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"But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason for the hope that is in you with meekness and fear." – 1 Peter 3:15

THE SANCTIFYING POWER OF THE PEACE OF GOD

The blood of Christ Jesus reconciles us back to God and brought peace {Colossians 1:20}: and this peace is from the Prince of Peace: "Of the increase of His government and peace, there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon His Kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even forever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this." {Isaiah 9:7} Therefore, to sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to come into an agreement with the Prince of Peace and with all His blood accomplished for God and for us all, and to be ready to give the answer to anyone who may desire to know the reason for this great hope.

That of all that the prince of darkness could invent since his rebellion, all the counsels and devices, all the weapons he invented including himself as the chief of those weapons, none was able to keep Christ Jesus in the grave: there was no weapon formed against God, His Justice and Judgment, or Truth, that could prevail. Christ Jesus had prayed for us, "Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth." {John 17:17} So many people have begun to see this Light: we have no problems whatsoever, and what we have now begun to see, which is "Self", the Sword of the Spirit is highlighting and addressing, not by man, but by the Spirit Himself. Self cannot deal with self: "For if ye live in the flesh, ye shall die: but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live." {Romans 8:13}

To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to believe the Truth and the Whole Truth: this sets us apart from all that is profane and worldly to bring to us the Mind of Christ. The Mind of Christ is the Truth: the Truth to every man that before they were formed, God knew them and had His plans for their lives which the Spirit of God will reveal to them: this is eternal life {Jeremiah 1:5}. "I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." {Galatians 2:20}

To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to believe that the life we now possess is the very Life of Christ which is the Eternal Life: it is Him by His Spirit who makes supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks for all men; in us to the Father and in His name {1 Timothy 2:1-4}: the contents of our prayers and activities are Christ Himself, the Will of God: by sanctifying the Lord God in our hearts, we are brought into an agreement with Christ the Head, with the support of the Spirit, the Water, and the blood {1 John 5:8}. The devil and the world are not our problems: we begin to think and say the same things Christ is thinking and saying.

Christ's invitation is to come and dine: "And they shall build the old wastes, they shall raise up the former desolations, and they shall repair the waste cities, the desolations of many generations." {Isaiah 61:4} The foundation of the true Church that is in Jerusalem is being revisited: that is the only foundation that Christ Jesus laid, and the only true Church that works: this is to sanctify the Lord God in our hearts. It was said of Daniel and his friends, "And in all matters of wisdom and understanding, that the king inquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers that were in all his realm." {Daniel 1:20}

If God's people will hearken, we are supposed to be more than ten times better than the people of the world. The Kingdom of God is the superimposition, without fuzz, of Righteousness and Judgment in every facet of life: we are not supposed to be in any argument with the world. No man argues with the oxygen he breathes: this is how Righteousness and Judgment were meant to work. The contentions we are seeing are the other gospels trying to do what the True Gospel was meant to do: it does not work. Righteousness and Judgment which is the Kingdom of God and His righteousness or His Will or the Truth that is the true Gospel is like the sun: everything and everyone complies with the sun.

To pray for God's Kingdom to come, and that His Will be done on earth as it is in heaven is the sum of all our prayers. This is to acknowledge that "Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations." {Psalm 145:13} God's Kingdom and His Gospel are one: this deals and affects all things God ever created. Picture Righteousness and Judgment upon all things on earth, then we can truly see that there is no better prayer than the Lord's Prayer.

Abandoning the true Gospel is what made us believe that without using the name of God and Christ we cannot have necessities and the abundance of them required in this world to what we are called to do. The world does not do that: we are supposed to be at least ten times better: it is required of us to believe it. This is what God is

restoring. To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to turn back: then the world will see the difference. To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to give Christ Jesus His rightful place: His Truth sanctifies and cleanses, removes spots, or wrinkles, or blemishes {Ephesians 5:26-27}.

We are setting our affections on things above, not on things on earth because we seek those things which are above {Colossians 3:1-3}. This also means we have ceased all contentions amongst ourselves and with the world. Remember always, Righteousness and Judgment made the whole world and the universe and upholds all things by the same Word of His power which is the Truth or Righteousness and Judgment: and He is the Head, we are His Body {Colossians 1:15-19, Hebrews 1:1-3}.

To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts brings us to provide what we received from Christ, which is the unleavened Gospel that the Holy Spirit uses to build human temples in the image of Christ: it also means that we understand that our call was not to build ministries, but that our ministries edify or build people by providing what was given to us from heaven.

The true Gospel builds people, not ministries or things. Christ Jesus, through the Spirit, builds His Apostles and Disciples: His Apostles and Disciples build His people by feeding the lambs and sheep: the lambs and sheep reproduce the same: Christ builds His Church. Religion builds churches and ministries: Christ builds His Church: this is to sanctify the Lord God in our hearts. This is what Love does.

To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to bring all things into the obedience of Christ, willingly and joyfully {2 Corinthians 10:3-6}: the effect of this is rest and peace that surpasses all understanding. Because we are not confused about what the true Gospel says, and we believe it and believe Christ Jesus: for that was what Christ Jesus said {Mark 1:15, John 6:29}. Our prayers become more of thanksgiving because we are not arguing with God, we are agreeing with Him for what has been set in eternity.

Also, the Gospel is eternal: and the Gospel is God: He is our sanctification and sanctifier and our peace: He is also the Wisdom of God and the Power of God {1 Corinthians 1:24, 30}. To say that we do not have problems is to put things in its proper context or perspective and place because it is the Truth. To be childlike in what and in whom we believe is not to be childish or immature: true maturity in Christ makes us see things the way children see them: the way it truly is. The true

interpretation of maturity is childlikeness. Childlikeness is the hallmarks of true conversion {See Matthew 18:3}. That was the innocence of Adam and Eve and Christ Jesus.

Immaturity is to put Jezebel and pythons in the faces of people, the things Christ Jesus and His Apostles never taught: these are no Gospel. Abandoning the true Gospel was the door through which they came. To sanctify our gifts, we need the true Gospel and to return fully of God. If we will have schools of prophets or apostles, we better seek true sanctification first. Without sanctification which is by the true Gospel, we have darkness. Spiritual and ministerial gifts work without sanctification, but for a different kingdom. We need to know about the demonic world, but only in the light of the true Gospel. Those who behold Christ Jesus and Him alone, as the Gospel has taught, are the true sons and daughters of God.

God is restoring the Spirit of the First Church in Jerusalem: people came together for fellowship and went out and work, and gave their resources and possessions with joy and glee: they knew whatever belongs to them belongs to God, there were no private agendas. First, they gave themselves, then the offerings became acceptable to God {See 2 Corinthians 8:5, 8:1-12}. We cannot be referring to the people of the world as wicked when they provide almost everything we depend upon, from food to appliances of every type, to the social media and all our computers and phones, to services and automobiles, etc. It is crucial to see all things as Christ sees them: this is the Mind of Christ or sanctification. We were all sinners, but God loved the world and gave Himself by His Son {John 3:16}: this is the accurate Word, not an opinion of man.

We are supposed to be providing all those things, albeit in Righteousness and Judgment which was God's original plan for creating the man. To sanctify the Lord God in our hearts is to see things the way God sees them and to agree with Him. This is Eternal Life, and it is Christ, the Prince of Peace, the only source of true peace that only God gives. By the true Gospel, the unity of the Godhead becomes the reality of Christ's Body.

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“For we are members of His body, and of His flesh, and of His bones. For this reason, shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined to his wife, and they two shall be one flesh. This is a great mystery: but I speak concerning Christ and the Church.” – EPHESIANS 5:30-32

1+1=1=SALVATION=GODLY HOPE

Consider carefully that the Gospel is Law. The Gospel is an eternal Law that is not advice, a suggestion, a recommendation, or an article that requires to be analyzed to determine any portion of it. The author of the epistle to the Hebrews said, “For we which believed do enter into rest, as He said, ‘As I have sworn in My wrath; if they shall enter into My rest: although the works were finished from the foundation of the world.’ {Hebrews 4:3} Christ Jesus showed us how to enter into God’s Rest: believe the Gospel, and believe in whom the Father has sent {Mark 1:15, John 6:29}. It becomes easier to understand why this rest has been elusive for many: unbelief.

When one plus one becomes one, holiness becomes a natural phenomenon. We do not strive to become holy, we have Christ using our hearts and minds, eyes, ears, mouths, and our whole being: and no aspect of these are forced on any man, just like two people get married and become one, effectively dealing with any form of corruption and the ills that has pervaded many nations. Believing this opens heaven and keeps it open.

So we can see that we trouble ourselves when we do not have the true Gospel. This was God’s original plan, and He has never at any time made any other plan. When people are talking about being authentic, this is the meaning of being Authentic: God’s Law is Authentic and it is the true Gospel. We talk about being realistic: the Gospel is Realistic, and it is the foundation of our relationship with Christ, just as it is in any marriage.

“Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face.” {Psalm 89:14} In other words, the Sapphire throne of God in our hearts and souls: and this is why we exist {See Revelation 4:1-11}. This is what we see when we behold the image and the Majesty of Christ Jesus. God made no plan B.

Those who believe this enter into true Rest; and it is the foundation of salvation and the body or the building of it: it is eternal, having been determined before the world

began. It was not for some supermen, it was for every soul. The earlier we believe the Truth the better for everyone and the world. This was the message committed to the Body of Christ to convey to the world. When we call on God, it is beneficial to have believed Him and what He said. The only role He gave to the man is to agree with Him and receive what He has provided, including any new revelations He brings. However, His revelations will not alter what Christ Jesus and His Apostles have said.

“For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we may live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world: Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the Great God and Savior Jesus Christ: Who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto Himself a peculiar people, zealous for good works.” {Titus 2:11-14} Our hope is blessed: it came from Truth.

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“Thy throne, O God, is forever and ever: the scepter of thy kingdom is a right scepter. Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore, God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.” – PSALM 45:6-7

THE SCEPTER OF GOD’S KINGDOM: FAITH FOR TODAY

The same Spirit that God has is the Spirit that Christ Jesus gives to everyone who comes to Him to receive it: and this Spirit of Christ that is the Eternal Spirit will cause us to love righteousness and to hate wickedness; it thereafter produces faith and increases it, in that, we believe and see as God believes and sees. “Jesus said unto him, ‘If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.’” {Mark 9:23} And again He said, “Have faith in God.” {Mark 11:22}. This was before He went to the Cross.

The resurrection of Christ Jesus from the dead changed everything on earth. When we say that the Gospel is Law, it can be likened to the truth that the sun rises every day in the east and sets in the west. These are not words, they are facts: so is the

Gospel and the Truth about the resurrection of Christ Jesus. If the devil knew what to do to keep Christ Jesus in the grave, he would not hesitate. All he ever knew was not capable of defeating Righteousness and Judgment: this is why we believe Christ Jesus and His Gospel. Our Faith depends on believing only Truth, for it is the scepter of God's Kingdom. When we withdraw ourselves from the atmosphere of unbelief, a lot of good, will come.

When Christ Jesus drove out people from the temple, they required Him to show them a sign as proof of the authority He has for what He was doing before they can believe Him. He said they should destroy the temple and He will raise it up in three days: but they never understood Him. God will not show anyone any sign, neither will He allow anyone to show proofs or signs and wonders to get His Truth across, especially when it is what people are looking for.

However, people tend to underestimate unbelief: unbelief requires proofs after hearing Truth. We should avoid this mistake at all costs. If it's not in the true Gospel, it is fit to be discarded. After someone arrives at Faith, it should be impossible to pull such a person back into believing untruths, neither should we encourage it nor attempt it. The people in the First Church rejoiced when they saw Faith: this was why Peter's shadow healed the sick. Unbelief is lights out.

It is God's prerogative to refuse to show anyone any sign: what He did with Moses was different from Samuel, or Elijah, or Elisha, or Isaiah and Jeremiah, and all His other prophets of old, or John the Baptist, and Christ Jesus and His Apostles. Faith is faith because it is not based on the messengers or prophets but on Christ the Truth. Throughout history, unbelief has always reared its head: it is like unplugging an electrical appliance and expecting it to work. Or to blame a postman for the contents of a letter.

When we arrive at Truth, we have arrived at Faith: nothing will shake such a person even though the trials may be great. One will remember why and how Christ Jesus rose again from the dead. Faith from Truth is the scepter of righteousness: they are from heaven, not from men. Faith is God, and it is also His scepter of righteousness.

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“ASK YE of the LORD, rain in the time of the latter rain; so the LORD shall make bright clouds, and give them showers of rain, to every one grass in the field.” – ZECHARIAH 10:1

CHRIST’S YOKE AND BURDEN

The shortest verse in the Bible records Christ’s emotional response to the death of His friend Lazarus, it says, “Jesus wept.” {John 11:35} What He was thinking is not known because He didn’t say it: however, Christ Jesus created the whole world and humans, and He is the Eternal Life; He witnessed, first hand, the damage the fall of the man brought on earth: He had the plan and can see for Himself how exactly it is to be human.

So He gave a call: “Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light.” {Matthew 11:28-30} They are easy, and they are light because the Truth said so: and they have existed before the world began.

