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The Lord says, "For who shall stand against God? Who shall stand against the righteous Judge of all things? Who shall stand against our advocate, Christ Jesus? Who shall stand in a place to think that they shall be high and lifted up and be lofty in their pride? They shall fall. Unusual, strange deaths that will shock the earth ... Oh, there shall be silence, but yet it shall be so loud.

Things Are Shifting Now

"Things are shifting." The Spirit of God says, "Things are shifting. Things are shifting for great victory. Things are shifting for great celebration. Things are shifting. Listen! That there is an end... There was a moment in the Red Sea crossing where God declared, 'The Egyptians that you see today, you shall see no more.' There was an end to their agenda. There was an end to their pursuit. There was an end to the demonic spirits that worked through them. And this is what is coming; this is what is being unveiled; this is why you are shifting now. You are shifting now.

Do Not Be Moved by Storms—It's the Time of Global Freedom!

“Do not be moved by darkness. Do not be moved by storms. Do not be moved by the storms. Do not be moved by the darkness, for it is but to distract from the shift that shall bring the revolution of light in a way that you have only dreamed of—to bring the nations into glory and into the manifestation of My goodness,” sayeth the Lord God of hosts.

The Birth and Re-Birthing Are Here

September is the ninth month on our Gregorian calendar and represents a number of birthings.

On the Hebrew calendar, Rosh Hashanah is the celebration of the Jewish new year, and begins Sept. 25-27. The first day of autumn is Sept. 22 and is also symbolic of a time of change and harvest.

The New Monarchy Creation

As recently as Aug. 31, I was spending time in prayer when I saw a vision of a monarch butterfly and two other monarchs around it. Shortly after, I saw a picture of luminous nuggets of gold. I had been sensing that the intense testing I had been going through was coming to an end, and the Lord highlighted to me that these appeared on the last day of the month of August—the eighth month which represents new beginnings and restoration.

Prophetic Word: The Lord Says, 'It's Time for the Greater Things'

Recently, the Lord spoke to me about the harvesters. You can pass what you don't possess.

Let's go for more! Let's possess the land.

We have witnessed unprecedented corruption, threats, wars and natural disasters over the last few years. Now we will flow in unprecedented signs, miracles and wonders.

Jonathan Cahn's Explosive New Book Reveals Spirits of Ancient Paganism Behind End-Time Evils

I've heard Christians say they wished they could live in biblical times. Well, guess what? We are now living in times the Bible calls "the end of the age" (Dan. 12:13; Matt. 24:3, 28:20). Christians in the early church faced persecution under the pagan Roman Empire, and today, many believers experience similar persecution. As Jonathan Cahn reveals in his new book, "The Return of the Gods," which releases Sept. 6, the same evil spirits that lie behind ancient paganism have now risen in America.

I've known for a long time that something was seriously wrong in our culture and that it went far beyond normal societal changes or political divisions. As the Bible says, we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities and powers (see Eph. 6:12).

Cahn, author of the mega-bestseller "The Harbinger," has a gift for helping us understand current events in light of what is happening in the spiritual realm. Like "The Harbinger," this book, "The Return of the Gods," carries a powerful, prophetic core message: Paganism has reappeared in the West, and we are indeed living at the end of time.

3 Truths That Will Transform an Abusive Marriage

The Democratic Republic of Congo has the dubious distinction of being the rape capital of the world. Statistics show that almost 40% of women in eastern Congo have been victims of sexual violence because rape has been used as a weapon of war by soldiers. So, I wasn't surprised to learn that multiple women who attended a conference I hosted there two weeks ago

had experienced rape.

During that conference in Goma, a city near the Rwandan border, I taught couples some simple Christian principles to encourage unity and intimacy in marriage. While I taught from Ephesians 5:25 (“Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church...”), I asked a pastor to come to the stage to wash his wife’s feet while she sat in a chair. I explained that the verse from Ephesians is a reminder that Jesus served his disciples by washing their feet, and that a husband should learn to serve his wife with compassion and humility.

People in the audience began to whisper and laugh nervously as the pastor got on his knees in front of his bride. The people had never seen a scene like this. Men from Congo do not kneel in front of their wives! Men are considered superior to women, and women are expected to be subservient.

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I'm Bronx-born (in Einstein Hospital) from the boroughs, so I have a lot invested in New York. I've lived here my whole life. Chris (my husband) was born in New York (we're native New Yorkers). A Jets and Mets fan married a Giants and Yankees fan, and there was a complete civil war in my family.

A Word of the Lord for New York

"Watch New York going to the end of the year, for unexpected change is upon Albany," says the Lord of hosts. "They have rebelliously chosen to go off into the darkness where one cannot see. And to maintain control, [they] have released into New York another that shall make itself plain shortly.

