spend ETERNITY in hell fire where the worm

dieth not. There will be SCREAMING, and begging for Mercy but, you will NEVER get it. **WHY BROTHER CARL?** Because YOU rejected the TRUTH when you heard it. Only hearing and OBEYING the TRUTH will make a person free (**John 8:32**)! Just hearing is ONE thing! Obeying (doing) it is ANOTHER! A person can believe that Bible is the word of God. He can believe Jesus is the Savior of the world. He can believe Jesus is God, manifested in the flesh. He can even believe **Acts 2:38** is the one and only Salvation plan of God for Salvation. AND IT IS! **BUT!!!!** If that person FAILS to do the three (3) steps of the Gospel that is laid out in perfect order by the word of God, spoken by Apostle Peter, (under the anointing of the Holy Ghost in **Acts 2:38**), he is not a child of God! He has Not been born of the Water and the spirit, he is not born into the Kingdom of God, he is not going to hear God say, "Enter into the joys of the Lord, and he is not saved, (BUT) he is lost as a Blue Jay flying Backward in a hail storm! No matter how good a person may think he is! No matter how much he goes to church, prays or does good deeds, that person is a lost individual (Please READ: **Acts 10:1-7**). Read it carefully. You will see this MAN did ALL OF THESE THINGS! This man was certainly a "GOOD MAN" but he was not "SAVED"! He even saw an angel, but he had to hear the Gospel, Believe it and he had to obey it, just like the SCRIPTURE teaches it! The "BIBLE" is God's words! **Not mine!** I didn't write the Bible! My name has NO Power to forgive sins, but HIS does. (**Acts 4:12**) says, "There's No OTHER NAME given whereby we must be saved and that is referring to the NAME OF JESUS CHRIST! (**See Acts 4:10-12 and Matthew 28:19**). The NAME of JESUS has ALL POWER! NOT "ANY" other name! Therefore, when a person is baptized, he or she MUST BE BAPTIZED in the name of Jesus Christ, (NOT UNDER TITLES), ie; FATHER, SON, and HOLY Ghost! These are titles that God holds! **He is**

himself and **HE is the Holy Ghost in the Church. But the NAME of these three (3) titles is Jesus.** Jesus said *“I have manifested thy name unto the men which thou gavest me out of the world (John 17:6). John 7:12* says, while I was with them in the world, I kept them in thy name. **John 17:26** says, “And I have declared unto them THY NAME and will declare”! The name of the Father is Jesus! We know the name of the son is Jesus. The angel said to Mary in **Matthew 1:21**, “And she shall bring forth a son and thou shalt call his name Jesus, for he shall save His people from their sins”. So you see, by scripture, that the name of the son is Jesus and so is the title Holy Ghost. *Jesus said in John 14:26, “But, the comforter which is the Holy Ghost whom the father will send in MY NAME. He shall teach you all things and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you”.* Dear Brothers, friends, strangers

in general... YOU must understand that God loves you! Jesus DIED for you and shed His precious Blood! God spoke His Holy Word and He had it WRITTEN, He had it RECORDED and He SEALED it. And He is NOT going to Change it for YOU, Me Nor ANYBODY else! You must understand and know what the Bible teaches through God’s Holy Scriptures as to HOW ONE IS SAVED; HOW ONE IS SUPPOSED TO LIVE, ACT and WHAT OON MUST DO! We have to live a Holy life for God after we are born again according to the Salvation plan of God, **(which is Acts 2:38).** We cannot JUST Believe what most people are teaching in the world today. They are teaching people that they do not have to be Baptized to be saved.

They are ignorant and are teaching false doctrine! That is kinda like teaching someone that a dog is an elephant. A DOG IS A DOG! (not an elephant)! Therefore, you cannot believe their FALSE DOCTRINE! Anyone that teaches anything opposite of what the scriptures say, is and enemy of the CROSS of Christ and the devil through them will DECEIVE many and STEAL their soul. You have ONLY ONE SOUL and you cannot afford to be wrong, dear friend.

