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Kingdom Business: Share the Love, Be the Light

Praise the Lord, Brothers and Sisters!

I wish above all things that you prosper and be in health, even as your soul prospers (III John 2). With all that is going on in this world, it is more important than ever that our souls – our minds, wills, and emotions – prosper. The prosperity of our souls happens through the renewing of our minds. The renewing of our minds takes place when we:

- 1. Study the Word of God,
- 2. Meditate that Word,
- 3. Hear God speaking through that Word, and
- 4. Agree with what God has said whether our natural minds comprehend it or not.¹

When we come to that place of agreement with God's Word, we must then enter into a place of alignment with His Word. The evidence of our alignment is that we willingly obey what God says. This willing obedience signifies that we have chosen to lean *not* to our own understanding and to be *not* wise in our own eyes. Rather we have chosen to acknowledge God in all our ways and allow Him to direct our paths (see Prov. 3:5-7).

I preface this letter this way because we have Kingdom Business to discuss. Before I begin, let me say this clearly: **This letter is not about politics. It is not about being pro-life. It is not about being pro-choice. It is about being PRO-GOD.**

Kingdom Business

Just a couple of days ago, on June 24, 2022, the Supreme Court of the United States rendered a ruling that overturned *Roe vs. Wade. Roe vs. Wade* was a landmark decision of the U.S. Supreme Court in 1973, legalized abortion in the United States. There has been a great deal of debate over *Roe vs. Wade*, where, very generally speaking, pro-lifers believe abortion is wrong and pro-choicers believe women should be able to choose to terminate their unplanned pregnancy by having an abortion.² Whether you are for abortion or against it – **I urge you to drop <u>your</u> agenda and adopt <u>God's agenda.</u> (In all reality, our agenda should be God's agenda anyway. But just in case it isn't, I'll say it again:** *Drop your agenda and adopt God's agenda.***) Adopt God's agenda by following the four steps above.**

(If you are not a citizen of the United States, don't stop reading. ;-)You can still apply the principles in this letter.)

¹I Cor. 2:14 tells us that the natural man (i.e., mind) receives not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. Therefore, you must set yourself to be in agreement with the Word of God and trust that Holy Spirit will minister it to you in a way that you understand.

²www.focusonthefamily.com/pro-life/pro-life-pro-choice/

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God's Agenda

While the overturning of *Roe vs. Wade* is a cause of celebration for the Church³ – we need to now *BE* the Church. We need to BE the love of God in the earth. We need to BE the light shining in darkness (see Matt. 5:14-16).

The fact of the matter is, this Supreme Court ruling is devastating to many women who now find themselves forced to deal with the unborn children living inside of them. I've read newspaper articles about people's responses to the Supreme Court ruling. Before reading these articles, I never considered how women who desired abortion would feel once abortion was no longer an option.

As I read these articles, I could literally feel the heartbreak of these women. I found myself moved with compassion; I was touched by their feelings of disappointment, anger, despair, and hopelessness. Many feel their plans have been shattered. Some feel as if their *lives* have been shattered! They thought they had a solution to their problem, but all of a sudden that "solution" was pulled right out from under them. What now? They wonder how they will go on.

God has a plan for each of these women. A wonderful plan! A loving plan! A joyous plan! And He has called us, the Church, to partner with Him in bringing His plan to pass. Regardless of how you feel about abortion or about people who would want to have an abortion, I urge you: Drop *your* agenda and adopt *God's* agenda.

What is our role as the Church?

The Lord gave me a vision. I saw an eagle soaring in the air. All of a sudden, a big chasm opened up on the ground below. In this chasm were a multitude of hurting, grieving women. I then saw the eagle swoop to the ground. The eagle swooped with such speed that it was as if he tore the heavens open as he went. Even though he was headed to the ground, he opened a portal to the heavens. Out of these portals came multitudes of ministering angels and a flow of the love of God. The Lord was showing me that this is the opportunity we, the Church, have been waiting for. **It's time to swoop in quickly and lavish these women with the love of God.**

No condemning them for what they have done. No rubbing it in their faces that abortion is no longer available. No pushing religion on them. No looking down on them. **Just loving them.**

The Lord showed me that an important part of loving them will be to locate them where they are. It's not about going to them and bombarding them with the gospel. It's not about ministering to them according to where we think they should be or what we think they should do. No. It's about locating them where they are and helping to lead them out of that dark place into the light – like what Jesus did with the rich, young ruler. We see in Mark 10:21 that "Jesus, beholding him loved him." Jesus, by locating the rich young ruler where he was in his situation (i.e., by

³This ruling by the Supreme Court is evidence of our nation returning to righteousness. God's desire for us is that we would choose life (i.e., follow His commands) that we *and our seed* may live (Deut. 30:19). One of His commands is, "Thou shalt not kill" (see Exodus 20:13).

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beholding him), <u>loved</u> him by ministering the one thing he needed to hear in that moment: "*One thing thou lackest*...."

Likewise, when ministering to these women, we should take the time to behold them. See them as more than baby killers, wrong-doers, or however you may see them. In fact, don't even see them that way! To label them as anything without knowing their reason for doing it constitutes criticism and judgment. With the help of Holy Spirit, discern where they are. (They are hurting, and the reasons why may surprise you.) Allow Holy Spirit to minister through you to give them what they need – whether it's a listening ear, a word of encouragement, a comforting hug, understanding, a loving invitation, tough love, a support system... Whatever it is – make sure you *behold* them and *love* them.

In the midst of your interaction with them, be attentive to the Holy Spirit so you will recognize the open door when it appears. Walk through it. Be the light that will lead them to the hope that they are looking for. Amen?

It is my prayer that you have taken this letter to heart and that you will revisit it frequently. Though this message was written in the context of ministering to women affected by the overturning of *Roe vs. Wade*, we should apply it when ministering to anybody. (Isn't that how we want others to minister to us?)

If you are not actively involved with anyone or anything pertaining to the Supreme Court ruling, that's okay. If you find yourself praying about it, allow this letter to help you pray God's agenda. Pray for the laborers who are in the field. Pray for the women and families who are going through this situation that feels like a tragedy to them. If you hear other believers speaking unkindly about people who support abortion, share the contents of this letter with them. Even feel free to give them a copy! Let's adopt God's agenda and handle Kingdom Business, amen?

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