Like the Sun of righteousness and the rain of righteousness that has no human origin, only the meek and the lowly will receive this just the way it is: Christ said we should learn this of Him, and the effects shall be rest, quietness, and confidence from God: “For thus saith, the Lord GOD, the Holy One of Israel; ‘In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength:” {Isaiah 30:15}.

The Truth that makes men free is the same Gospel that Christ said we should repent and believe {John 8:32}: Christ’s yoke and the burden are His Gospel, which is God’s Will, or Righteousness and Judgment, just like the rain. Anyone or theologians will agree that no man can cause one drop of rain to fall from heaven. The spiritual palate of a man changes when he comes in contact with the true Gospel: this happens because he turns to the Lord and the veil is taken away {See 2 Corinthians 3:12-18}.

Those who do not know them may believe such believers in Christ are trying to take a short cut, or seeking for quick significance or recognition, or a platform, or some microphone: these are all the fruits of the fall of man, the thoughts of carnal minds

that have not been to the Cross; because our words highlight our thoughts. Bringing all things into the obedience of Christ deals with thoughts and imaginations that have not been slain by the Cross {See 2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. We should be able to know when our thoughts are not right about other people; thoughts or imaginations have fruits.

This generation has great potentials that should never be frittered away. Beholding Christ and Him alone changes a whole lot of things {See Hebrews 12:1-2}. Disciples of Christ make Disciples of Christ with the words of Christ and the Word of the Gospel. The only people Christ Jesus had any issues with were the Pharisees and the Sadducees: all the sinners heard Him gladly because Jesus didn't come accusing them. As long as it is the true Gospel, it is good news, and it works. If our love for men and our approach to those we call sinners exceeds that of Christ, it will create more problems.

When we ask for the rain, we should expect it. "Drop, down ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness: let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring forth together; I the LORD have created it." {Isaiah 45:8} God Himself is the content of the rain, for He is the Righteous One and our righteousness: when we ask for the rain, we are asking for His Kingdom to come, and for His will to be done on earth, as it is in heaven {Matthew 6:10}: we are asking for the counsel of God to stand, and His thoughts that is for all generations {Psalm 33:11}: we are asking that his judgment be laid to the line and His righteousness to the plummet {Isaiah 28:17}. But are we ready for this?

After the fall of the man, starting with the murder of Abel by his brother Cain, the greatest tragedy that ever befell the man was that men started seeking dominion over men. The Yoke and burden of Christ Jesus that is easy, and light was the redemption and the restoration and the reconciliation of mankind: but men have become accustomed to accomplishments which are not part of the true Gospel. "For by grace are ye saved through faith, and not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man boast." {Ephesians 2:8-9} In other words, it is like the rain that comes down from heaven, but men do not like or appreciate this, it deprives us of something to boast about.

By our very words, we can see that we imagine too many things about people and try to bring people into such imaginations. There are over 7.8 billion human beings on earth: if the world were to end today, more than 90% are not saved. Because we construct processes that Christ neither constructed nor commanded, and anyone

who sees through these constructs we see them more or less like enemies, and our words betray our anxieties. Spiritual and ministerial gifts can become idols: they are tools for service, many confuse this with transformation. The Mind of Christ is the transformation: with it, we are able to judge what is worldly and what is not. There is no hype in the purity of the Gospel: anything that can stand between a man and God apart from Christ is dangerous.

Apart from the true Gospel, nothing was given by Christ Jesus to be fit for human consumption. Christ's yoke and burden that is easy and light can be likened to the air going into our lungs or the sun rising in the east: it is for the meek and the lowly. The trust the meek and the lowly have in God and Christ, they know it is a gift from Christ Jesus.

God said, "Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap in mercy; break up your fallow ground: for it is time to seek the LORD, till He come and rain righteousness upon you." {Hosea 10:12} To repent, and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand, is to break up our fallow grounds. It is God's delight and pleasure to pour Himself upon us and mankind, but our repentance is required. Just like the Sun of righteousness that is unstoppable, ask for the rain: it is God's grace as it is in heaven. Righteousness and Judgment order things the way it is in heaven and makes men think the thoughts of God the Father after Christ. The Light will illuminate the earth and lives, and darkness will not be able to comprehend it.

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"The LORD executeth righteousness and judgment for all that are oppressed." –
PSALM 103:6

RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUDGMENT: THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

The Word says, "The LORD is righteous in all His ways, and holy in all His works." {Psalm 145:17} This was God's call to all mankind: to be as He is. "He made known His ways unto Moses, His acts unto the children of Israel." {Psalm 103:6} But His Word also showed us the issue; "He showeth His word unto Jacob, His statutes and

judgments unto Israel. He hath not dealt so with any nation: as for His judgments, they have not known them. Praise ye the LORD." {Psalm 147:19-20} This shows us that the greatest lesson any child of God or any human being will ever learn, is to learn true humility. What happened to Israel has repeated itself over and over on earth: we did not learn or know Righteousness and Judgment.

And because of this, Jesus said, "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these other things shall be added unto you." {Matthew 6:33} This was also one of His chief missions on earth: to reiterate all the Word of God and to order and establish God's Kingdom on earth, in our hearts and souls {Isaiah 9:7}. "Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, 'I am the Light of the world: He that followeth Me shall not walk in darkness; but shall have the light of life.'" {John 8:12, also John 1:4} And again, "As long as I am in the world, I am the Light of the world." {John 9:5} And it was this very light that left this world and plunged it into darkness. God calls those who believe in Him the light of the world: "Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid." {Matthew 5:14}

King David noted in His Psalm; "What is man, that thou art mindful of him? And the son of man, that thou visitest him? For thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, and hast crowned him with glory and honor. Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands; thou hast put all things under his feet. All sheep and oxen, yea, and the beast of the field: The fowl in the air, and the fish in the sea, and whatsoever passeth through the paths of the seas." {Psalm 8:4-8}

David knew God did not add the man to the dominion He gave to men {Genesis 1:28}. This is the source of the issue of the day: the people of the world do not do this, but those of us who are supposed to know this don't. And then, we use the name of God for it. If we repent, we will see it ourselves. If we are not telling ourselves the truth, but call it accusing the brethren, great is that deception and delusions on earth. Those who have all the earth under their influence by what they invented or created and offer in services are not using God's name. Our call is to admit our error. The world will note our humbling ourselves before God. The true Gospel does not permit what it has been used for: Christ Jesus and His Apostles are our examples: that was Light.

If there was a prophet like Samuel or Elijah or Elisha on earth, the earth would have seen and known it: if there was any man or woman who is like Apostle Peter, the world would have seen it. All because the true Gospel was obscured and perverted and men have refused to admit it. It is not the time to blame anyone because we are all in it: the Lord was showing me how many are fighting and stabbing one

another, because of the pride and selfishness of refusing to admit that we never learned nor knew Righteousness and Judgment which is the true Gospel.

Our spiritual and ministerial gifts have blinded our eyes and minds to the Truth, but God is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works. What made Christ Jesus the Light of the world is the Righteousness and Judgment in Him that made Him the Lord over, all, which is the Godhead that Satan could not defeat. He rebelled because he wanted God's throne.

"The LORD taketh pleasure in His people: He will beautify the meek with salvation." {Psalm 149:4} The true Gospel is Righteousness and Judgment, the Light of the world, and it is to the meek. It will end any chaos any day at any time, restructure our societies or nations and bring them back on course on God's own terms, and prepare the way of the Lord. God's Kingdom is this Righteousness and Judgment from heaven in the hearts and souls of men, to be discerned, not determined by men. This is the Light of the world. The Kingdom of God is righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Spirit of Christ {Romans 14:17}.

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"Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ, and, to make all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, who created all things by Jesus Christ: To the intent that now unto the principalities and powers in heavenly places might be known by the church the manifold wisdom of God, according to the eternal purpose which He purposed in Christ Jesus our Lord: In whom we have boldness and access with confidence by the faith of Him." – EPHESIANS 3:8-12

THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE MYSTERY

The fellowship of the mystery will take us to the Garden: and bring us to the Gospel of Christ Jesus and of God's Kingdom. Apostle Paul speaks of a certain grace which speaks to "all the saints", and to make "all men" see the unsearchable riches of

Christ, a fellowship of the mystery, and of the manifold wisdom of God which was from the beginning of the world. We will begin to see that the lambs of God and the sheep of God belongs to only One Person: Christ Jesus. When we belong to Christ and to His Kingdom, we will differentiate between the Kingdom of God and the kingdoms of men.

The fellowship of the mystery that God had purposed before the world began, that the human heart and soul will be His dwelling place for all eternity: it is still a marvel to all principalities and powers or the heavenly hosts of God's angels that God will choose to inhabit human beings.

"But the anointing which ye have received of Him abideth in you, and ye need not that any man teach you: but as the same anointing teacheth you all things, and is truth, and is no lie, and even as it hath taught you, ye shall abide in Him." {1 John 2:27} The fellowship of the mystery will bring us to the true anointing of God which is Christ: this anointing has only one language: Truth. He does not build the kingdoms of men or supports private agendas: He does not engage nor supports spiritual merchants. The wise in heart will consider the end when we shall stand to give an account. The anointing does not preach nor teach other gospels: don't be confused. The anointing that can be controlled by men is not from Christ Jesus.

The other gospels speak of spheres of influence and "my church": COVID 19 started in China: its sphere of influence is the whole earth. Social media like Facebook and Instagram etc. has spheres of influence that no man can control: the Kingdom of God is both heaven and earth. For the earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof {Psalm 24:1}: this is the fellowship of the mystery. God will have His way.

A man or woman who has been to the Cross is in agreement with lovingkindness, judgment, righteousness, and equity: with the support of the Spirit, the Water, and the blood, and the rod of God's strength {See Psalm 110:1-2, Proverbs 2:8-9, Jeremiah 9:23-24, 1 John 5:8}: this is Him with whom we have to do. It is also the fellowship of the mystery: if we have anything against such a person, it is with Christ Jesus Himself.

So we have every reason to reject any anxiety: "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 those things." {Philippian 4:8} If it is true, then it has the anointing, then it is honest: but if it is not true, it is

not the true Gospel, it cannot be honest, nor just, or pure, or lovely, or of good report or any other such things. The fellowship of the mystery will show us that Righteousness and Judgment that is the Gospel does not mix with the opinions of men: it is a gift from heaven.

The angels of God responded to Enoch's request to know why a tree with its fruits was so beautiful (recorded in the Book of Enoch): he was told that it is the tree of wisdom, known to Adam and Eve as the Tree of the knowledge of good and evil. The angel said to him, it was the tree from which Adam and Eve ate of its fruits to gain wisdom, from where they became naked and were cast out of the Garden. The earth is still reeling from the effects until today.

The wisdom that we seek and acquire that is not the true Gospel that is fed to Christ's lambs and sheep has the same effects. The fellowship of the mystery is with the Truth, who is Christ. There is a breadth, and length, and depth, and height, of the love of God that surpasses knowledge; that brings us into the fullness of God, the unleavened bread and the Mind of Christ of the Kingdom of God {See Ephesians 3:14-21}. This is what those who behold and belong to Christ Jesus see. There are neither arguments nor competition here: the Kingdom of God has no such things. God and Christ Jesus be praised.

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"To do justice and judgment is more acceptable to the LORD than sacrifice." –
PROVERBS 21:3

JUSTICE AND JUDGMENT: GOD'S ACE

God is going to liberate nations, His lambs, and His sheep, from spiritual slavery and bondage, into the glorious liberty for which Christ Jesus died for the world. The highest authority in heaven and earth is Justice and Judgment: this is God's name, His Kingdom, His righteousness, or His Will; and His name is also Jesus Christ the Word of God. "Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and

truth shall go before thy face." {Psalm 89:14} "Let us labor, therefore, to enter into that rest, lest any man fall, after the same example of unbelief." {Hebrews 4:11}

If Truth depends on whether men like Him or not, or whether men like the messages of His messengers and prophets or required the help of men or angels, none of us will have any hope or ever be saved. God's hope is that we all see this and be grateful and rejoice that God did not leave us destitute. "THE LORD said unto My Lord, 'Sit thou at My right hand; until I make thine enemies thy footstool. The LORD shall send the rod of thy strength out of Zion: 'rule thou in the midst of thine enemies.'" {Psalm 110:1-2} God's patience is because He does not desire for any of His children to be grouped with His enemies through ignorance.

Jesus said, "Repent and believe the Gospel:" it was His hope that we will all search out and know what and who the Gospel is. So He reminds us daily, that it was Justice and Judgment that prevailed when He rose again from the dead: it was Justice and Judgment that was the Spirit of Christ who left Adam and Eve when they died, who returned on the Day of Pentecost: it is Justice and Judgment that is the Truth, which is the true Gospel. It is the gold that must be tried in the fire and the unity of faith {Ephesians 4:13, Revelation 3:18-19}. Justice and Judgment is the Light of the world in Christ Jesus and believers in Christ.