Listen to what the scriptures tell us in **2Thessalonians 1:7-10).** *“And to you who are troubled, REST WITH US, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from Heaven with His mighty Angels, 8-In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that Know NOT God and that obey NOT the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. 9-Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the Glory of His power: 10-When He shall come to be glorified in His Saints and to be admired in all them that believe (because our testimony among you was believed) in that day”!* So friend, here we see that if any person above the age of accountability, who fails to know

God and does not obey the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, being the death, Burial and Resurrection, which is fulfilled by **REPENTANCE**, **BAPTISM** for remission of sins, and **INFILLING OF THE HOLY GHOST**, which is clearly *shown how to do it in Acts 2:38*. *That's how one is born again into the Kingdom of God and is added to the Church. (See Acts 2:41).* *When Peter preached the salvation message on the day of Pentecost, the people HEARD what he said, they DID what he said and they GOT exactly what he said they would get! 1) Their sins forgiven 2) Filled with the Holy Ghost and that with fire, which is the Spirit of God 3) They became a son or daughter of God and 4) They were born into the Kingdom of God 5) And their names were placed into the Lamb's Book of Life. HALLELUJAH!* Friends, if you have NEVER done these things, I beseech you to PLEASE do so. Heaven is REAL! Hell is Real! You are either SAVED or you are LOST! If you have not obeyed **Acts 2:38**, YOU ARE LOST and if Jesus returns or **YOU DIE BEFORE** doing what God's Word tell you that you MUST DO, THEN YOU WILL BE ETERNALLY LOST and Burn in hell fire and brimstone for ETERNITY! God did not make hell for MAN, but for the Angels that rebelled in Heaven! But, because men rejects the TRUTH and do not obey it, God said He will send them a STRONG DELUSION and cause them to believe a lie and be Damned! WHY? Because they had NOT a love for the TRUTH!!! *(read 2Thessalonians 2:10-12).*

Dear ones, with all of this being presented to you, **IN LOVE FOR YOUR SOULS**, I charge EACH and EVERY PERSON who reads what I have written to you from God's Holy Scriptures, that He will hold you accountable and responsible for the truth you have read, that none of your BLOOD will be on MY HAND for **I, Carl Hutto** have declared unto you the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth and MY PRAYER for each and everyone of you that have not already done this exactly as it is stated, that you "HURRY" and do so. *This will save your souls from eternal hell and I pray that God will use you to preach and to teach His truth of Salvation to others such as your Children, parents, grandchildren, brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews, all relatives, friends and strangers you may come in contact with in this life. Remember Jesus said, (John 14:2-3).* In my father's house are many mansions, if it were NOT SO, I would have told you. I will come again and receive you unto myself, that where I am, there you may be also.

Dear friend. please choose life and not death! Heaven is a place where there is love.

wide and 1,500 miles high with 12 foundations, Crystal Streams, Streets of Gold, Walls of Jasper and gates of pearls, having a glorified body like Christ and NO SIN

THERE! Friend, don't YOU want that? Well, *YOU CAN HAVE IT* if you will repent, turn from sin, get Baptized in Jesus name for the remission of sins, Be filled with the Holy Ghost and live a Holy life for Christ, enduring unto the end and you can most assuredly receive it. It is a promise from God to you. **Acts 2:39** says, "And the promise is unto you and unto your children and to all that are a far off. Even as many as the Lord our God shall call". As I said before, so say I again friend, I beseech you to believe and OBEY the ONE and ONLY SALVATION PLAN of God (**Acts 2:38**). If you fail to do it,

you will go to hell for eternity. ***LET'S PRAY!*** In closing, **FATHER I pray that you will open the MINDS and HEARTS of every person to see and understand your Salvation Plan. Father give them a hunger and a thirst for your Word and give them a desire to OBEY what your Salvation scriptures tells them to do. In order to have eternal life forever with you.**