"However," says the Lord, "there is a bear trap, and it shall catch their foot and bring them down from their lofty position. For they have not learned from the fall of the former and shall become even more shameful for what they have done. And this shall trigger a vein in the spirit that runs to California," says the Lord, "events in the political arena in tandem. Watch and see," says the Lord of hosts, "for much will flip..." (To read the full Aug. 2, 2022, word, [click here.](#))

Prophetic Dream: Watch and See What God Will Do in the Next 2 Months

In a dream the other night, I was sitting with the Lord. In front of me, I could see a horizon, except there was this thick layer of fog in front of me that was stopping me from being able to see ahead.

The Lord said to me, "It is now time for the scales to be removed from your eyes and from your heart and from your soul. And this is an hour that I am clearing out every bit of debris and every blockage and every hindrance to you seeing clearly

the road ahead that I have for you.”

He said, “This is an hour that I’m giving you fresh vision. This is an hour that I’m giving you eyes to see the future that I have planned for you; the future that the enemy has tried to stop you from seeing; the future that the enemy has wanted you disconnected from so that you would lose hope and you would crumble on the battlefield that you were in—so that you would give up in the middle of what looks like a wilderness, but it’s only moments and steps away from fruitfulness and advancing.

Prophecy: A Time of Restoration and Healing as We Enter Jewish New Year 5783

Over the past couple months, much has been taking place in the nations and in the realm of the Spirit. The Lord told me in August the nations would reach a boiling point. We have been at a crucial tipping point.

A tipping point is a point at which a very significant change occurs; a decisive moment. Rapid change and realignments are being accelerated in the nations and across the board. We are in a time where we’ll continue to see a changing of guard in the nations, the political realm and in the body of Christ.

Praying and decreeing the Word of the Lord is our greatest weapon in this time. Our greatest place of power and influence starts on our knees. James 5:16, NKJV reads, “The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much.” Prayer is effective when we engage in it because it carries and releases the power of God. “Avail” means to have sufficient power, force, efficacy for the object ().

Beware of the Dangers of ‘Christian Deconstruction’

We live in a time of seismic, social upheaval, and the shaking

has triggered a trend known as “deconstruction” among Christians, especially in Western countries. You may not have heard the term, but it’s everywhere. People are questioning everything—including the church, spiritual leaders, traditional morality and the core doctrines of Christian faith.

Deconstruction made headlines last year when Kevin Max, a member of the popular Christian band DC Talk, announced that he was now an “ex-evangelical.” Noting that he was also “pro-LGBTQIA,” Max said he had been deconstructing his faith “for decades.”

Bart Campolo, son of famous evangelical author Tony Campolo, announced in 2011 that he had become an atheist and secular humanist. He described his journey this way: “I passed through every stage of heresy. It starts with sovereignty going, then biblical authority goes, then I’m a universalist, now I’m marrying gay people. Pretty soon I don’t actually believe Jesus actually rose from the dead in a bodily way.”

Prophecy: With Jesus, There Is Always an Expiration Date on Bad News

As I stopped to get gas recently, I reached for the pump and noticed a winged bug I hadn’t recalled seeing before. It didn’t move from the pump even as I moved the handle.

It got my attention, and I wondered what it was. Immediately the word “mayfly” popped into my head. I wasn’t sure what a mayfly was—though the name sounded familiar—so I did a quick image search. Sure enough, the bug was a mayfly. I felt like the Lord was trying to say something, so I began to read about these tiny creatures. Here’s what I learned.

The presence of mayflies often indicates water that is oxygenated and pure. They hatch in such striking numbers in some areas that they can show up on weather radars and draw

quite the tourist crowd. They are notorious for having a short lifespan, it was even compared in one instance to having the lifespan of a daily newspaper. Mayflies—despite their name—can hatch in a number of both spring and summer months.

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On Monday, Aug. 22, in the wee hours of the night, I had a disturbing prophetic dream. In this dream, I witnessed the discharge of a hypersonic missile.

In the dream, I stood by as I watched a hypersonic nuclear missile being discharged. I saw the launch of World War III. I felt horrified and helpless to do anything about it.

As the missile emerged from its canister, my dream came to an abrupt end.

Prophecy: The Josephs Are Stepping Into Their Suddenly

"I have declared from the beginning the former things [which happened in times past to Israel]; they went forth from My

mouth and I made them known; then suddenly I did them, and they came to pass [says the Lord]" (Isa. 48:3 AMPC).

The promises that go forth from *His* mouth, *He* performs *suddenly*. The word of the Lord that came to Joseph in a dream as a young man *suddenly* came to pass many years later. In one day, everything changed.