Justice and Judgment is our exceeding and eternal weight of glory: "For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh in us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory: While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which cannot be seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which cannot be seen are eternal." {2 Corinthians 4:17-18} So God did not keep it secret, because if it is secret we will not be saved: it is this Truth that makes men free {John 8:32}

This is why we cannot be shaken or moved away from this Truth, we cannot sell it {Proverbs 23:23}: it is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen {Hebrews 11:1}. We should not be quarreling, we should be celebrating. Anyone who has an issue with the true Gospel should know who and what they are contending with. So talking about people who may be wounded or feel rejected are simply words from the kingdom of darkness: they are carnal and childish: this is righteous judgment.

Jesus was wounded and rejected {Isaiah 53:1-5}: it is a fellowship and a communion. Justice and Judgment who made the whole world or universe saved the

world. We do not determine anything for Him, His Will shall be done. True sons and daughters of Christ Jesus embrace His Cross, give up their wills willingly and joyfully, for God's Will. The Fruit of Christ is Christ. No man will mistake it for anything else because it is glorious {Isaiah 60:1-3, 62:1-3}.

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"For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ." – 1 CORINTHIANS 12:12

ONE WITH GOD

A believer in Christ Jesus is the person who has believed the true Gospel and in Christ Jesus, that he that is joined to the Lord is one Spirit {1 Corinthians 6:17}. And from where we are able to think like Him and see like Him and be as He is: this is the essence of salvation and our redemption. In the past before Christ, God's ways were not our way, neither were our thoughts the same as God's thoughts {Isaiah 55:8}}: but by this sacred virtue of being one Spirit with the Lord, Christ Jesus and the believer in Christ becomes the Way, the Truth, and the Life: He is the Head, we are the Body. God's ways and thoughts become ours too: this was why the man was created.

Most times we quarrel and strive because we may not have received or believed the true Gospel. But to understand the Gospel better, we may need to daily take a trip to the Garden, to see what Adam lost which Christ Jesus recovered. "For, as we have many members in one body, and all members have not the same office: so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and every one members one of another." {Romans 12:4-5} Believers in Christ Jesus are quintessentially endangered species: we are fearfully and wonderfully made; if we can discern this. A liver made to believe he is a pancreas could be permanently truncated all their lives: this is what false gospels do best.

Apostle Paul said to the Colossians, "And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now hath He reconciled in the body of

His flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in His sight: If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and be not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard, and which was preached to every creature which is under heaven: whereof, I Paul, am made a minister;" {Colossians 1:21-23}. So the issues have never been the true Gospel, it has always been the clause "If" ye continue in "the faith" grounded and settled in the hope of the Gospel. This is possible when and if it is the Gospel we received. Most times we claim promises, but neglect the "IF" after the promise.

So God's lambs and sheep are not human resources for anyone. A believer in Christ possesses as much Christ as the next believer: if we will discern the true Gospel, we will all repent. The right toe of a man cannot fit the left foot. We do not determine anything for God, we only discern. So it is not "look how much I have achieved or accomplished for God or in life": the person under grace who has truly discerned the Body of Christ who has the true Gospel is not able to do that. By breaking up the fallow ground we deliver the unleavened and unadulterated Gospel and the Spirit of Christ does the rest, fitting everyone where He planned it before the world began. When the veil is off, then can we truly discern Christ's Body, then is the hope godly hope in the Gospel.

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"And He made His grave with the wicked, and with the rich in His death; because He had done no violence, neither was deceit found in His mouth." – ISAIAH 53:9

WITHOUT VIOLENCE NOR DECEIT

When Christ Jesus announced that the time is fulfilled and that the prophecy of the coming Messiah is fulfilled in Him, immediately the people wanted to throw Him off a cliff {Luke 4:18-30}. It was an outrage, considered blasphemy; "For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground: He had no form nor comeliness; and when we shall see Him, there is no beauty that we should desire Him." {Isaiah 53:2} A Carpenter showing up as a Savior was beyond belief: however, His mission was the most powerful ever embarked upon since the world

began: He was coming to save the world and vanquish the kingdom of darkness without violence nor deceit.

This brings us to the most powerful weapon of God in heaven and on earth: God's Will. "Sacrifice and offering thou didst not desire; mine ears hast thou opened: burnt offering and sin offering hast thou not required. Then said I, 'Lo, I come: in the volume of the book it is written of Me; 'I delight to do thy will, O My God: yea, thy law is within My heart.'" {Psalm 40:6-8} God's Will usually look tame: Jesus said, "I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and My judgment is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent Me." {John 5:30} This was Christ's mission: the Gospel that He brought was the Righteous Judge. Jesus maintained the integrity of Righteousness and Judgment to save us all, and His invitation to everyone who will believe is to do the same, to come into an agreement with the Will of the Father.

We do not win any battle by much strength or striving: God does not take permission from the devil or men to destroy the works of the devil, to bring the counsel of the heathen to nothing, to make the devices of the enemy of no effect, or to make an end of every contrary imagination {See Psalm 33:10, Nahum 1:9, Colossians 2:14-15, 1 John 3:8}. He said, "And I will overthrow the throne of kingdoms, and I will destroy the strength of the kingdom of the heathens, and I will overthrow the chariots, and those that ride in them, and the horses and their riders shall come down, every one by the sword of his brother." {Haggai 2:22} Christ did this without violence nor deceit.

God's Will is Holy: His Will has fought and won. It has no violence nor deceit, and those who understand and believe this will look strange to the world. So we will hear Jesus saying in prayer, "Father, I thank you because you always hear Me:" {John 6:11, 11:41}. He gives thanks always because He was not seeking His own will. If we will follow Him we will do the same. Who God is was in the blood of Christ Jesus.

"The remnant of Israel shall not do iniquity, nor speak lies; neither shall a deceitful tongue be found in their mouths: for they shall feed and lie down, and none shall make them afraid." {Zephaniah 3:13} When we are in an agreement with Christ Jesus the Head, we are thankful and grateful, not pleading. Some prayers dishonor God because we make it look as if God needs us to convince Him. We do not come to God to discuss our past that is under the blood.

We will be tried and tested to approve our faith as genuine which may come with some afflictions; Christ promised this and it is our fellowship with Him {See John 16:33, Romans 8:17, 2 Timothy 2:12}. Nevertheless, our assurance is that the Will of God is already victorious: our warfare is to come into an agreement with God's Will which is also His Gospel {See 2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. There is no violence nor deceit in the true Gospel which is eternal. The Body of Christ and mankind has no problem: the enemy is within; "Self". But the victory is with us: God's Will which is Christ Jesus.

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"I counsel thee to buy of Me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich, and white raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear, and anoint thine eyes with eyesalve, that thou mayest see." –
REVELATION 3:18

GOLD TRIED IN THE FIRE

The Word says of Christ Jesus, "He was oppressed, and He was afflicted, yet He opened not His mouth: He is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep, before her shearers is dumb, so He opened not His mouth." {Isaiah 53:7} Yes, He was made naked before the world by men, stripped of all dignity and abused: He did not open His mouth because of the joy that was set before Him {Hebrews 12:1-2}. The Gospel is not only Law and eternal, but also God. This is the gold that must be tried in the fire, by which we shall all stand to give an account on that Day of Judgment, and also by which men shall be rewarded.

The Word says, "Feed thy people with thy rod, the flock of thine heritage, which dwell solitarily in the wood, in the midst of Carmel: let them feed in Bashan and Gilead, as in the days of old." {Micah 7:14} The rod speaks of authority, but most importantly, the rod of God is Righteousness and Judgment: He feeds the people of God with Righteousness and Judgment, the gold that must be tried in the fire. His rod and staff comfort us, for they are Christ. Godliness is not what men call it: godliness is what God says it is, and He is Christ, the First and the Last: "Who hath

wrought and done it, calling the generations from the beginning? I the LORD. The First, and with the Last: I am He." {Isaiah 41:4, Hebrews 1:1-3, Revelation 1:17}

Religion is like heroin, like opiate: it has nothing to do with God because it opposes God with such tenacity and obstinacy, and never learn anything even from our obvious history. It always seeks to maintain a status quo that was invented by men. So God does not either entertain it, contend with it, or have any conversation with it. He gave Adam no religion, Jesus gave His Church no religion. Reformation is the return to the Garden of God's love: it looks like God and Adam or Christ Jesus with John and His brothers, the Apostles of Christ, and His Disciples. This is salvation, redemption, and the restoration of Righteousness and Judgment on earth. Its origin is heaven. If it is not the true Gospel, it is not gold. The Fruit of Christ is Christ, and His rod feeds His flock only with Christ. God's Word will not return to Him void {Isaiah 55:11}.

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"Let the sea roar, and all the fullness, the world and those who dwell in it; let the rivers clap their hands; let the hills be joyful together before the LORD, for He is coming to judge the earth, with righteousness He shall judge the world, and the people with equity." – PSALM 98:7-9

THE SURE AND FIRM FOUNDATION

The Word records the secret of King David's unique reign and relationship with God: "So David reigned over all Israel; and David administered judgment and justice to all His people." {2 Samuel 8:15} Everything in creation has a sound, and creation is groaning {Romans 8:22}. So the cry of the iniquity of Sodom and Gomorrah ascended to heaven: God said to father Abraham that He has heard a great outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah because of grave sins, "I will go down now and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry against it that has come to Me; and if not, I will know." {Genesis 18:20-21}

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"Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the Day of Judgment: because as He is, so are we in this world." – 1 John 4:17

THE ORGANIC UNION

Whilst it is true according to God's Word, that the foundation of God stands sure, with the seal, that the Lord knows those who are His {2 Timothy 2:19}; when God created Adam, there was no indication in anything He created or said that His intention was anything other than men be as He is. The Gospel was to reequip men to be as Christ is. Jesus said, "This is My commandment, 'That ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this; that a man lay down his life for his friends.'" {John 15:12-13} The organic union between the Spirit of God and the spirit of a man has the Mind of Christ as its Fruit. Anything other than the Gospel should be strange to such a person. What took place in Rome was a great tragedy.

God said, "But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream." {Amos 5:24} In other words, ask for God's Kingdom to come on earth in every facet of life, and this same Righteousness and Judgment be done on earth as it is in heaven {Matthew 6:10}. The spirit that will worship God the Father in spirit and in truth, will begin to see this organic union of oneness with God as the reason for creating the man. God has nothing else to offer the human race than to judge the world in righteousness, and to minister judgment to the people in uprightness {See Psalm 9:8}. The Body of Christ was mandated to be the arbiter of Righteousness and Judgment, known as the Light in this world {See Matthew 5:14}: by discerning it and dispensing the same. Our organic union with Christ and the Father causes us to function the way Christ functioned: this is salvation.

"The Word says, "Let the sea roar, and the fullness thereof; the world, and they that dwell therein. Let the floods clap their hands: let the hills be joyful together, before the LORD; for He cometh to judge the earth: with righteousness shall He judge the world, and the people with equity." {Psalm 98:7-9} Our organic union with Christ will cause living waters of lovingkindness, judgment, righteousness, and equity to flow from believers in Christ upon the nations of the earth {See Jeremiah 9:23-24, Proverbs 1:2-3, 2:8-9, John 7:37-38}.

The love we are given is made perfect by Christ as we present our bodies as living sacrifices: this is our call and our role {Romans 12:1}. Christ does the rest. Temperance is what makes us quit responding to the world in the way the enemy of God wants it. Where the word of a king is, there is power {Ecclesiastes 8:4}: this is none other than letting true Righteousness and Judgment run down like water and like a mighty stream, as Christ would do. It is the Gospel: like the sunrise, darkness is dispelled. Then do we have true authority and the full backing of the Godhead: our victory is a gift. Christ is the Fruit of this union.

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"The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, 'Prepare ye the way of the LORD, make straight in the desert a highway for our God.'" – ISAIAH 40:3

PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD

And He continued; "Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill shall be made low: and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain: And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together: for the mouth of the LORD hath spoken it." {Isaiah 40:4-5} To call people to repent and believe the Gospel and to believe in Christ Jesus for their salvation {Mark 1:15, John 6:29}. Not entertainment, not half-truth or half-grace: but the true Gospel: for He is it that exalts every valley and makes mountains and hills low, the crooked straight, and the rough places plain: His glory shall reveal this. This is for the meek and the lowly.

God said to those who claimed they were His priests; "Who is there even among you that would shut the doors for nought? Neither do ye kindle fire on mine altar for nought. I have no pleasure in you, saith the LORD of hosts, neither will I accept an offering at your hand." {Malachi 1:10} Because "They build Zion with blood and Jerusalem with iniquity. The heads thereof judge for reward, and the priests thereof teach for hire, and the prophets thereof divine for money: yet will they lean upon the LORD, and say, 'Is not the LORD among us? None evil can come upon us.'"

{Micah 3:10-11} We will rather the whole world burn than to repent for all our iniquities against God and His Gospel. What has all that we sold our souls to gain profited us? What will all the material gains we used the name of God gain do or stand in the face of God's wrath against sins and iniquities?