Father, I ask also that once they obey and become your sons and your daughters. Father I ask you to use them greatly to preach and teach and witness to others about your great and wonderful love, your great MERCY and GRACE. Father, BLESS them with freedom, wisdom, knowledge and understanding that they may know how to please you and be obedient to you in all things. Teach them how to be a faithful servant, a true son of God, a King and a priest! Setting your examples as a good Husband, Father to their children and grandchildren, being separated from the world in all sinful life styles, looking for your return, which NO ONE KNOWS, but you only! Father, I thank you for the precious Holy Ghost that makes me yours, that gives me a desire and LOVE to preach and teach your Gospel to a lost and sinfully dying world. God, thank you for raising up a "MIGHTY ARMY BEHIND THE PRISON WALLS"! Father, Thank you for SENDING US FORTH FROM THIS PLACE TO DO 'GREAT' EXPLOITS FOR YOU AND FOR THE KINGDOM OF

GOD! And, we give you all the praise, honor and Glory for it all. In the Mighty Name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, God and King... forever and ever, AMEN! GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

(By Brother Carl Hutto)

I AM "HAPPY" IN JESUS!

(By Brother Freddie Young)

Praise God

Brothers!

I want

to thank God first, who is always good to me each and every day. Now, I wish to share some of my experiences, strengths and hopes with you all, since you last heard from me. Now, just for today, (one day at a time and step by step), I will have faith in God because He's the one who keeps me. Today I am clean from the use of drugs. I have a good purpose for living today and that purpose is for the Lord. Let me keep it simple and honest with you brothers! Since the last House of Praise Newsletter when you all read about Brother Freddie, I went back out, using drugs and doing everything. I let that drug disease (demon) run my life. I Lived to use and used to live. I could not walking dead man. I was deceiving everyone until one day I hit the bottom and I stopped going to see my PO (parole officer). I was eating out of trash cans and stealing out of stores. I had walked away from God. BUT one day, like the PRODIGAL SON, I came back to myself! dead man. STOP getting high. I let the devil use me. And, what is more, I knew that I was a I was deceiving everyone until one day I hit the bottom and I stopped going to see my PO (parole officer). I was eating out of trash cans and stealing out of stores. I had walked away from God. BUT one day, like the PRODIGAL SON, I came back to myself! Prison crossed my mind and how I had "vowed" that I did not want to ever come back to prison, ever again!!! My PO had never given me or even suggested giving me a urine test, until I turned my back on God. Then, one day I went in to report after not reporting in a few months. When I walked in, the first thing he said was "Can you see for me?" He was one of



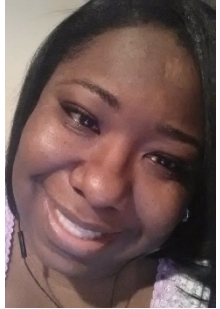
those old tough, Military type guys who just wanted to see me go back to prison!

*His THREATS drove a real fear and desire IN ME to never come back to prison! God knows I was not clean. Had he tested me, I would be right back in there with you Brothers. **I had weed and cocaine in me, RIGHT THEN! BUT GOD! The truth will make you free!** That was the stopping point for Brother Freddie in 2015. God used my PO, without him even knowing it, to save me from going back to prison. This, along with all of the many stored up prayers through the years from my precious deceased Mother, (Pastor Gloria Young), Pastor Carmen and the saints, saved my soul from going to hell **because I was hell bound! I am now praying for***



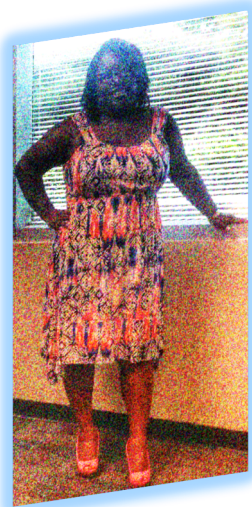
*my "few remaining" family that God will SAVE them too! Now what I really want to share with YOU. my loving brothers, is this... I NOW live in a (5) five man recovery house (NOT ON THE STREETS). I am **happy in "JESUS" today, on a NATURAL HIGH!!** I limit what I do and I am accountable for my actions, both spiritually and naturally. **I watch the company that I keep. As a matter of fact, on New Year's Eve, as I was just riding my bike, I saw my old drug dealer. He was in his truck. When I saw him, he motioned to me to pull over. He looked very strangely at me and asked me, "Are you still getting high"? I responded with a "big smile" No I am NOT! I am living a different lifestyle now".** He told me, "Man, you look good and it is good to see you". He just stared at me, even as I was riding away, **HE SIMPLY STARED AT ME IN AMAZEMENT!** **But, Men of God, it is NOT amazing at all, WHAT MY GOD CAN DO!** God is truly amazing! I am in the house around 5:00p.m. each day, OR else **I am in Church at House of Praise under God through Pastor Carmen!** So you know my SOUL gets fed, well!!! I still work out physically and I keep myself busy by studying the Word of God, praying, and finding something to do to help someone each available day that I have. I give God the very first hours of EVERY morning between 2am and*