Tried and Tested on Account of the Word

"He sent a man before them, even Joseph, who was sold as a servant ... His feet they hurt with fetters; he was laid in chains of iron and his soul entered into the iron, until his word [to his cruel brothers] came true, until the Word of the Lord tried and tested him" (Psalm 105:17-19 AMPC).

Stop Listening to the Voice of Condemnation

I have a friend who is a gifted worship leader, a loving husband and an affectionate father. He's funny, smart, passionate about his faith and wholeheartedly committed to his church. People who know him say he's a model Christian.

But underneath this joyful exterior is a lot of pain. He struggles with depression, and then he condemns himself because Christians are, in his words, "supposed be happy." When emotional heaviness drags him to a low point, he knows how to put on his convincing "church face." Nobody knows the dark thoughts that torment him.

My friend is not unique in this struggle. Countless Christians I know engage in a daily battle with the enemy of their souls. And Satan is relentless in his attacks. He is described in Scripture as "the father of lies" (John 8:44), and the "accuser of the brethren" (Rev. 12:10). He wags his bony finger of condemnation and tries to deny us access to the Lord's love and mercy.

Will Preaching the Word Soon Be Illegal in America?

On April 19, 2018, the California State Assembly approved Bill AB 2943. According to this bill, the church can no longer preach or teach that homosexuality is wrong and cannot try to correct that behavior.

Many are concerned about the ramifications of this. Even psychotherapy for gender dysphoria is against this law. One astute Facebook user commented, "editing the Bible would be the next logical step." The California Assembly, by a vote of 50-18, approved this bill, telling churches and other institutions that uphold traditional beliefs that if they advocated their views about gender and sexual orientation, they could get sued. AB 2943 declares, "advertising, offering to engage in or engaging in sexual orientation change efforts with an individual" is illegal under the state's consumer fraud law. Assembly Floor Vote: 50-18" (California Family Council). This bill has since died in the process.

This article is not about homosexuality, but concerns that churches or individuals could be sanctioned for preaching from the Bible. I would have had the same concern if a law was passed that said a person could be sued for preaching on the biblical practice of "tithing" or that "Jesus is the only way to heaven."

Prophetic Vision: 'This Is a Season of God Transferring Crowns'

I recently had a vision of a majestic crown being removed from someone's head and placed on the head of another. I was reminded of the Scripture, "But God is the judge: he putteth down one, and setteth up another" (Ps. 75:7, KJV).

And the Lord said to me, "This is a season of My transfer. I am crowning those who have been hidden, and they will now rise to the forefront. It is harvest time. I am separating the tares from the wheat. Vindication is coming to those who have

dodged the spears of envy and the javelins of jealousy. I am placing the crown of My favor upon their head.”

Moreover, He said, “There is significant exposure coming along with My divine shifting. The shaking is because of My shifting. Do not fear! Spiritual and political leaders will continue being removed as I shift My people into the season of *advancement* and *acceleration*. Do not be afraid. Keep your gaze upon Me as I lead you. The burning ones will be raised up to new places of authority. The crown of power and position will be stripped from those who have refused to heed My voice.”

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Joyce Meyers’ Daughter: ‘I Tried Until I Almost Died!’

Growing up as the daughter of Dave and Joyce Meyer, Sandra McCollom knew about God’s goodness and unconditional love.

“At 8 years old, I remember sitting on the floor as my mom shared her faith with me. That’s when I received Jesus as my Lord and Savior,” she recalls. “I was always taught that God is not mad at me. I had a wonderful upbringing!”

Sandra's Battle With Anxiety and Perfectionism

Still, as Sandra grew older, her natural personality and personal experiences influenced her to live her faith in a way her parents would never have encouraged. "I developed a wrong view of God and the way He felt about me," she explains. "I saw Him as someone standing over me, ready to beat me over the head every time I made a mistake."

Cindy Jacobs Prophecies: The Lord Says, 'Am I Not the Mender of Broken Hearts?'

I was just praying and asking the Lord, "How can I encourage you all today?" I know there are so many challenges out there, but this is what the Lord said to me.

The Lord said, "There are some longstanding thorns in your flesh," meaning that there are some things that have happened to you or in your family. What I see is that things will just flare up, like there will be a family fight or a feud. It just seems like relationships blow up.

"But the Lord would say, 'Am I not the great mender? Mender of broken hearts? Do I not set the solitary in families for those who are lonely?'"

How the FBI Raid on Mar-a-Lago Is Spiritual Warfare

It's been a few days since the FBI raided President Donald Trump's home in Mar-a-Lago, and the Biden administration has yet to explain to the American people why they did what's never been done in American history—the government raiding the home of a former president. In my opinion, this is not just about politics, but spiritual warfare against Trump and the nation.