But with so much pride and arrogance we declare false gospels even in the face of obvious shaking of God. The wise will wake up and prepare his or her own family for what is ahead. We do not need microphones, pulpits, entertainments, or buildings or a false sense of belonging to save a dying world, confused about what they are seeing: they need deliverance from false hope from false gospels. We do not need a doctorate degree, to tell the Truth. Christ Jesus and His Apostles are the only examples that Christ Jesus and God gave us. Everyone else has led people astray. Wake up before it is too late! Men do not determine the salvation of any soul, only Christ has that power. "For there is one God, and one Mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus." {1 Timothy 2:5}. Repent and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand. Only the Full Truth saves.

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"Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses." – 1 TIMOTHY 6:12

THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH

The foundation of Faith is Truth: this makes the fight of faith a good fight. The outcome has been determined and ordained before the world began, and this is eternal life. Eternal Life that is Christ Jesus has proven Himself: He is our exceeding and eternal weight of glory as well as the brightness of the glory of God {See 2 Corinthians 4:17-18, Hebrews 1:1-3}.

Our fight, therefore, is to bring all things into the obedience of Christ as our profession of faith, and as the proof that it is Christ Jesus indeed that we believed into our rest: "For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds: Casting down imaginations, and every high

thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ: And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when our obedience is fulfilled." {2 Corinthians 10:3-6} Fulfilled obedience is our fight of faith.

We cannot be condemned because we walk not after the flesh but after the Spirit {Romans 8:1}: anyone who is convicted can never be condemned, and anyone who is condemned has not been convicted. The Spirit convicts, but the carnal mind condemns {See John 16:8-11, Romans 8:5-8}. The Law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus has made us free from the Law of sin and death. Eternal Life is the very Life of God that is not subject to anything earthly. The true Gospel and Christ Jesus and Eternal Life are one and the same with Truth and Faith.

Therefore, "Forever, O LORD, thy Word is settled in heaven." {Psalm 119:89} "And it shall come to pass in that day, that the mountains shall drop new wine, and the hills shall flow with milk, and all the rivers of Judah shall flow with waters, and a fountain shall come forth of the house of the LORD, and shall water the valley of Shittim." {Joel 3:18} It is a glorious thing to believe in Christ Jesus and to believe His Gospel: this is the Righteousness and Judgment whose victory is settled forever. This is a good fight of faith, and its assurances are from Christ Jesus and from heaven.

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"Mercy and truth are met together; righteousness and peace have kissed each other. Truth shall spring out of the earth, and righteousness shall look down from heaven. Yea, the LORD shall give that which is good, and our land shall yield her increase. Righteousness shall go before Him, and shall set us in the ways of His steps." – PSALM 85:10-13

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"Jesus answered and said unto him, 'If a man love Me, he will keep My words: and My Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.'" – JOHN 14:23

JESUS SAID, "FOLLOW ME" – JOHN 21:19

Jesus wanted His Apostles and Disciples not only to know God but also to know what God expects of them. He said, "I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and My judgment is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent Me." {John 5:30} In essence, Christ's duty or role is to discern what God said and to judge according to God's righteous judgment. This was the same work or mandate that Adam received: judge according to what you receive from Me, the Father, as righteous judgment, which is the Gospel. "Follow Me" was to follow My example.

"Thus saith the LORD, 'Keep ye judgment, and do justice: for My salvation is near to come, and My righteousness to be revealed.'" {Isaiah 56:1} Christ Jesus is this salvation and revealed righteousness: the clearest interpretation of God's Will for mankind is found in the Lord's Prayer, that God's Kingdom should come, and that His Will be done on earth as it is done in heaven {Matthew 6:10}. The Supremacy and Sovereignty of God and of His Righteousness and Judgment were further revealed by the resurrection of Christ Jesus from the dead. And after Christ finished His mission on earth, He said, "Follow Me": judge righteously like Me. Follow My example, follow what the Gospel says, for this is to keep My words. Paul calls this the simplicity that is in Christ {See 2 Corinthians 11:1-4}.

All the saints that walked by faith on this earth would say to any one of us, if they ever have the opportunity again, "Follow Christ Jesus, for that will suffice:" we made some mistakes; Christ didn't: so do not follow us, but follow Christ; that will be just fine. The Preacher said in his discernment, "Lo, this only have I found, that God hath made man upright; but they have sought out many inventions." {Ecclesiastes 7:29}

We should never underestimate what took place in Rome: discerning the Gospel can be likened to discerning that it is the sun that rose in the east when it is morning. As Christ heard, He judged: and His judgment was just, because He sought only God's Will, and it is the Gospel. He said, "Follow Me; follow My example". We should be grateful, rejoicing: not quarreling. Christ the Light is risen and shining over His people {Isaiah 60:1-3}. It is good news. What we receive, we deliver.

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“For all flesh is as grass and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away: But the word of the Lord abideth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.” – 1 PETER 1:24-25

THE GRACE OF GOD THAT BROUGHT SALVATION

The grace of God can be likened to the gift of life: The Preacher said, “There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death: and there is no discharge in that war; neither shall wickedness deliver those that are given to it.” {Ecclesiastes 8:8} In short, no man has the power to either produce life or retain it: it is a gift just like grace.

And I will speak today heart to heart: every day I chart my compass or course, thoughts, or imagination from the Garden. How would life have been if it was from the Fruit of the Tree of Life that Adam ate instead of the fruit of the Tree of the knowledge of good and evil? Then, with a thankful heart, behold redemption, restoration, and reconciliation which Christ Jesus wrought for mankind. I have no desire to have anyone do my head in. Then can I understand what Christ was saying when He said, “At that day ye shall know that I am in My Father, and ye are in Me, and I in you.” {John 14:20} And that “I and My Father are one.” {John 10:30} This is not only clearly the Gospel but also the foundation of it, and the purpose of it.

When my people put me on Facebook in 2009, we’ve been doing ministry and I thought it was a funny or silly idea. I had no insight at all about what social media meant. I didn’t return until 2012. Only then did I understand why there were traffic jams in the spirit everywhere: like driving naturally in a big city without traffic lights. I am not photogenic, neither do I subscribe to it, or am I against it: it’s not just something am interested in, so social media was practically like a fish out of water to me.

So a young man stood behind me whilst I was preaching in North London sometime in 2012, he’s apparently been there for a couple of minutes before I noticed him. He said he just came to Christ and was going to listen and watch Pastor Benny Hinn in a church in East London and was inspired by my message and so on: he said he was then an amateur boxer. He soon became an evangelist and has social media savvy and is now everywhere on TBN and other channels and everywhere. He could not understand that we have different callings: but his gifts were activated in the

streets. This, God, has been doing since 2008 when we have been going out in the streets.

The harvest is overripe because many have played their part but the doors of Churches are shut to God's harvest. For example, the people at Netflix saw me sometime somewhere and were after me for a while and were raving about how good all the recordings they did, but they wanted more: then they asked me to sign a document (They were obviously going to make money off what was Gospel message, I couldn't agree with that – am not sure what they did with their recordings): that was where it all ended. So there were offers by people, both in the Body of Christ and in the secular world for some sort of promotion that we rejected.

We can indeed attract people with almost anything, but if it is not the true Gospel, what we call fruit will disintegrate. We do not know people we do not know. We grew up when reaching out to people for salvation was to knock on doors and be out in the streets. There was no such talk about rejections and hurts and healings that we hear today which are clearly existing in people's imaginations. We had and heard no such things until we came on social media.

Those who know me personally know exactly what we do: our only mission on social media is to prepare the way, to warn people that there are billions of souls to be saved who have either received a false gospel that brought false hope or have not been brought in by Christ because of what awaits them: God grants the increase, but He will not bring anyone from the darkness of the world into the darkness of religion or institutionalization that will require deliverance. In short, we can discern that it has all become about self and personalities: please understand where we stand, we will not be subject to this. This is where all the traffic jams came from. Babylon and Zion are at polar ends. With godly wisdom, what was institutionalized will be replaced by the Trees of Righteousness with the organic representation of the True Living Christ.

We should understand that there is a shaking on-going: it is meant for true heart's conversions, not a mutation into new religious strategies and more institutionalization. If God says "Repent", and we are still trying to prove that we have nothing to repent of, that we have the gospel just fine, it may be a hardening of the heart. God can win a whole city all at once: He needs all our agendas and plans and strategies to get out of the way. What we do to people after they accept salvation is the main issue at stake: this is why we need to open our hearts and minds to the reasons behind the shaking going on. God is not saving people to take offerings from them or to have them impounded for decades to be institutionalized.

And we are not here to attract followers or to convert people into false gospels or life. Christ's return is imminent.

The Word of the Gospel is eternal: it is an invitation back into the Life God had planned before the world began: Paul wrote to the Ephesians, saying, "Grace be to you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ: According as He hath chosen us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love: Having predestinate us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will, to the praise of the glory of His grace, wherein He hath made us accepted in the beloved." {Ephesians 1:2-6}

"For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in this present world: Looking for the blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the Great God and Savior Jesus Christ: Who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto Himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works." {Titus 2:11-14} Christ Jesus the Head of His Body is full of grace and truth: the true Gospel is full of grace and truth and it is meant for His Body. Grace and Truth are Holy: it requires no help from men. If we turn to the Lord in repentance, the veil shall be taken away {See 2Corinthians 3:12-18}.

Not Calvinism or Lutheranism or Arminianism: Just Grace and Truth that is the Gospel. If we could hear Calvin and Luther today, they will be shouting "Just follow Christ!" Prophet Moses will do the same. A baby who just came out of the womb of his or her mother has no idea how it all happened. The little we understand about God is infinitesimal compared to what is known as Eternal Life. Paul said, "I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the Scripture;" {1 Corinthians 15:3}. The world does not need money or social justice: the world needs Truth; Christ.

Amongst all the host of God's people who came out of Egypt that passed through the sea and the clouds that were baptized unto Moses, who came out with gold and silver, there was none feeble or sick amongst them {Psalm 105:37, 1 Corinthians 10:1-3}: there were no sick or accursed people in the First Church in Jerusalem who needed deliverance. Such was the presence of God.

If only we deliver what we receive, the traffic jams will dissipate: no one will require the deliverance many are seeking from people today. God's grace works like the air in our lungs: only if we will receive it the way God said it and deliver it the way it was given. The poor in spirit are blessed because they lift up their eyes unto the hills from where their help comes from Christ who made the heavens and the earth {Psalm 121:1-2, John 1:1-5}. Grace to everyone.

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"I will praise thee with uprightness of heart; when I shall have learned thy righteous judgments." – PSALM 119:7

GOD'S KINGDOM AND DOMINION

God loves the human race that He created more than any man can know or understand, but He would have rejoiced greatly at His friends who knew Him and His righteous judgments. He could not even wait for Enoch, He took him. The Word says, "Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations." {Psalm 145:13} Men feared God because they've heard about Him, but God's intention was that men be His friends, understand His Kingdom and dominion, and the role of His people in His Kingdom: Satan wanted God's throne. His only hope was for men to refuse to know righteousness and judgment, and in the process, concede and compromise, and hand authority to him on earth: this was the reason for the fall of Adam.

And this was why Jesus taught His Apostles never to seek authority over men; because that is the game plan of the devil and the way unbelievers think and behave. "But Jesus called them unto Him, and said, "Ye know that the princes of the Gentiles exercise dominion over them, and they that are great exercise authority upon them. But it shall not be so among you: but whosoever will be great among you, let him be your minister: And whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant: Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many." {Matthew 20:25-28}

This is the Gospel: religion requires the Old Covenant and its laws to overturn this and hand power to God's adversary, it is one of the greatest sources of corruption and perversions on earth. It tilts the earth out of course, out of righteousness and judgment. The world is crying against injustice and wants social justice, but they have not known nor discerned or desired God's own Way: Righteousness and Judgment which is Christ Jesus by His Gospel.

The contest between God and the devil was settled by Christ Jesus: Righteousness and Judgment is the greatest or highest authority in heaven and on earth, the Kingdom of God, His dominion, His Will, and His righteousness or the Truth, and the devil could not defeat it. When we warn people about the Gospel, it is to remind everyone that there is no victory against the Gospel, neither is there salvation to any man, or true authority, or dominion outside the true Gospel.

The dominion of God will be seen on earth: it is God's glory that will fill the earth, the Light of the world, the deliverance of God's people and mankind, and the propagation and the deliverance of the true Gospel to all men. God does not want anyone confused: this same Righteousness and Judgment is the Holy Spirit in the believer in Christ, which was God's original plan for every man that will walk on this earth. So we can see that one man having dominion over another man was never God's plan.

Christ's relationship with His Disciples and Apostles is the plumb line and His example to all men. To edify and build up the saints, our role is to let men know these truths. "Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face." {Psalm 89:14} This is "Who" and what God sets up in the spirits and souls of believers in Christ as His throne: it is His Kingdom and dominion in the hearts and minds of saints: the devil wants this throne and will do anything to have it; he did it to Adam.

Jesus commanded us to love one another as He has loved us {John 15:12-13}: and Apostle Paul was able to reiterate, "Submitting to yourselves one to another in the fear to God." {Ephesians 5:21} Chaos is to depart from any portion of the Gospel and expect the results or fruits of obeying the Gospel. Our role is to repent and believe and obey the Gospel. Most of us looking for deliverance today are supposed to walk into any city and set all captives free; because it is not us, but Christ in us.