relationship with my God. I had to LET GO in order to LET GOD show me (all over again), how to live! And if you do not know how to live, let the same one who is showing me, show you.... JESUS!! Remember Brothers, I can't but God can. SO I LET HIM. I Love you always & I'm Always praying for you all! (Read Revelation 19-21 CHAPTERS) JESUS IS REALLY COMING BACK SOON!!! BE READY!!!! As Pastor Carmen say, "Don't you make me go to Heaven by myself"!!! (By Brother Freddie)



HEY HELL..... "NO"!!!

By Sister Shea



There comes a time when you have to say, "ENOUGH IS ENOUGH". **Yes, there comes a time when you have to scream and get Hell's attention, then STAND and tell HELL and the devil "HELL NO"!** There is NOTHING in hell that I want. *Well, now is that time for me.* I am fed up with fighting the same fight over and over and coming out defeated each time. I don't mind being wounded, as long as I am victorious in the end. *As I sit here this Christmas morning, I am reminded of a vision Pastor shared with us recently.* The vision was concerning a woman who had passed away and did not even realize that she was dead.

In the vision that lady said if she only had one more second.... **Pastor then asked us if we would have been scared had that been us. I tried to put myself in the woman's shoes and immediately my mind said, "Yes. I would be terrified because I would more than likely have ended up in hell". Why? I would have ended up in hell because my heart wasn't pure. It has been cluttered with forgiveness, jealousy, envy, hate, bitterness, disobedience, hypocrisy and a whole lot of other things.** **I have not been in the place that I needed to be with God. I have allowed the cares of this world and various circumstances to become a distraction for me. I have literally sat down on God.** My hands have been on the plow and I have been on the verge of turning back. My mind has been filled with doubt and fear, and I know that is not of God. **There are things that happened to me as child, that I have desperately tried to forget.** When I think I have forgotten, something triggers a memory and not only do I realize that I have not forgotten; I realize that I have not forgiven either. **The not forgetting is NOT**

prayers as of late have been asking God to heal my heart so that I can forgive, HIS WAY. Christmas night at Elmore, some of us were divided up into groups and each group had to pull a slip of paper OUT of the tambourine. On each slip of paper there was a word written. Our instructions were to act this word out in CHARADES. Well, when the men in the group with me pulled out their slip of paper they looked at each other and said, "Oh yeah, she can handle this". Now mind you, I had not even seen the word yet; so I assumed that it was a passage of scripture. Now just imagine the thoughts that danced through my head when I *finally* looked at the paper and the following words were written on the paper. "NASTY ATTITUDE". My heart dropped for a number of reasons! The first one being, these men don't know anything about me, past coming to **WORSHIP WITH THEM AT ELMORE**, but they said I could handle acting out a "nasty attitude". The second thing was that I was embarrassed that my name had become synonymous with A NASTY ATTITUDE. Believe me when I say, that is a bad indictment on someone who professes to be saved. **Jeremiah 7:3-** says to **AMEND YOUR WAYS AND YOUR DOINGS and God will cause you to dwell in this place.** That place God is speaking of is WITH HIM, IN HIM, THROUGH HIM AND FOR HIM.... Much soul searching, rebuke and repentance, has led me to realize that some serious amending of my ways and doings are necessary in order for me to make it into heaven. **Matthew 5:8,** says **"Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God" and I am just being honest.** At the rate that I have been going, I would not see God's face in Peace. In order to amend my ways and doings, I must start on the inside. Pastor Carmen taught us that **many of us are sitting around waiting on someone to PROPHECY that they are going to be the NEXT T.D. Jakes, or the NEXT Juanita Bynum or etc.... WHEN WE HAVE NOT EVEN LEARNED TO BE THE FIRST US, YET!** *Therefore, learning who I AM IN Christ, is an excellent way to begin this NEW YEAR and throughout Eternity.* Then, I must allow God to purify my thoughts, and begin operating through the SAME notifications, in a public place, according to **Philippians 2:5** (Let this mind be in you which is also in Christ Jesus) and **Philippians 4:8 -9.** **Finally brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things. Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, DO: and the God of peace shall be with you).** Brothers, it is too late in the evening to play around with our salvation. We are either going to be REAL or NOT. Don't let Jesus catch you with your WORK UNDONE! He is coming again SO SOON! **Can't you feel it in the atmosphere? His signs are everywhere! Come on! (90 degrees)**