Those working in the highest institutions of our government are trying to get rid of Trump before the 2024 election, making it impossible for him to run. But it seems to be backfiring.

Many conservative leaders and Christians are becoming more vocal in their support for Trump following the raid, because of this travesty to justice. White House Press Secretary Karine Jean-Pierre admitted, “the president and the White House learned about this FBI search from public reports.”

How Do You Leave a Church That Becomes Toxic?

Two weeks ago, I shared several practical guidelines on how to leave a church gracefully. I wrote this because I hear so many stories about people storming out of churches because their feelings got hurt. But one astute reader didn't appreciate my observations because I didn't mention the fact that some churches manipulate, control or abuse people.

The person who contacted me has been trying to raise awareness about alleged abuses in some churches in Australia that have either covered up instances of abuse or engaged in manipulative or authoritarian behavior. I certainly don't believe the majority of churches do this, but I'm aware that it's more common than it should be. Spiritual abuse happens, and it's never healthy to stay in a church where it's occurring.

So how do you leave a church that is spiritually abusive? What if the pastor or other leaders are guilty of sexual misconduct, unethical or illegal financial activities or controlling behavior? The rules for leaving an unhealthy church are different from the rules for leaving a healthy one.

What 'The Jetsons' and Cindy Jacobs Prophetically Got Right

Just as the 1960s cartoon *The Jetsons* depicted a future full of video phones, robotics and Google-style office space, some modern-day prophets have prophesied about a future full of exposing corruption, fighting for individual freedom and shining a light on truth. One of those prophets is Cindy Jacobs, and her prophecy from 12 years ago has been proven right.

In 2010, Jacobs publicly prophesied, “I’m Cindy Jacobs with a word from the Lord for the United States of America. The Lord would say to you: ‘I am getting ready to begin to peel off layers of deception in this nation,’ says God. ‘I am getting ready to expose corruption that is at levels that people would say cannot be.’”

Twelve years later, the FBI’s raid of President Donald Trump’s home in Florida on Aug. 8, 2022, exposed the deception and corruption of the Biden administration to persecute a political opponent, as if the United States were a third-world country where authoritarian regimes persecute opposition leaders and their supporters to reinforce their power and control.

Charisma Highlights: WATCH: Now They Are Bowing Down and Worshipping Baal Right in Front of Our Eyes

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WATCH: Now They Are Bowing Down and Worshipping Baal Right in Front of Our Eyes

They aren’t even trying to hide it anymore.

During the opening ceremony of the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham, England on July 28, a giant mechanical bull with glowing red eyes was rolled out into the center of Alexander

Stadium. The bull was approximately 10 meters high, and it took more than five months to build. It had been given the nickname “Raging Bull,” and it absolutely dwarfed all of the human participants that were involved in the performance.

The “hero” of the opening ceremony, a character known as Stella, calmed the creature down and then all of the human performers gathered around the giant bull and literally began to bow down and worship it. I have seen a lot of really weird things in recent years, but I have never seen anything quite like this.

Prophetic Word: The Lord Says, ‘I Am Releasing My Firebrands’

Recently while in worship, I was talking to the Lord when this prophetic flow began to come forth. I took out my phone and pressed record. This is the transcription of that word I received:

“God, I see the firebrands rising up. God, I see the firebrands rising up. I see the hot coals being released. I see the hot coals being released. What am I seeing, Lord? What is it that You would say? What is it that You would say to this generation?”

“Come out and be separated! Come out and be separated!” says the Lord. “Come out and be separated!” says the Lord. “For I’m removing the Baals from the lips of this generation,” says the Lord. “I am, in this hour, putting fresh, hot coals on the tongues of My people that have been afraid to speak, that have been muzzled, that have felt the spirit of Python around their necks, choking them into submission and silence.

God’s Holy Interruption Is Coming Soon

This past weekend I preached at The Roads Church, a charismatic congregation located in the tiny town of Norris City, Illinois. Located amid cornfields, the population is only 1,325, but almost that many people visit the church on weekends. They come from all over southern Illinois and

Indiana, some driving an hour because the Holy Spirit is doing miracles there.

It's thrilling to see the spiritual hunger of the people in Norris City. Every morning members of the church gather to pray for God's presence to visit their region, and Pastor Chad Everett and his team have planted two satellite congregations in Mount Carmel (45 miles away) and Carlinville (155 miles away) because people in those towns want more of the Holy Spirit.

On Sunday, I preached from 1 Kings 18, when Elijah called down fire from heaven and prayed for an end to a three-year drought. I reminded everyone that when things grow spiritually dark, as they did during the reign of Ahab and Jezebel, God is willing to bring a holy interruption. The Lord didn't allow the prophets of Baal to defeat Israel; He sent a visible demonstration of His power that caused everyone to fall on their faces and say, "The Lord, He is God" (1 Kings 18:39.)