God wants His Kingdom in every heart and every home, in every parliament and congresses: it dishonors God when men and women who are supposed to be

standing for Him and delivering nations are going about looking for deliverance from ancestral and generational curses because we took ourselves off the true Gospel. God's Kingdom and dominion of Righteousness and Judgment transform nations, ends famines and plagues, breathes true prosperity over nations, and prepares the way of the Lord. This is heaven's holiness that is a gift that no man can boast about, the sanctification that the enemy dreads, the obedience of Christ that is the Gospel {2 Corinthians 10:3-6}.

The Seed of Christ that is Righteousness and Judgment is the Image of Christ, and its Fruit is the Fruit of the Spirit, after His Kind: "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such, there is no law." {Galatians 5:22-23}. It is God's Light in us and our defense against the enemy; for, it is Christ. Jesus said He hated the doctrines of the Nicolaitans because they taught men how to have dominion and control over men through the reintroduction of the old religious ways and rites of worship and practices: this was what Rome evolved to become and has been with us ever since then {See Revelations 2:14-15}.

The Kingdom of God and His dominion looks exactly like Christ Jesus: exemplified by Love. His Kingdom is not in taking authority or commanding things: it is in agreeing with Christ Jesus the Head and submitting to His Lordship. And its effect is exactly as Light has absolute dominion over darkness.

So when God said we should let judgment run down like water and righteousness like a mighty stream, or to execute judgment and righteousness, and deliver the spoiled from the hands of the oppressors, He was calling us back into His Kingdom and reminding us of the absolute dominion and supremacy of Righteousness and Judgment {Jeremiah 22:3, Amos 5:24}. If we humble ourselves and acknowledge where we went off the true Gospel, repent and believe the true Gospel, it will mean we have believed Christ Jesus indeed, and that we know we are just passing through the earth, and that our affections are in the things of God in heaven {Colossians 3:1-3}. This makes us the Salt and the Light in this world.

The Word is not far away, it is near us, in our mouths, and in our hearts, the Word of Faith that we preach {See Romans 10:8-10}. The true Gospel is the Kingdom of God and His everlasting dominion: "The LORD hath prepared His throne in the heavens, and His kingdom ruleth over, all." {Psalm 103:19} Repent and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand. God has blessed Christ's Body and mankind {Ephesians 1:3}. Please ensure that you put this Word next to the Word of the Gospel: the Gospel shall try every Word.

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24/9/20

"Who was delivered for our offenses, and was raised again for our justification." –
ROMANS 4:25

JUSTIFICATION

Justification brings a believer in Christ right to that very spot before Adam ate that fruit. "Therefore, being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ: By whom we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand and rejoice in the hope of the glory of God." {Romans 5:1-2} The believer in Christ has the prerogative and the injunction from God not to believe anything else. There is no issue whatsoever in this life that did not come from removing ourselves from the true Gospel.

"Therefore, if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away, behold, all things are become new." {2 Corinthians 5:17} This was the faith of our elders, the First Church in Jerusalem that affected this world and impacted many lives thereafter. "For if when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by His life." {Romans 5:10} Not the reply of Calvin to Erasmus, or the objections of Calvin to Luther, but by being justified by this Faith. We have access by faith to God the Father, not through anyone or any church fellowship, but through Christ Jesus, one on one. Justification: Just as if we never sinned.

When Jeanne Guyon was incarcerated, she was ordered by Louise XIV to the city of Meaux to appear before Arch-Bishop Bossuet to be grilled over her audacious writings about sanctification and her claims of a personal relationship with God, considered heresy. She joyfully went on to write three volumes of some 400 pages each, entitled "Justifications": her persecutors didn't even bother to see what she wrote, justification was considered heresy by the Church of Rome. And we should all be aware; the greatest travesty on earth is the subversion of the true Gospel as can be found in the epistles of the Apostles of Christ.

There is nothing as perfect as the Gospel ever given to man because it is God's message and Will. Justification takes the believer back to the Garden of God's love: we have peace with God, where we engage in no transactions: Love and Grace buys and sells nothing. Justification is the gift of Life from the Father of creation: this is the message of the Gospel. The Gospel is the gift of holiness in a saint of God, to think, and act like Christ. Faith believes in the Gospel and believes in Christ Jesus. The power of the Gospel is in its purity, and it is for every soul who will believe.

Blessing

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27/9/20

"For with the heart man believe unto righteousness, and with the mouth, confession is made unto salvation." – ROMANS 10:10

THE KINGDOM OF GOD: IN THE HEART AND IN THE MOUTH

The Word of God that is Christ in one, and unbroken and relentless, able to perform what He has said. To believe that Jesus Christ is indeed the Son of God is a miracle that only the truly discerning will consider a miracle. Those who engage people daily in evangelism will understand why this is a great miracle. The promises of God, His Kingdom, His Will, His Righteousness, and Judgment, God's glory, are all one and the same. And Jesus gave us a clue: He said, "For I came down from heaven, not to do mine own will, but the will of Him that sent Me." {John 6:38} What Christ Jesus came to do on earth was to bring heaven down on earth: He came with Eternal Life that has existed before time.

This shows us that our calling to follow Him is to do the same. Essentially, and existentially, the Kingdom of God and His righteousness or God's Will is from heaven: our supplications and prayers and intercessions, are agreeing with that which has existed before time. What we believe in our hearts and confess unto salvation is from heaven: this is the Gospel. So it is a miracle to truly confess with our mouths the Lord Jesus, and to believe in our hearts that God has raised Him from the dead: billions of souls do not believe this. But God is showing us also that for the Kingdom of God to manifest in our lives on earth, is not different from

believing in our hearts and confessing with our mouths. What becomes very crucial, therefore, is what we believe.

The Gentiles and believers in Christ were not the people who received the Promise: we were never either under the Law neither were we given the Promise. However, betrothal or engagement is completely different from marriage or fulfillment. The Gospel is the fulfillment, but many prefer to be married whilst living under the laws of betrothal: and therein is the truncated sanctification. Only the Truth sanctifies.

Prophet Moses recorded God's reaction to His creation including the man: "And God saw everything that He made, and behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day." {Genesis 1:31} What God saw was the beginning of His Kingdom on earth and His Will established as it is in heaven. What Christ Jesus did was the recovery and the redemption of what was lost through the fall: the message being the Gospel. If we do not oppose God, we will see what the Gospel says on earth.

This is a counsel to some of us: be careful with what you believe. Some think some talk the talk but not walk the walk: most, if not all the people I work with do not do anything on social media: these are people who feed the homeless almost on a daily basis who do not post pictures or show up on social media. Except for probably one, I am the only one here: do not be deceived. Whenever we view people on social media and believe we know them, these are not the thoughts or words that are either sanctified or the Mind of Christ.

The greatest issue facing Christ's Body today is the lack of clear understanding or how to address psychic prophets who are probably the greatest threat to the human race: they have partnered with the Kingdom of darkness against God and mankind. We are only able to deal with this by bringing all things into the obedience of Christ {See 2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. This, we have repeated for more than seven years on this social media: there were no psychic prophets in the First Church in Jerusalem. As long as people believe we can alter the Gospel that was sealed, ratified, and enacted with the blood of Christ Jesus, it is like looking for victory against the sun. But the Kingdom of God and the Will of God is unassailable. God is waiting for us. Christ is the Fruit of the true Gospel.

In the blood of Jesus Christ is the Kingdom of God, His Will or righteousness, and all that is Christ: For He is Righteousness and Judgment {See Deuteronomy 32:4, John 1:1-5}. There is nothing about the Kingdom of God and His Will that has not been

settled before the world began. God is not struggling with anything, He is waiting for His people to believe the Gospel, and to confess what has been settled in eternity with our mouths, and just like salvation, God Himself will bring it to pass.

After our outreach somewhere last week, men and women started pouring out their hearts about what they are going through individually: mostly about our marital conditions. This may resonate with someone reading this: according to Midrash, Jacob met Rachel when Rachel was fourteen years and Jacob seventy-seven. Jacob married at the age of eighty-four (after being celibate all his life), and Rachel twenty-one. Rachel died before Jacob. Not to talk of father Abraham and Sarah. Nothing is impossible with God: our role is to inquire and to discern that which is written in the scroll of our lives, which has been settled before the world began. Satan, of course, will fight this. But we have the victory that has been settled in heaven.

There is hope for someone: but believe the true Gospel of Christ Jesus and His Kingdom, believe in Christ Jesus, and expect what you have believed to be fulfilled, just like salvation. But make sure it is the full true Gospel. That is what the Holy Spirit works with. What is about to happen on earth will baffle not a few.

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"Now after John was put in prison, Jesus came to Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God, saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe the gospel.'" – MARK 1:14-15

THE LIGHT THAT SHINES IN THE DARKNESS

John's gospel says, "And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it." {John 1:5} The prophet Zephaniah prophesied; "The LORD your God in your midst, the Mighty One, will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness, He will quiet you with love, He will rejoice over you with singing." {Zephaniah 3:17} The promises of God and God's Kingdom can be likened to the sun: when it rises, darkness steps backward and disappears; so is the Gospel, and so is Christ Jesus.

This is what Satan and his psychic prophets love: our arguments, especially the ones we use scriptures to justify. This is a warning to everyone who will listen. Some of us discovered the existence of some entities like psychic prophets by the design of God and the sheer mercy of God, and through great experiences that will not be expedient to share. And what they do is simple: the creatures working with them know every single open and dirty secret of everyone, and they ensure that people do not know the secrets they use against Christ's Body. Chief of this, however, is the perversion and the corruption of the true Gospel.

The material gains that we point to as the proof that God is with us are one of the greatest weapons and evidence they use, that most of us have not known the true Gospel at all. Satan will not fight it because it works just fine for him: what he dreads, and all that he works to prevent is sanctification, through the obedience of Christ {See 2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. The scriptures we use and the arguments we present, that run contrary to the true Gospel is enough for the devil: we can end the merry-go-round this mountain. God is no respecter of persons, neither is Satan. The scriptures and arguments that we present against ourselves, and the words we use to silence those calling for repentance, that is, "Accusing the brethren:" these are Satan's weapons. The true Gospel is the Righteous Judge, and it is incapable of accusing the brethren. Only the devil knows this. Spiritual and ministerial gifts have deceived most of us; Christ Jesus said it {See Matthew 7:21-23}.

Again, we love to use the word "Stewardship": he loves that too. The very moment when we believe that anything about God can be done for monetary rewards or payments, we are short-circuiting faith. All these are to rob us of the true treasures God has in store for His people. What Christ Jesus did not do, what His Apostles did not do, we are not supposed to go there at all. Satan and his prophets are not powerful; they are not able to stand before the true Gospel of Christ Jesus, this is a fact and it is the Truth. Stewardship is obedience to the true Gospel, the voice of God.

The paradigm of God's Kingdom is unique: Righteousness and Judgment which is the Gospel. Christ Jesus is the Pattern. The people of the world that we depend upon today for almost everything are supposed to be working for us through Christ; not the way it is today. The influence of the world is great because we depend on what they offer: if we have followed what Christ said it would have been the other way round.

The Kingdom of God is like no other Kingdom, this was why Jesus said we should seek it first: "But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these other things shall be added to you." {Matthew 6:33} The Kingdom of God and His Righteousness and Christ Jesus and the Holy Spirit, and the true Gospel, is Righteousness and Judgment: the Light that shines in the darkness that darkness cannot comprehend. "For we are members of His body, of His flesh and of His bones. For this reason, a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church." {Ephesians 5:30-32} Two separate entities, individually, and collectively, become one entity. This is why God created the man in His own Image and Likeness, and it cannot be altered.

Christ Jesus and God the Father have nothing more to add: the true Gospel will cost us "self" and "pride". But it will restore God's own order of Genesis 1:28 and Isaiah 9:6-7. "For the LORD will comfort Zion, He will comfort all her waste places; He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the LORD: Joy and gladness will be found in it, thanksgiving and the voice of melody. 'Listen to Me, My people, and give ear to Me, O My nation: For the law will proceed from Me, and I will make My justice to rest as a light of the peoples.'" {Isaiah 51:3-4} Christ Jesus is God's Justice, a Light to all people. He is the Head, and we are His Body. What is in the Head is meant for the Body.