everywhere? Deaths! I mean MURDERS... Everywhere? By little children? Remember that God through Pastor Carmen has been telling us that all of this was going to happen. *AMERICA UNDER WATER! GROUND WAR! ONE WORLD ORDER! THE OBAMA CARE "CHIP" in everyone's right hand or forehead. This indeed is the ANTI-Christ spirit (that mystery of iniquity that already is working in the world -2Thessalonians 2:7 that Paul told us about).* And, it will keep on working (secretly) to violate the LAWS of God, until he who hinders it is taken out of the world. That is Mr. Holy Spirit who abides in God's real people. And, they ALL won't be leaving until the RAPTURE takes place!!! (SOON)! I refuse to left behind!!! **Then shall the Man of Sin (ANTI-CHRIST) step down in FULL FORCE!** That is why I am striving so hard to be READY NOW and Brothers, I urge you to do the same. Again, I refuse to be **LEFT BEHIND!** If you can barely make it now, think of how hard it will be after Mr. Holy Spirit has been taken out of the world. As I pray for you, I request the prayers of each one of you (continuously) SO that I can stay consistent with God's process of change! Call HELL, Get his whole attention! Then, TELL HIM "NO"! **Love, Your Sister in Christ, Sister Shea**

MAIL CALL!!! SPECIAL LETTER CORNER!!

By Brother

Anthony J. Hopkins,

Minister Wilbert Aaron and

Brother

Kelvin B. Dees

"THANKFUL FOR YOUR LOVE"

By Brother Anthony JuJuan Hopkins

Dear Pastor Carmen,

Even though I am not privileged to be at a facility that has direct contact with your Phenomenal Ministry like others, I am yet thankful for your Love. The absence of

Your Newsletter was very noticeable, until I received the Profound (August – December 2015 issue) THE "FOUR HORSES" OF THE APOCALYPSE!!!!

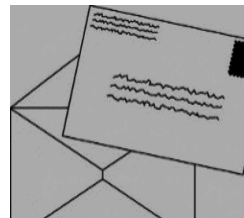
WOW!! Pastor Carmen, please know that NOTHING you do goes UNNOTICED!

No Royal, Righteous Example that you display and live... No Testimony... No Word of Wisdom... No Word of Encouragement... Nothing Prophetic... Nothing

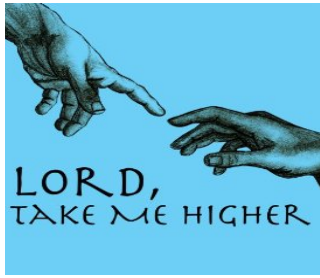
Researched... No Revelation of the Truth... No

Admonition... No Confession... No Gift... No Prayer...

No Sacrifice and No Expression from your HEART escapes my attention! Please believe me when I say, I



continually be with You, Brother George, Sister Angel and your **ADORABLE PRECIOUS GIFT** of a grandson... **“THE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS LITTLE “CHRISTIAN ST. MICHAEL”!!!!** Truly he is a *handsome bundle of JOY and a Precious gift from God in every Sense of the Word!* Also, may God continue to extend divine protection, provision and **ELEVATION** to the entire **HOUSE OF PRAISE FAMILY!!!!** Love Always, (Brother JuJuan)



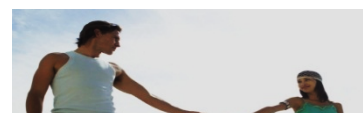
“LORD, TAKE ME HIGHER”!!!!