Tim Sheets Prophecies: The Lord Is Bringing a Complete Turnaround for Our Nation

Watch this amazing prophetic declaration given on Aug. 3 in front of the Supreme Court in Washington, D.C., by apostle and prophet Tim Sheets, the pastor of Oasis Church in Ohio.

Our God in the Heavens Does Whatever He Pleases

"Our God is in the heavens; He does whatever He pleases" (Ps. 115:3).

I am in full agreement with the prophetic word by Tim Sheets. "Bold," is the prophetic word the Lord is speaking to the church today. I believe the day has come where God is bringing a complete turnaround for our nation and we are to be a part of that. It is exciting to watch what God is doing right now as false idols are falling. Roe v. Wade has been overturned by the Supreme Court. This and other recent decisions the Supreme Court has made and are about to make are truly exciting!

Prophecy: God Is Bringing About Swift Turnarounds

In the month of August, God is bringing swift turnarounds so that your hard places will become a wide-open field.

God is bringing about divine connections in order to strengthen the body of Christ. He is releasing faith for radical generosity, divine strategy to champion others and solutions for meeting the needs of the disenfranchised.

This month, draw close to the Holy Spirit and listen to His whispers. He will guide you as you take bold steps of faith and meet you in your courage.

Charisma Highlights: 7 Abilities for a New Agility in This Era

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The Lord first began speaking to me about the release of seven abilities for a new agility early this year. By springtime, I had four of the seven items and, although I kept praying to receive the rest, I didn't hear any more.

Then several weeks ago the Lord directed me to read the book of Acts, and to pay special attention to chapter 3. As I began to do this the Holy Spirit impressed on me that the last of the seven items would be revealed in the book of Acts.

Friends, I truly believe the release of these seven abilities has been reserved for such a time as this, and those who read this with an open heart will receive an impartation of these even now today.

It's Not Your Body, So It's Not Your Choice

While the abortion debate continues to rage on social media, television and in the streets, there's a phrase none of us seem to be able to avoid: "My body, my choice."

As a Christian, I've become fascinated by this phrase and have wondered, is my body actually *my body* according to God's Word?

The basis of the "my body, my choice" argument is that a person has complete sovereignty over his or her body. Yet, as I've examined this notion through a biblical lens, I find several truths in God's Word which contradict this way of thinking. We don't have as much autonomy over our bodies as we might wish to believe.

Prophecy: Angels Will Shoot Arrows of Fire to Ignite Revival

God's glory is breaking through! The Scripture says, "For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and His glory will be seen upon you," (Isaiah 60:2, ESV).

I recently had a conversation with Ashley Gronholm, whom God is using in healing, miracles, signs and wonders. She shared with me how God gave her profound prophetic insight of what is coming to the world, despite the darkness we read about in the headlines every day.

Gronholm said, "One time I had a dream and I saw Jesus. I heard His voice and He said, 'Come!' I've learned that hearing the voice of God is like tuning a radio. The more time you spend in the Word, the more time you spend in prayer, you are tuning in like a radio to hear God's voice."

There's a Right Way and a Wrong Way to Leave a Church

This pandemic season hasn't been easy—but pastors have suffered in unique ways. Statistics show that between 20-30% of churchgoers stopped attending in 2020, and the bulk of those people have not returned. In many cases, they never said goodbye.

Many of my best friends are pastors, and they have told me many sad accounts of how their church members left—both before and during the pandemic. I took a random poll this week to hear how exiting members behaved when they went out the back door:

Pastor "Bob": "One of my members left the church, and then he told me it was because the air conditioning in the church was too cold."

Curt Landry: What Are the Dangers of Soul Ties?

Soul ties form when we act in accordance with the flesh when developing or growing in a relationship with another person. This could be any relationship formed or grown out of shame, guilt, embarrassment, pride, loneliness, doubt and the like.

Soul ties can develop when any connection with a person is formed out of a fleshly desire to be needed, loved and accepted. In essence, it is placing a relationship or person above the relationship and person of God.

Where Do Soul Ties Come From?

As mentioned, soul ties are formed when your mind, will, and emotions are tied to or directed by anyone or anything other than the Spirit.

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Earlier this month on a Sunday, my friend picked me up for church, which gave me the ability to finish getting ready in the car. By getting ready I mean applying my makeup, as it's almost always the last step for me and done on the go.

This day, I couldn't find my concealer; it should have been in either my makeup bag or purse, though after searching with no avail it appeared to be misplaced or lost. For those of you who are not familiar with concealer and what it is used for, it is a light color cosmetic that is applied to the face that typically blends in with the skin to "conceal."