Not a president, not a judge, not a legislature or legislation: the Gospel is that compelling argument that is no argument. No man argues with the Sun or the Son. All that the Gospel requires from us is to discern it and to believe it and to receive it, just like when the sun rises in the east. Repent, and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand. Those who believe this have entered into God's rest {Hebrews 4:3}: and upon this foundation that was established in Jerusalem by the First Church, rests the Kingdom of God on earth as well as Christ's Body. "There remains, therefore, a rest for the people of God." {Hebrews 4:9}

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"I will praise You, O LORD, with my whole heart; I will tell of Your marvelous works. I will be glad and rejoice in You: I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High." –
PSALM 9:1-2

GOD'S PERFECT MARVELOUS WORKS

Christ Jesus the Way has established the paths of righteousness, the Word calls it the "Highway of holiness": "And a highway shall be there, a road, and it shall be called the highway of holiness. The unclean shall not pass over but it shall be for others. Whoever walks the road, although a fool, shall not go astray." {Isaiah 35:8} This road leads to the Garden, into that place of rest reserved for the truly converted in the heart. "Then Jesus called a little child to Him, set him in the midst of them, and said, "Assuredly, I say to you, unless you be converted and become as little children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven. 'Therefore, whoever humbles himself as this little child is greater in the kingdom of heaven.'" {Matthew 18:2-4}

God's perfect marvelous works can be seen everywhere, especially when we stand before a full-sized mirror. God said through the prophet Isaiah, "The LORD is exalted, for He dwells on high; He has filled Zion with justice and righteousness. Wisdom and knowledge will be the stability of your times; and the strength of salvation; the fear of the LORD is His treasure." {Isaiah 33:5-6} This Treasure makes plain God's perfect marvelous works: God hides nothing from the meek.

Paul spoke about God's wrath against unrighteousness to convey a message about God's perfect marvelous works. He said to the Romans, "For all the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who suppress the truth in unrighteousness: because that which may be known of God is manifest in them, for God has shown it to them. For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even His eternal power and Godhead, so that they are without excuse; because although they knew God, they did not glorify God, nor were thankful, but became futile in their thoughts, and their foolish hearts were darkened." {Romans 1:18-21} And for this, Christ invites us all to be converted and become as little children, to come away to His Garden, through the simplicity that is in Christ {2 Corinthians 11:3}.

God's perfect marvelous works, and the invisible Kingdom of God and Christ's Body can be likened to the anatomy or the physiological configuration of a man: standing before a full-sized mirror, we can see perfection: this is also an apt portrait of the Gospel or Righteousness and Judgment. There is no contention or argument or competition between the right eye and the left eye. This is what true maturity that came from becoming as little children look like. God's call to mankind is not more than this: we can see it in what He said to Adam.

Recall that God has little or nothing to say about the devil. God said nothing to Adam and Eve to warn them about His adversary: the same as Christ Jesus. The Holy Spirit will not spend His time explaining anything about the devil. We need to all wake-up. Every part of the human body function without antagonizing one another: this is how perfect God's marvelous works are, chief of which is the Gospel that made it plain and clear. The road, the highway is clear, all the way to the Garden. The Gospel brings the earth back on course with the fullness of God made available from the Head to the Body {Ephesians 3:14-19}.

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PSALM 15

A PSALM OF DAVID.

1. LORD, WHO shall abide in thy tabernacle? Who shall dwell in thy holy hill?
2. He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.
3. He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbor, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbor.
4. In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not.
5. He that putteth not out his money for usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall not be moved.

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2/10/20

"Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be likeminded one toward another according to Christ Jesus: That ye may with one mind and one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ." – ROMANS 15:5-6

THE WILL OF GOD IS REST

When we consider the Cross of Christ Jesus, we see the workings of God's Will. The Will of God is strong meat for the discerning heart: God consoles us only according

to His Will, revealing Himself as the God of Patience: this is one of His names. And one of the greatest treasures of God is discerning His Will; the source of our rest.

The Gospel is good news also because we begin to see the source of one mind and one mouth, by which we glorify God. God's Will is, therefore, clearly seen as God's glory. Apostle Paul also said to the Romans, "For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of scriptures might have hope." {Romans 15:4} In other words, the Gospel of Christ Jesus and of His Kingdom is our source of godly hope and comfort, and patience. That God had ordained before the world began, that the Spirit of God and the spirit of a man be united as one, for the glory of God {1 Corinthians 6:17}, and that we are to publish this good news to the whole world: with one mind and with one mouth.

"Let us labor, therefore, to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief." {Hebrews 4:11} To labor to enter this rest is to labor to believe this Gospel. The true Gospel is the end of all unbelief. This consolation is Supreme: the Gospel is rest, the Will of God.

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5/10/20

"Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth." – JOHN 17:17

THE INFINITY OF TRUTH

God's call to all mankind is a call to friendship: the prophet Moses said to his people, "The secret things belong unto the LORD our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law." {Deuteronomy 29:29} And the wise man discerned; "It is the glory of God to conceal a thing: but the honor of kings is to search out a matter." {Proverbs 25:2} Jesus' take on this is this: And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." {John 8:32} However, not only is salvation to the meek but also, only the meek and the lowly will actually know the truth {Psalm 149:4, Isaiah 61:1, Matthew 11:28-30}. Truth is infinite.

Prophet Moses soon became a true lover and seeker of God, and he wanted to see God's glory; God was gracious to allow him to see His back parts {See Exodus 33:13-23}. Christ Jesus demonstrated the sublimity of His Word: Truth sanctifies because Truth is God, and to know the Truth is to scratch the surface of humility. This humility causes having any form of opinion about the Truth to cease. What we know, we know because it was revealed. And what we know about the Truth is what makes us discern that Truth is to be discerned, received, and believed. We do not interpret the Truth, the Truth interprets all things. Truth is the end of confusion.

The more one is acquainted with Truth, the more one appears strange to many and becomes an endanger specie: Truth neither fits in, into our world nor argues with it. The character of Truth is found in Christ Jesus. Infinity is that which transcends the universe. Nonetheless, it is simply impossible to truly know the Truth and contend or argue with Him. God's Word and His commandment to all men is to repent and believe the Truth. God once said He will shake all things and the desire of the nations shall come {Haggai 2:6-7}.

But will we know or believe it when we see it? "The silver is mine, and the gold is mine, saith the LORD of hosts. The glory of the latter house shall be more than the former, saith the LORD of hosts: and in this place will I give peace, saith the LORD of hosts." {Haggai 2:8-9} God's promise is Himself, our peace, through the Prince of Peace {Isaiah 9:6-7, John 14:27}. The only access to God and all He ever said or promised is Truth. Those who seek will find {See Matthew 7:7-8}. But Truth is infinite, a continuum into eternity. He does not digress because He is Christ and He is God the Lord. Knowing the Truth makes us exceedingly grateful: He unites us, spirit, and soul with Christ. This was Christ's prayer that we are sanctified.

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8/10/20

"And thou, O tower of the flock, the stronghold of the daughter of Zion, unto thee shall it come, even the first dominion, the kingdom shall come to the daughter of Jerusalem." – MICAH 4:8

THE LORDSHIP OF CHRIST JESUS: A RESTORED DOMINION

Christ's dominion and the dominion that God gave to men has been restored through Christ's finished work. What God and Christ await is the compliance or acquiescence of His blood-bought children. The government upon Christ's shoulder and the peace that accompanies it is the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, known as God's Will: Christ also calls it His yoke that is easy and His burden that is light {Matthew 11:28-30}. The anointing of Christ that accomplishes all things can be likened to the rain or the snow when they fall or the sun when it rises in the east: their appearance on earth is easy and light. To believe this is rest {Hebrews 4:3}.

Adam's dominion, the first, was never in doubt nor contested until the fall. King David's dominion never shook nor was it deniable: however, King David's secret is in the open; "And David reigned over all Israel: and David executed judgment and justice unto all his people." {2 Samuel 8:15} God did not hide His Kingdom and dominion from anyone: "Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon His kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and justice from henceforth even forever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts shall perform this." {Isaiah 9:7} The throne and kingdom of David was and is the same Judgment and Justice which Christ came to order and to establish: "Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face." {Psalm 89:14} This is Christ's Lordship and the restored dominion.

God showed us His secret things in His choice of Cyrus, God's first anointed. "THUS SAITH the LORD to His anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have holden, to subdue nations before him, and I will loose the loins of kings, to open before him the two-leaved gates: and the gates shall not be shut: I will go before thee, and make the crooked places straight: I will break in pieces the gates of brass, and cut asunder the bars of iron: And I will give thee the treasures of darkness, and the hidden riches of secret places, that thou mayest know that I, the LORD, which called thee by thy name, am the God of Israel." {Isaiah 45:1-3}

Cyrus was anointed, Christ is "The Anointing": He is the Head, we are the Body. The anointing subdues nations because it is the same Righteousness and Judgment of heaven: this is the restored dominion and the Kingdom of God, the Way, the highway of holiness, the paths of righteousness, and it leads only to the Garden; this is the Gospel. God's call to all men is to believe this and receive it as our inheritance, what Christ Jesus accomplished with His blood. The refusal to accept this destroyed

Jerusalem; gave birth to the religion next door, spilled all the blood through all the wars that ensued after, and is shaking the earth as we speak. This is avoidable.

“But unto you, that fear My name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in His wings: and ye shall go forth, and grow up as calves of the stall.” {Malachi 4:2} Christ’s first call was to repent and believe the Gospel and in Him {Mark 1:15, John 3:16, 6:29}: thereafter, He declared the Gospel. Jesus said to Pilate, “Thou sayest that I am King. To this end was I born, for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth. Every one that is of the truth heareth My voice.” {John 18:37}

Everyone who has received the Spirit of Truth hears His voice: in other words, we do not hear what we want to hear, we hear what the Truth says. Truth has only one source, Christ. Therein is the Lordship of Christ Jesus and the restored dominion, and they are heaven on earth. It is not in God’s hands anymore, He is waiting for His people.

Christ and His glory are unmistakable: the harmony and symphony of the Gospel and heaven are not poetic, but reality, just like when the sun rises. The fullness of God that is in the Head is for the Body. The Cross is the access. Faith that is from God is Truth. The Holy Spirit of Christ is the Righteousness and Judgment of God in men, the first dominion, and the Kingdom of God that is restored on earth in men. Our role right now is to stand down, and get out of the way: this is the honor of kings.

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9/10/20

“And they shall build the old wastes, they shall raise up the former desolations, and they shall repair the waste cities, the desolations of many generations.” – ISAIAH 61:4

TREES OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

People who observed saints like old Simeon and Anna the prophetess may respect them but may wonder, what are they on about? What can they do in the face of the oppression of Rome? "For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground: He hath no form nor comeliness; and when we shall see Him, there is no beauty that we should desire Him." {Isaiah 53:2} Therein is the secret of the trees of righteousness. When old Simeon or Anna go down on their knee, mighty angels go to war. A frail-looking tender insignificant in appearance young or old lady or man has more beauty than any paragon of beauty. When they open their mouths, filled with what is in their hearts, Righteousness and Judgment comes forth: the Fruit is Righteousness and Judgment.

"The fruit of righteousness is a tree of life: and he that winneth souls is wise." {Proverbs 11:30} Most times God hides the fruits of men from them lest they fall into pride. A prophetic lady was shown a huge tree with different beautiful fruits in a nation, named the "Tree of Life": the Seed that brought forth the Tree with its fruits was the Seed of Life. "But the LORD shall endure forever: He hath prepared His throne for judgment. And He shall judge the world in righteousness, He shall minister judgment to the people in uprightness." {Psalm 9:7-9} If Righteousness and Judgment begin to move on the earth in answer to the prayers of saints {Matthew 6:10}, where will it find God's people? God is not slack: He is waiting for His people. Some will even compare themselves with others: have peace! Everyone thought it was over when Jesus said "It is finished".

But with Righteousness and Judgment, God roots out, and pull down: He destroys and throws down, and He builds, and plants {See Jeremiah 1:10, Galatians 2:18}. Then He rebuilds the old wastes, and raises up the former desolations (the foundation and building of the First Church in Jerusalem): He repairs the waste cities and the desolations of many generations {Isaiah 61:4}. His agents are the Trees of Righteousness, the planting of the Lord {Isaiah 61:3}. He will not require permission from any soul to do what He wants to do or what He said He will do: all He needed was Christ Jesus, one Man. So do not fret about your nation or life: we have no confidence in any way in ourselves.

Our assurances are from God and His Christ. As long as we do not seek glory or applause from men, we are in safe hands. "Truth shall spring out of the earth, and righteousness shall look down from heaven." {Psalm 86:11} It has absolutely nothing to do with any man. Righteousness and Judgment have Righteousness and Judgment as to its Fruit. "Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap in mercy: break up your fallow ground: for it is time to seek the LORD, till He come and rain righteousness upon you." {Hosea 10:12} Out of the abundance of the heart, the

mouth shall speak {Matthew 12:34}. The Fruit of the Gospel is the Gospel: this is Christ. This is who to expect, our Reward.

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"For the word of the LORD is right, and all His works are done in truth. He loveth righteousness and judgment: the earth is full of the goodness of the LORD." – PSALM 33:4-5

THE WORD OF GOD: THE GLORY OF GOD

The Spirit of Christ, the Spirit of prophecy continued; "By the word of the LORD were the heavens made, and all the hosts of them by the breath of His mouth." {Psalm 33:6} God's intentions were soon revealed, that His works and plans were glorious from the very beginning: "And God saw everything that He made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day." {Genesis 1:31} God's redemption plan was equally perfect: it was by the Word of God.