By Brother Wilbert Aaron

Hello Pastor Carmen, Praise God! I am **HONORED** and Thankful for **ALL** of the **NEWSLETTERS** that you and the ministry have sowed into **MY LIFE** throughout the years and especially in 2015! **WOW!** What a **BLESSING** they were to me and others that I share them with. But this year, 2016, is the the year that God will **BIRTH** forth his army. And the **TIME** is now. And as I lay before the Lord today through prayer and fasting into the **NEW Year**, I say to the Lord, **“Take me Higher Lord, Higher in your Love! Higher in your Anointing!** When I look back on my life, I see how God’s mercy has lifted me but His Grace has kept me!

Pastor Carmen, I want to personally thank you for your love and patience that you sowed into my life. You are one of the people that God used to get me to the point where I am today. I remember when I lost (2) of my **BROTHERS**, (4 months apart). I contacted the ministry and you prayed. My God, I was **HURTING!** My **FAMILY** was **HURTING!** And, it was not looking “good”. I had to reach deep down inside and tell the Lord, “If you don’t help me, I can’t be helped”. Prayer went forth, and some way, and somehow, God set my feet on a **SOLID ROCK**, put a new song in my mouth and established my going! Now I can tell somebody else that my God is able

to do exceeding, abundantly, above **ALL** that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us. Ain’t God good? Give my love to everyone and let them know that by God’s Grace, I’m still on the wall and I refuse to come down. Keep me in prayer as I allow God to prepare me. It has not always been easy, but I have learned that if God can’t do it, it can’t be done. **SHOUT GLORY!** My time and my season have come and God is about to supernaturally release me. In fact, God is raising up an **ARMY!** The chains have been broken and the yokes have been destroyed! Not because of me,



problem that God cannot heal. And, many times, all we have to do is STAND STILL AND KNOW THAT HE IS GOD! AMEN? Thanks again for God's love and support through you. May the Blessings of the Lord overtake you.

In God's love, Minister W. Aaron

“THANKS FOR REACHING OUT TO MEN LIKE ME”

By Mr.

Kelvin B. Dees

Dear Pastor Carmen, Hello!

I pray this letter finds you WELL and in good spirits. A friend let

me read


your NEWSLETTER and it blew me away! I

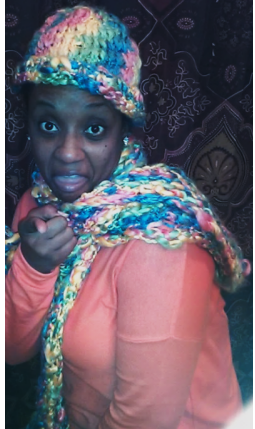
have never read anything so spiritual and enlightening on the World's affairs of both past and present! Things to come from a Biblical standpoint! It was profound and I would like to get one of those NEWSLETTERS whenever you send them out. If I have to subscribe for one, that will be OK as well. I have been in prison for many years and God has done a MIGHTY WORK on my life, in every area. I still fall short but

I understand because I am the MAN! I am here working on myself! They say that Nothing in God's world happens by mistake. Who knows? Maybe this saved me from something greater. I just thank God I am well and still seeking God's face. *I really want to help our youth* when this is over, but I have a few things I need to get together. I know that I will make it. I don't have any doubt that God has NOT let me make it this far to let me down at this point. So, I am living, walking and talking with complete FAITH that God will make a way! I have a sound mind, healthy and I'm moving FORWARD, so please help me to GROW Spiritually while I am in this TOMB, so when I resurrect I can be the MAN I am supposed to be in Christ. **THANK YOU FOR REACHING OUT TO MEN LIKE MYSELF! And, THANK YOU for your time!**

(Mr. Kelvin B. Dees)

“CONGRATULATIONS”!!

Praise The Lord, AGAIN Brothers! And, it is “ME” again, Sister Tomyia (Mattie Pattie)!!! Hey, y'all, Here is a riddle for you: What was Moses' cure for a headache? He took “TWO TABLETS”! **Just**  **thought** **IS** **you needed a “LAUGH!!!!”** Happy New Year!!! and **IT** **THAT TIME AGAIN!**



Congrats!