My concealer is specifically used to brighten the under the eye area, though it can be used for blemishes, red areas or to blur imperfections. For me, if I choose to wear makeup it is a step in my routine that I don't like to leave out as it gives a bright and even-tone look, however there was no substitute so I shrugged it off and went about my day.

God Is Restoring What Was Lost—With Interest

One day, I was in worship when the word of the Lord came to me: "In the next six months, you're gonna wake up settled in the land that I promised to give you long ago. You will wake up and realize that all the battles that you've been through, the fires that you've walked through and all the wildernesses

that you survived are no longer ahead of you, or around you, but behind you. You'll breathe deep and see no sign of the pain or trauma that have been following you around for years.

"The hope deferred that has been like poison, sitting in the very recesses of your soul, is already beginning to evaporate from your life, never to be seen of again."

He Is Establishing You!

International Bible Teacher and Missionary Joy Dawson Dies at 96

Bible teacher, missionary and author Joy Dawson, a respected leader in the Youth With A Mission community, died early Thursday morning at 96 of natural causes.

Dawson's Bible teaching ministry and missionary journeys with YWAM took her to 55 nations on six continents worldwide. She also taught extensively on television, radio and is the author of several books. Her penetrating teachings are based on the character and the ways of God.

Dawson's oldest son, John, spoke lovingly of his mother and expressed a deep gratitude to the many thousands of people who are contacting the family at this time, recounting stories of the impact of Joy's life and ministry.

How to Break the Soul Ties That Have a Demonic Grip on You

Going to the salon is always an interesting experience. First, you are always privy to seeing people at their less-than best. After all, everyone there is expecting to leave looking better, right?

There are also the tidbits of conversations you hear from other chairs. The random, and often sad, renditions of life's greatest and worst events. I imagine that there is some level of similarity in barbershops as well.

Recently, I sat in the chair of my favorite stylist. It was an early Monday morning appointment, and strangely, the salon was

empty. It was just me and my stylist. It didn't take but a few minutes in her chair for me to realize that something was off. At first, I thought she was angry with me. Then, I thought she might just be angry at my hair. But then I realized, it was a much deeper issue, and she was struggling.

Prophecy: A Great Suffocation of Evil Is Accelerating

The worldwide suffocation of evil has been accelerated to the next level. Four great and mighty angels are wrapping their arms around the planet and the 'squeeze' is on. Yes, *black* is oozing everywhere, but it is *exposed black*. Black gunk that can't hide anymore. Disempowered black. Black goo with nowhere to hide.

Watch for the 5.5 Earthquakes

Watch the 5.5 earthquakes coming up, as they will be a 'tell' of the squeeze taking place. Evil is beginning to lose its breath. A great suffocation of evil is accelerating.

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A friend of mine recently told me that a good friend of hers started withdrawing from her, even though they were close and had done ministry together. When she finally asked this friend

why she had pulled away, the woman admitted that a “prophet” in her church had given her a dire warning that was supposedly from God. The prophet advised the woman to stay away from her friend because “she is trying to steal your spiritual mantle.”

What? I can’t even count all the reasons this isn’t a true prophecy. For one thing, no one can “steal” your spiritual gifts or callings. Number two, this “prophet” had no personal knowledge of the person she was accusing; she was, instead, using suspicion and fear to manipulate and control. But because she wasn’t confronted about her alleged “word from God,” she will continue to sow discord among God’s people while appearing to be super spiritual.

I love the gift of prophecy, and the Bible tells us in 1 Corinthians 14:1 that we should desire to use it. I love to see people strengthened and encouraged by a personal word from God. But spiritual gifts, much like guns, can be misused—and when prophecy is misfired it always hurts people. That’s why we need more teaching and training on the healthy use of prophecy.

Prophetic Word: The Lord Says, ‘Gather the Oil for Your Lamps Now’

As I waited upon the Lord, I heard His voice so closely. He began to minister to my heart and show me things to come.

We are entering into a moment of inspection from the Lord. Man looks at the outward, but the Lord looks at the heart. First Samuel 16:7 says this, “...The Lord doesn’t see things the way you see them. People judge by outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.” Man looks at the outward display of the leaves, but we are now entering an inspection time of the root.

While many will cast their attention upon numbers, popularity, promotional materials, videos, photos, one-liners and a plethora of other prestigious recognitions, the Lord is

focused on the oil of the secret place. I heard the Lord clearly speak that the time for gathering oil before His return is coming to its close.

Pastor, Revivalist Calls Out Creflo Dollar for Anti-Tithing Pronouncement

Sometimes the apostle Paul named names when calling out false teachers, and other times he didn't. Today the Lord has instructed me to name names.

I'm calling out Creflo Dollar. He has been spiritually off for a long time.