Righteousness and Judgment which God loves was to be the source of our lives, our thoughts, our words, and our actions: this is the Glory of God. By it, we live, and move, and have our being. Just like anyone of us learns a language right from the beginning of consciousness, Righteousness and Judgment would have been our very breath, just as it is in heaven. "For all flesh is as grass and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth and the flower thereof falleth away. But the word of the Lord endureth forever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you." {1 Peter 1:24-25} The Gospel has equal power with the Spirit of Christ: God ensured that Righteousness and Judgment are not in the hands of men or under the control of men: this was why we are saved and redemption was possible. The Word of God and the glory of God are one.

And by the same Spirit of Christ, we love Righteousness and Judgment, just like God. And when we have found this, we will see that it answers all things: this is to not lean on our own understanding, but rather, the understanding of God: the

Gospel is God's own understanding granted to men for our redemption and for our good. Believe it or not, not even one of our fingers can move without the knowledge of our nervous system in our brain from our head.

The prophet Moses said of God, "He is the Rock, His work is perfect: for all His ways are judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is He."

{Deuteronomy 32:4} This is also an apt description of the Gospel, Who the Godhead is, and in the Spirit, the Water, and the blood {1 John 5:7-8}: it was God's plan that He saw that was very good in all He had made. To be Christ is to be one with Righteousness and Judgment, which is the Gospel, the glory of God. Only He has answers to every question: God's invitation to all men is to come into agreement with eternal life, His plan before the world began: the Gospel, the Word of God, is that plan and He is Christ the glory of God. This Truth is that foundation for the Reformation.

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"And having made peace through the blood of His cross, by Him to reconcile all things unto Himself; by Him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven." – COLOSSIANS 1:20

RECONCILIATION AND ALIGNMENT BY THE BLOOD

When we consider that the Gospel is the most perfect gift of God to mankind, we will appraise the facts that make it perfect: because it is the Gift of God of Himself to men. There is no portion of the Gospel that has either human or earthly origin. The blood of Christ Jesus is a two-edged sword: just as the blood of bulls and goats upon the lentils of the people of God spoke mercy and peace and deliverance from the angel of death, but judgment upon Egypt; it brings mercy, reconciliation, propitiation, peace, justification, redemption, and restoration and victory to God and mankind, but eternal judgment and defeat to Satan and the kingdom of darkness.

God's vision for the people of God and mankind can be seen as the establishment of His throne of Righteousness and Judgment which is Christ, in the hearts and souls of

men. Reconciliation is the settlement of accounts, the propitiation, the rectification, and appeasement between God and man and the earth with heaven. Essentially, it is the alignment of the earth with heaven to continue God's own plan for creating the earth and all that is in it including men. "And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony: and they loved not their lives unto the death." {Revelation 12:11} The blood of Christ Jesus brings us all back to the very spot before Adam ate that fruit: this is the Gospel. People must be clear about what Christ Jesus did. Only Disciples of Christ can make Disciples of Christ.

Whenever someone mentions our name, we instinctively look in the direction of the sound of the call: it is the same as to believe the Gospel and in Christ Jesus, which is the foundation of all that God will have to do with any soul. Our supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgiving; our redemption and knowledge of Who God is, as the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, were all possible through the blood of Christ Jesus: the Gospel rests on the blood. All that God is was in the blood. What God is waiting for is to bring His people to see the Gospel of our redemption and reconciliation the way God sees it: He has nothing more to add to what Christ has accomplished. But the way we present the Gospel is crucial: we are to raise our children to be independent of us so that they can start their own families; this was God's original plan.

"And they continuing steadfastly in the apostle's doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." {Acts 2:42} The result of this was that God kept on adding to them daily, such that should be saved {Acts 2:47}. Brethren, the harvest is overripe, but the doors of God's people are still shut: plowmen have done their part. Breaking up our fallow ground, embracing the new wineskins, acknowledging that earthly agendas and what we added to the Gospel or removed from it, is that which tilted the earth out, of course, will indicate our readiness for God. This is to bring all things into the obedience of Christ, by His Gospel {2 Corinthians 10:3-6}.

The blood of Christ has done it all: it makes all Christ's enemies His footstool {See Psalm 110:1-2, Hebrews 10:12-14}, not His children. The blood of Christ Jesus is the alignment of the earth with heaven. The effectiveness of the Gospel is in its utmost purity. To believe the Gospel is to truly have respect and godly fear of God {Isaiah 66:1-2}.

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“Then said Jesus to them again, ‘Peace be unto you: as My Father hath sent Me, even so, send I you.” – JOHN 20:21

WHAT THE GOSPEL SAYS, CHRIST SAID

The people who are alive in this generation, are arguably the most privileged generation that ever walked on this earth. And the truly wise and intelligent people are the people who genuinely respect and fear the only true Living God through Christ Jesus. Those who were convinced beyond any iota of doubt joyfully and willingly laid down their lives for the Truth of Christ Jesus and for His Gospel. They know that the only type of Christianity that works is the Christ-type. The account of the First Church in Jerusalem is the Book of the Acts of the Apostles.

Before and during the time of the Ottoman Empire, the religion next door did not see any difference between what they believed and practiced with what the followers of Christ indeed believed and practiced. They both killed, took, and gave bribes, behaved exactly like the modern-day mafia, and so on. Because when Christ came to warn the Seven Churches in Asia Minor, He was thoroughly ignored. He said to His Apostles and Disciples, “Verily, verily, I say unto you, ‘He that believeth on Me, the works that I do shall he do also, and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto My Father.” {John 14:12} Knowledge has so darkened our minds and hearts, that just like the people who did not receive Christ, many still argue and question what Christ said, or what He meant by what He said.

But we need to return to the Garden to see what befell Adam and the human race to understand the true Gospel. God’s people neither received nor believed or remembered that God made the man in God’s own Image and Likeness: the Gospel appeared like fairy tales to God’s people and the generations after, and perhaps to us in this generation. Without the Faith that is precious but was absent in the time of Christ, which resulted in His Gospel being rejected with deadly consequences, true Christianity the Christ-Way does not work.

We are looking for answers and solutions to the ills of nations in the wrong places and blaming the wrong people. The only Gospel that works is the one written in the Bible. Any portion we alter, from what the Apostles of Christ wrote down in their

epistles is the source of every ill in any nation. Judge it yourselves. Return on to Christ and He will return unto you.

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“And the Word was made flesh, and He dwelt among us, (and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.” – JOHN 1:14

THE GOSPEL: FULL OF GRACE, FULL OF TRUTH; OUR INHERITANCE IN CHRIST

The Word of God declares that how good and pleasant it is when God’s people dwell together in unity {Psalm 133}; it is like precious ointment, the most powerful blessing of God on earth, when and if God’s people have believed in Christ Jesus indeed and in truth; and it would have been full of grace and full of truth in every nation, for so was God’s Will for mankind. The point is, we have no reason not to have what Christ has already purchased with His blood. And we all need to tell the truth about this Gospel that is full of grace and full of truth, exactly as it is.

“In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, ‘If any man thirst, let him come unto Me, and drink. He that believeth in Me, as the scripture has said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water. (But this spake He of the Spirit, which they that believe on Him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)’ {John 7:37-39} However, it was this living water that killed Ananias and Sapphira: there is no stronghold or entities that can survive this living water.

Full of grace and full of truth is this living water: if this was flowing from believers in Christ indeed and in truth, the earth would have been joyfully and graciously drowned by now. Every day when the sun rises, everyone wakes up and goes about their businesses; when the sun sets, everyone goes to bed: full of grace and truth is more powerful than the sun. God said, “Come now and let us reason together, saith the LORD: though thy sins be as scarlet, they shall be white as snow; though they be red as crimson, they shall be as wool. If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat

the good of the land: But if ye refuse and rebel, ye shall be devoured with the sword: for the mouth of the LORD hath spoken it." {Isaiah 1:18-20} It was all about accepting God's gracious gift of Himself: anything that affects the Body of Christ affects Christ Jesus. But He is interceding for His saints and all those who are ordained to be saved.

"Behold My Servant shall deal prudently, He shall be exalted and extolled, and be very high. As many were astonished at thee: His visage was so marred more than any man, and His form more than the sons of men: So shall He sprinkle many nations; the kings shall shut their mouths at Him: for that which had not been told them shall they see, and that which they have not heard shall they consider." {Isaiah 52:13-15} And we should all consider this; that full of grace and full of truth was in His blood which God's Son and Servant, Christ Jesus, sprinkled upon the nations. There should not even be any poor nation on earth, not to talk of any abused person or children of God. No. It is not in God's hands: pride and selfishness are the culprits. Righteousness and Judgment were in the blood of Christ Jesus: this is what nations are crying for.

Full of grace and full of truth do not need anyone's help, just like the sun. We all need to repent. If we give everyone the Truth, no one will need our help. Fellowship with God and with our fellow believers will be very oily, full of grace, and full of truth. Imagine how homes and nations and the earth will look like. God's work is perfect and full of His glory.

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"For the LORD shall comfort Zion: He will comfort all her waste places, and He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the LORD: Joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody." – ISAIAH 51:3

THE GOSPEL BRINGS COMFORT

Throughout the prophets, God reminds His people about Eden: men were never created for wrath, or diseases, or poverty, or enslavements and any of such things, even though, we have been equipped to dominate them. And whenever the Word uses the words "I will" or "shall", God is refreshing our hearts and minds about His Gospel. He said, "COMFORT YE, comfort ye My people, saith your God. Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned: for she hath received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins." {Isaiah 40:1-2} Just for clarity, this was about the nation of Israel: we have not received a fraction for our sins. Nevertheless, Jesus bore them all for us.

Righteousness and Judgment, which is the true Gospel, turns the wilderness into Eden, desert into the garden of the Lord. God's weapon was the blood of Christ Jesus: He who is the Rock, whose work is perfect, and all His ways are judgment; a God of truth, and without iniquity, who is just and right, who is in the Spirit, and in the Water, and in His blood {See Deuteronomy 32:4, 1 John 5:8}. This was why He said, "But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream." {Amos 5:24} Wildernesses and deserts are the products or fruits of abdicating the Gospel, just as it happened with the first man, Adam. The Gospel comforts and turns the wilderness into Eden because the Gospel is God. Heralds of this Gospel should present it the way it is.

The Gospel is fresh tea every morning: it is the source of green pastures and still waters, and the restoration of souls {See Psalm 23:1-3}. Adding to it or subtracting from it created revolutions like the French and Russian Revolutions, protests, wars, plagues and pandemics, and poverty, whilst enriching few smart people. Righteousness and Judgment are incapable of evil: He is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works {See Psalm 145:17}.

The Gospel not only brings comfort but also, it is pure holiness, which is the gift of God of Himself. The power of self-denial is inherent in it which was evident in the First Church in Jerusalem. It is the pure power of God in the hearts and souls of men to be as Christ is. Disciples of Christ present the Gospel exactly as it was received: therein is its power to comfort. This is Christ, and He turns the wilderness into Eden, deserts into the garden of the Lord. God loves to visit His people in gardens, just as He intended before creating the man. Truth is who and what it is because it depends or relies on no one. Our comfort is from God and Him alone.

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“Thou, therefore, endure hardness, as a good soldier of Christ. No man that warreth entangleth himself with the affairs of this life; that he may please Him Who hath chosen him to be a soldier.” – 2 TIMOTHY 2:3-4

WATCHFULNESS AND STEADFASTNESS

Peter, Christ's Apostle said in his epistle, "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: Whom, resist steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same affliction are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world." {1 Peter 8-9} Peter was qualified to warn us all to be sober, and to be vigilant; the enemy struck him when he least expected. He may be recalling also how the enemy struck Moses at the peak of his meritorious career; Elijah the prophet would never forget the terror that came on him, that a woman could not fear God after hearing that fire fell from heaven: so, be sober.

God and Christ have spoken once, twice should we hear: repent, and believe the Gospel. This warning came, not to create fear, but lest we are blindsided not to recall the tread of things and history. Jesus Christ wept over Jerusalem because He could see what will become of her for rejecting His Gospel. Resistance or the rejection of the true Gospel has consequences. And as soldiers of Christ, God wants us in the type of rest that will allow us to be sober enough to hear Him and observe accurately to discern what He is saying. We, therefore, do not drink tea at the war front or present any fluffy cross-less Christianity when war is at the door. The Lord corrected me about this.

During the French and Russian Revolutions, and since the rise of the religion next door and every other revolution like the American revolution, followers of Christ got some of the blame: nevertheless, people could not tell the true meaning of the source of the blame, but cried for justice. The nature that humans received from God rejects any form of injustice. Religion was practically banned in France and Russian, because of what was seen as the excesses of and the abuses by God's people, but Rome started it which came from reverting to religion which Christ nailed to His Cross.

This goes to show us something crucial: Righteousness and Judgment which is the Gospel cannot be replaced with anything else. A diesel engine car cannot run on gasoline. Humans were created by and for Righteousness and Judgment which is from heaven; because it is Christ. The Body of Christ is the agent of it. Our moral backbone depends on this. Our prayers depend on it. What Christ restored was what Adam lost in the Garden. The Gospel was given as the Righteous Judge. He accuses no one nor condemns anyone, but it is the Will of God. The world may reject the Truth, but will never be able to deny the power and the glory of God.