This month (JANUARY) begins our brand new year of fun through the HOLY GHOST with you! And our new WORD for the months of JANUARY, FEBRUARY and MARCH! AND THAT WORD IS: "ANTI-CHRIST"! Hurry and get your words in now! The answers will be in the APRIL issue! Before we look at our winners of the Word "APOCALYPSE", let us first say Thank you to EVERYONE OF YOU THAT "ALWAYS" RESPOND (whether you win or not), YOU ARE STILL A WINNER AT HOUSE OF PRAISE!

And also, to **Brother Walter Burrell**, "Way to go, Man of GOD! You are indeed a trooper"! Please know that we are praying for your "quick recovery". Even though you are in the hospital, you still took time to send in your words! God Bless you today and always. Hope you are feeling better"! Now, let us introduce our BIG "1ST,

2ND, 3rd, 4th, 5TH AND 6th PLACE **MONTHLY WINNERS FOR THE DECEMBER WORD "APOCALYPSE"!**

BROTHER MARCUS WASHINGTON-257 WORDS!

BROTHER DANA PASS-149 WORDS!

BROTHER JOHN WOODS-130 WORDS!

BROTHER WALTER BURRELL, JR.-80 Words!

Brother Terry BURROWS-77 WORDS!

AND BROTHER TOMMY STEADMIRE- 67 Words!!

WE ARE SO PROUD OF ALL OF YOU!! We came up with (302) Words from the word APOCALYPSE!!! Let's look at them. And remember, before you say they are

not a word, look them up! Appeals cypsela escalop palaces payolas calypso polyps papacy sloppy salpae appals appeal appels pascal apples calesa playas aslope copals appose places solace palace peplos payola spacey lycea polys lopyy colas popes papas papal coals clays clops pepla close lyase cloys popsy coala coles palps lapse pepos peals cosey lacey ploys plays pease plops playa poles leaps polyp copal lopes laces copes place copse paseo psoae pacas socle soapy apace slype appal yelps appel apple apply coaly aloes splay paces acyls spale spacy space opals soppo ales slope palea sappy scaly capos scalpscale salpa palsy salep claps capes scape pales asyla sepoy sepal scope clasp pace pepo oyes paca papa peal paly pacs pays pale pals pase palp paps peas pecs salp scop seal slap slay sloe slop soap sole soya spae spay syce yaps yeas sale pyes peps peso play plea plop ploy pole pols poly pope pops sola pose posy pyas yelp laps cope coly cols cole cola alae cloy clop clay cops copy lacs lace eyas espy epos case easy coys cosy clap ceps also alps aloe ales alec alas acyl aces aals apes apse cels cays casa caps capo cape calo ayes asea coal leys leas opal olea oles lose opes lacy lops lope local yes ocas lyse lase lays leap las ape cap sly sel oes sae asp aye sea ays sec ole als pac yea spy ace yap aas aal yep ose ala col pal sol alp sop alp sop ops soy ale spa yes oca lac cop lop pop pay ope ley

la yo ye oy ay as op so lo el aa pe os al ae oe

God Bless YOU all! See you in APRIL!!!! (Sister Tomyia)

CHRISTMAS HIGHLIGHTS (2015)

**AND
HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



TO ALL

OF YOU WHO HAVE A BIRTHDAY IN "JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND



MARCH" INCLUDING: (January) MINISTER

GARDNER and PASTOR CARMEN;

(February) Sister Tomyia and (March)

Sister Christie!

(Thank you for

**Beautiful
LETTERS**



ALL of the many

**CARDS and
wishing us**

Happy Birthday)!!!!!!

BROTHERS, ARE YOU "WOKE"

YET? If you are... then "HELP" to

**WAKE someone else up! JESUS IS
COMING IN THE RAPTURE VERY SOON!**

**BE WOKE AND READY! Accept God's
Plan of Salvation, TODAY!!!!**

**LOVE YOU, PASTOR CARMEN AND THE
HOUSE OF PRAISE CHURCH!!!!**