The first red flag to his departure from truth is his teaching on sloppy grace (vs biblical grace). This started years ago and has now become a major teaching theme in his ministry.

In These Last Days, the Lord Says to Redeem Your Time

Recently, this word of the Lord came to me: "I am awakening My people to be redeemers of time."

"[F]or the light makes everything visible. This is why it is said, 'Awake, O sleeper, rise up from the dead, and Christ will give you light.' So be careful how you live. Don't live like fools, but like those who are wise. Make the most of every opportunity in these evil days" (Eph. 5:14-16).

How are we to redeem the time in these last days?

Prophetic Vision: Marketplace Prophets, You Didn't Miss God

As I sought the Lord, He gave me a clear word for His marketplace prophets who have been positioned in the systems of this world. This word is for the prophets called to the marketplace that felt like they were lost in the wilderness and wondered if they had missed God.

Today, I assure you that you haven't missed God. Rather, you're exactly in line with His will in the earth. The Lord showed me a vision of His marketplace prophet being hidden away in a bathhouse for a season of transformation, like

Esther went through.

The prophet was led into a bathhouse that was filled with all kinds of luxury goods and different cleansing stations. As God led His prophet to each station, He stripped them of old clothes, jewelry and even of old wounds. With each stripping, He placed on them new clothes, adornments and essential oils that seemed to transform the very nature of the prophet.

Amish and Mennonite Communities: God Has Remembered You

I wept during worship. I have never felt the Lord's presence so strongly as when I worshipped with these precious people.

These were the words I heard the Lord speak to the Amish and Mennonite communities the other weekend, as I was privileged to minister in Lancaster, Pennsylvania: "God is remembering you. The time to favor you has come."

He continued to speak: "The Amish are My hidden secret weapon that will become a great force in this nation. I see their tradition of unity, sticking together, honoring one another and building one another's barns. I wish I had that kind of unity to build *My house*. I plan to use that in My kingdom as I pour out upon them My goodness and mercy that will draw them to Me. And their spiritual unity will shake this nation. They *will* help build My house."

God focuses on the good in people, not the bad. Aren't you

glad?

The Lord continued to speak: "I don't see the words "Amish" or "Mennonite." I only see people made in My image. We all bleed red blood, as I did on the cross."

I am convinced that we are the ones who put titles and names on people that create the barriers that separate us. We all have mindsets and ways of religion that we get ourselves stuck in by our own understanding. But God is coming to dig us out, and that means all of us.

What I Learned in Amish Country

1. When you plow, you reap. "Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that the plowman shall overtake the reaper, and the treader of grapes him that soweth seed; and the mountains shall drop sweet wine, and all the hills shall melt" (Amos 9:13, KJV).

There is so much talk of a great harvest these days that I fear many have put the plow away. I received a great revelation as I ministered in these farmlands that are well acquainted with the plow. As I ministered, there were moments when I felt the "plow" digging deep with resistance. But the Lord spoke, "Son, I am anointing plows in My fields of harvest, so whatever the amount of opposition coming from people, the tip of My plow is piercing their hearts. So, when you plow, you are reaping! In this land where crops grow large, because of the fertile soil, so are the hearts of this people because of their great hunger for Me. Their stomachs growl loudly."

2. Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you and your household will be saved. One of the messages I sensed the Lord wanted me to share was when He first called me to blow the shofar into families. The family ties are so tight in the Amish and Mennonite communities that it can be difficult for those who hunger for more of the Lord to step forward and go further on

to know Him. As many are currently doing that, they are often misunderstood and even excommunicated from family and loved ones. But as they move forward, because of their obedience, I see a chain reaction like dominoes falling, confirming this Scripture: “‘Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved—you and your household’” (Acts 6:31, NIV).

3. Love will open the heavens. I shared a recent word I received for all of us: “Love God and love people, and don’t mess that up!” Love will move us forward and open the heavens over our loved ones and even our enemies. As I blew the shofar into families, and as they shouted, “Jubilee!” I saw harvest angels activated in the rafters of Amish barns. They began swinging from the rafters and descended upon that region far and near.

4. The Father’s blessing: love that casts out fear and restores identity. The next day (on Father’s Day) I sensed that the Lord wanted to release an earthly father’s blessing for those who seemed to miss the affirmation and blessing of an earthly father. I stood in proxy of their earthly fathers and spoke an earthly father’s blessing over them. The Lord used this to open the heavens and release the Father’s perfect love upon them, casting out fear and restoring their identity in Christ with His words.

He said, “You are My beloved son in whom I am well pleased. You are My beloved daughter. You are Daddy’s favorite little girl in the whole world, and that is who you are!” This spoken blessing was being downloaded to a thousand generations, breaking generational curses and an orphan spirit. Of course, I shared the importance of forgiving our earthly fathers who, for reasons only God knows, didn’t show love or know how to say it. Usually, there was a generational hindrance in their own lives.

5. Sometimes you must first do for others what you would want them to do for you. I will never forget a brother who came up

to me after this message. He shared how he went to see his father who was about to die and hoped that his father would bless him and say that he loved him before he passed away. While he waited, he felt the urge to hug his father anyway and said, "I love you, Dad!"

His father showed no response. He left his father's side and never saw him alive again. Later, someone from the hospital told him, "After you left your father's room, I never heard any man bawl as loudly as he did."

This testimony taught me that many times, we must step out first and do what we want other people to do for us before they respond.

Whispers of Truth from the Amish Barns

- Jesus says, "Don't try to change people. If you change them, they'll become like you. But if you love them unconditionally, by letting My love flow through you, they'll become like Me."
- God is remembering the United States of America. The nation's hunger is returning.
- As you pray for your enemies, God's pen moves to write their story—and He's not through writing yours either.
- Many are being called to do things they've had no training for. Your trust in God will be your training.
- Love God and love people, and don't mess that up.

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Prophetic Word: 'Days Are Coming When the Story Will Change,' Says the Lord

I am tired of looking backward in history at moves of God that came and went. Yes, I celebrate all that God has done, and my heart rejoices when I remember some of the great moments I have experienced. I reflect at the times when I attended the Revival in Brownsville in the '90s. I was just a young man, but I vividly remember God's power being poured out and the ministry of Evangelist Steve Hill. But that was yesterday. What's my testimony right now?

Certainly there have been pockets of revival throughout our country and the world since then. Even recently there have been evident moments of great and wonderful outpourings. But are you satisfied? I am not. Is there a genuine yearning in your heart for more, or are you simply satisfied with what God did yesterday? Are you ready for a new testimony? Are you ready to declare what God is doing in your life today? I believe God wants to put a new word and fresh testimony on the lips of every believer. "Days are coming," says the Lord, "when the story will change."

It is an absolute burden and passion in my heart to genuinely see and live in the power of God. We are among a generation that desperately needs the real thing. No longer will stories

of what God did in yesterday's generation suffice. The power of God is the key to answering this generation's brokenness and confusion.

As the prophet Jeremiah declared in Chapter 16:14-15 (BSB):
Yet behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when they will no longer say, 'As surely as the Lord lives, who brought the Israelites up out of the land of Egypt.' Instead they will say, 'As surely as the Lord lives, who brought the Israelites up out of the land of the north and all the other lands to which He had banished them.' For I will return them to their land that I gave to their forefathers.

When the prophet delivers this word, the people are fractured by war and scattered. Their faithfulness to the Lord has dried up and because of that, bondage and judgment have become their portion, surely a prophetic insight for where we are in the United States.

What led to the promised people of God becoming a scourge and testimony of God's correction and judgment rather than blessing and prosperity?

We could go down the list: Disobedience. Idolatry. Sexual immorality. But the prophet reveals a powerful truth in this verse. It would appear that the people of Israel were still living off of the God of yesterday. Their testimony was 'The God *who,*' "the God *who is.*" In other words, the ancient moves of God, the powerful demonstration of delivery and salvation, was simply not sustainable because they, like many of us today, lacked the confidence and faith that God is still able. When outpourings and moves of God remain in the rearview, they can end up as stories for people to scoff at rather than realities to inspire hope and build faith.

This is the path many Christians have followed. We've heard the stories but rarely have experienced them. We share testimonies as stories instead of delivering them in power.

This generation will not settle for stories. They are a group of people who, led by their feelings, are searching for something real that will impact them emotionally, not simply spiritually. They've heard stories of a God who can fill their heart and satisfy their lives, but are they experiencing it? I believe days are coming!

Israel's testimony of their God was merely history to them rather than a present reality. Too many Christians are living with what God did five, 10 or 25 years ago, rather than what He is doing right now. The God of yesterday wants to be the God of right now. Do you believe that? We must change our posture and begin to seek the face of God with boldness and confidence. The God who did it in years past is the God who can do it in the present!.

I sense a wind on the horizon that will shift the atmosphere.

"Days are coming," says the Lord, "when the testimony of what I did in Egypt will no longer be your story."

"Days are coming," says the Lord, "where you will no longer live off of the testimony of 'that one time.'"

"Days are coming," says the Lord, "where I will do a new thing, and I will put a new story in your mouth. You will declare a new testimony. Days are coming when every day in My presence will bring a new declaration. Days are coming!"

Powerful moves of God are not intended for simply small pockets of communities throughout our country. The move of God is for all who will plunge into the current! Jump in, and declare over yourself, your household and your community, "Days are coming!"

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