And this is what we need to appreciate: it is the same Righteousness and Judgment, the Light of the world; that convicts the world of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment: "And when He is come, He will reprove the world of sin and of righteousness, and of judgment: Of sin, because they believe not on me; of righteousness, because I go to My Father, and ye see Me no more; of judgment; because the prince of this world is judged." {John 16:8-11} Reformation starts from the pillar and ground of the Truth. If the people are deceived for any reason, about what God is saying to the nations, but think their problems are the politicians, it will be the greatest catastrophe of this generation.

It was Righteousness and Judgment that the prince of the world came and found in Christ Jesus when he came to Him and found nothing {John 14:30}: our role is to repent and believe the true Gospel. This is a war between Light, which is the Gospel, and darkness. Our victory is on the side of the blood of Christ Jesus by this Gospel. There is no redemption anywhere else.

If we truly want God to intervene, we will start from the Gospel: it has been settled with Christ's blood and rests on His blood. This is the victory that overcomes the world, even our Faith. Our watchfulness and steadfastness are of Faith when it is in the true Gospel. Our robes of righteousness mean we are not and cannot be condemned: this, however, does not mean automatic obedience to the Gospel. We can only obey what we believe. This is works that justify our Faith {See James 3:17-26}.

Always remember, whenever the nations cry out against injustice, God comes to see for Himself whether it is true or not. And also, to see whether it is Righteousness and Judgment that the world is crying against. And this is where it all becomes complicated. Have we believed the true Gospel? The Gospel was what God gave to mankind.

“Until the Spirit be poured upon us from on high, and the wilderness be a fruitful field, and the fruitful field be counted for a forest. Then judgment shall dwell in the wilderness, and righteousness remain in the fruitful field. And the work of righteousness shall be peace, and the effect of righteousness quietness and assurance forever. And My people shall dwell in a peaceable habitation, and in sure dwellings, and in quiet resting place: When it shall hail, coming down on the forest: and the city shall be in a low place. Blessed are ye that sow beside all waters; that send forth thither the feet of the ox and ass.” {Isaiah 32:15-20}

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“For other foundation, can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.” – 1 CORINTHIANS 3:11

RETURNING TO THE GARDEN

Redemption is essentially the recovery of God’s own plan or Will for mankind, from what Adam had and lost when he was in the Garden of Eden. Jesus said, “At that day ye shall know that I am in the Father, and ye are in Me, and I in you.” {John 14:20} And according to His Way, “Jesus answered and said unto him, ‘If a man love Me, he will keep My words: and My Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.’” {John 14:23} Because God had Adam and Eve all to Himself in the Garden: God did not redeem mankind back to the days of father Abraham, or to the days of Melchisedec, or to the days of Noah or Enoch. God in the spirits and souls of men in every family was God’s plan for mankind: this is the Gospel.

“For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men: Teaching us that denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world: Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the Great God and Savior Jesus Christ: Who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto Himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.” {Titus 2:11-14} But we have our own part to play: “I BESEECH you, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living

sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service." {Romans 12:1} And this is the Cross that will not be forced on any man.

To do this, we need to repent and believe the true Gospel. Without being disingenuous, the religion with over 1.2 billion adherents have fruits: Buddhists have fruits: Islamic religion have fruits: JW has fruits: Mormon has fruits: even Lady Gaga has fruits: so before we talk about fruits, we should ask, which type? The Gospel of Christ Jesus and of God's Kingdom is Christ: its Fruit is Christ because its foundation is Christ. For this very reason, Apostle Paul, just like the other Apostles of Christ warned that any other gospel is accursed {See Galatians 1:8-9}. What does this mean? Those practicing the Hindu religion do not believe that they can be accursed, and so too the other religions. Material wealth or gain or the number of people listening to us is not a sign that one is blessed. Christ is the blessing.

To return to the Garden, one must believe unequivocally that Christ and the true Gospel is the only foundation God gave and which God will build upon. This is the Light that shines in darkness and darkness cannot comprehend. This Gospel is not an argument. Repent, and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand. The true Gospel is the way back to the Garden, for it is Christ.

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"Looking unto Jesus the Author and the Finisher of our faith; Who for the joy that set before Him, endured the cross, despising the shame, and was set down at the right hand of the throne of God." – HEBREWS 12:2

LOOKING TO CHRIST JESUS ALONE

The author of the epistle to the Hebrews exhorted: "WHEREFORE SEEING we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us" {Hebrews 12:1}. The noblemen and women whose names are recorded and several others who are not mentioned in this hall of faith were people who looked unto Christ alone.

Many of us are encouraged by their acts of faith: Noah could have given up after twenty or thirty or fifty years, there was no sign at all that what God said will ever happen. He did not count on the response of the people who preached to or the magnitude of the task before him. What followed Jeremiah was not any sign that God sent him, yet he preached for more than forty years before Nebuchadnezzar arrived. What the modern-day believer in Christ will have to endure most is the subtle overt and covert derision of many whom they've thought would have known better.

Paul said to the Corinthians, "Now all these things happened unto them for examples, and are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world have come." {1 Corinthians 10:11} The first time I personally saw the Lord Christ Jesus, it was to show me that I had betrayed Him. I had waited to see things happen, like Jonah, and it didn't, so I had artfully come to the convenient conclusion that I have been greatly deceived. The look on the face of Christ is the only look that I will never forget that keeps me moving: it was the look of great disappointment, He never said a word. Discouragement and depression will come and go: none of us is unique. What one should never entertain is the counsel of anyone who has not been where you've been or seen what you've seen. You know what you heard and saw. God will show it to you in the Bible.

Jesus said, repent and believe the Gospel: not scriptures, not the Bible, but the Gospel. The Gospel, just like Christ Jesus and God the Father, is Perfect: and we will liken it to the sun which is perfect. The sufferings of mankind and the chaos on earth are because we changed what the Gospel said; nothing more. This what happened to Adam. Redemption, salvation, and the restoration and God's glory in all these are dependent on full obedience. For example, no one is saved except they repent. No woman can be half-pregnant. Jesus died in full and rose again in full. This is the time of the fullness: obedience to the Gospel is in obedience to Christ in full {See 2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. This is the message of the Gospel.

Just like none of us contributes anything to the rising and setting of the sun, so is God's call to all men. The Gospel requires no help. If anyone looks at the afflictions or the sufferings of prophets and messengers, one will end up with unbelief. History has well documented what follows the unbelief that men embrace instead of looking to Christ Jesus alone. To look to Christ alone is to obey the Gospel. We are all fallible, the Gospel is not, and Christ is not. This is the victory that overcomes, even our Faith.

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"And God blessed them and said, 'Be fruitful, multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it [using all its vast resources in the service of God and man]: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, the birds of the air, and over every living creature that moves upon the earth.'" – GENESIS 1:28 AMP

RECEIVING AND EMBRACING THE MIND OF CHRIST

As Christ Jesus began to declare what He meant by the Gospel of God's Kingdom in the beatitudes, He said, "Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." {Matthew 5:3} He came to recover what was lost; He repeated the pronouncement of God upon those who will be humble and lowly enough to receive it. These are those who know without a shadow of a doubt that God created them and loves them.

Apostle Paul repeated the eulogy: "May the blessing (praise, laudation, and eulogy) be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ (the Messiah) Who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual (given by the Holy Spirit) blessing in the heavenly realm!" {Ephesians 1:3 AMP} Just as it was in the beginning, this blessing of the Holy Spirit which left Adam and Eve after the fall, was meant for every human being and every home on earth. However, men have been arguing with God ever since: men prefer dominion over one another than God's own plan for man. This exhortation or admonition is to ensure that we do not miss out, in this our generation, blaming politicians and men for what they are yet to understand or to believe. There is no amount of words or prophesying that can cover the Truth.

Can anyone picture God and Christ being anxious about anything at all? We need TEMPERANCE! Talking back at the world or talking faster or louder will only alienate us from the Mind of Christ, and will ensure that we remain in a catfight or a mud fight: we cannot smell like a rose after such a fight. God is doing new things on earth, all we need to do is to calm down and listen to Him. "Be careful for nothing; in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God which passeth all understanding shall

keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." {Philippians 4:6-7} This is the Mind of Christ or the thinking of Christ.

Christ Jesus and His Spirit does not seek influence with people or to influence people: He is the Influence. "For the LORD God is a Sun and Shield: the LORD will give grace and glory: no good thing will He withhold from them that walk uprightly." {Psalm 84:11} The sun seeks no influence with anyone, it simply shines and everyone complies. If we put away all that is not the Gospel, the desire to be in someone's life or to have dominion over other people's lives, our peace and rest will be sweet: because we have believed in, to God's rest {See Hebrews 4:3-11}.

And this is our repose: "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 those things." {Philippians 4:8} And this Gospel is the Mind of Christ: it has dominion over all things.

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"Thy throne, O God, is forever and ever: the scepter of thy kingdom is a right scepter. Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore, God, the God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows." – PSALM 45:6-7

GIVE GOD BACK HIS THRONE

Most people, especially the Romans who had no prior knowledge, could not associate Christ Jesus with the Stone that was cut out of the mountain without hands, which smote the feet of the image that Nebuchadnezzar saw in a dream, and broke in pieces the iron, the brass, the clay, the silver, the gold; the Stone that became a huge mountain, and filled the whole earth {See Daniel 2:31-45}. This Stone is still shaking the heavens, and the earth, the sea, and the dry land, and all nations {Haggai 2:6-7}. May we all be quicker than the Romans, to give God back His throne.

"Clouds and darkness are round about Him: righteousness and judgment are the habitation of His throne." {Psalm 97:2} This was the Stone, and God's throne in the hearts and souls of men that will fill the whole earth. Christ's witnesses are the lively living stones that compose this mountain: the scepter is a right scepter. "Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face." {Psalm 89:14} The force behind this is what men are experiencing on earth in our time: the forces resisting this are the dark kingdoms ruling and reigning in the hearts and souls of men. The true Gospel gives God His throne by dethroning "self" and the devil. The source of self and religion that occupies God's throne is pride: the seed was sown in the garden.

But when we shall turn back to the Lord in repentance, the veil shall be taken away {2 Corinthians 3:12-18}. What grows from the Seed of the Spirit of God from the Gospel are the trees of righteousness bearing the Fruit of Christ: "For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness, and righteousness and truth; proving what is acceptable unto the Lord." {Ephesians 5:9-10} And when Christ occupies His throne in our hearts and souls because we have given Him back His throne, His Light will flood the whole earth. Those who seek the Lord in truth will find Him. Just like the sea of glass before God's throne in heaven, the First Church in Jerusalem was a transparent Church. This generation should know what to do to give God back His throne {See 1 Timothy 1:5}.

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"That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in Me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent Me." – JOHN 17:21

THE FRUIT OF CHRIST: WHAT IS IT?

Jesus said, "A new commandment I give unto you, 'That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are My disciples; if ye have love one to another.'" {John 13:34-25} And in view of this, He said, "At that day ye shall know that I am in My Father, and ye are in Me, and I

in you." {John 14:20} Christ Jesus left us with no doubt about what He was saying, and what the express Will of God is, His purpose for creation: this is the Fruit or the evidence of Christ.

"Jesus answered and said, unto him, 'If any man love Me, he will keep My words: and My Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.'" {John 14:23} He went on declaring God's intentions and His Kingdom paradigm: "If ye keep My commandments, ye shall abide in My love; even as I have kept My Father's commandments, and abide in His love. These things have I spoken unto you, that My joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full. This is My commandment, 'That ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this; that a man lay down His life for his friend.'" {John 15:10-13} We can all see that there is no legalism anywhere here. This is the Fruit of Christ, the work of God's Spirit in believers in Christ.

In His prayer, He went on; "I in them, and thou in Me, that they may be made perfect in one: and that the world may know that thou has sent Me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved Me." {John 17:23} Reiterating these commandments, Apostle Paul said to the Corinthians, "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment." {1 Corinthians 1:10} He repeated himself to the Philippians; "Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind." {Philippians 2:2}

After hearing Christ, if I now go about looking for endorsements and celebrity or something else, will I not be looking for trouble? Or if I teach or preach another gospel, will that not qualify as rebellion and having a different mind that is against Christ? Eternity will show me what the choices I made, created, or what I chose to invent with the name of Christ while the world burned. So we can see that we have no problems whatsoever; the Reformation that will come from the hearts that have met with God, and possess the true counsel of God will reveal that we invented them all.

The Gospel is Christ and He is God: its Fruit is Christ, and Christ Jesus showed us Himself how that will look or appear. Behold, it is not in God's hands. However, "Thy people shall be willing in the day of thy power, in the beauties of holiness from the womb of the morning: thou hast the dew of thy youth." {Psalm 110:3} Our role in this is to repent and believe the Gospel.

Only the true Gospel works. Its Fruit is Christ, and Jesus said the world shall see and know it. This is His glory. If we do this, we will have prepared for what is about to happen on earth. Prophecy is being fulfilled in this hour: it has nothing to do with anyone or who said what. God's words are not the words of men. Love comes from the heart.

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"But 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. But he that is spiritual judgeth all things, yet he himself is judged of no man. For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct Him? But we have the mind of Christ." – 1 CORINTHIANS 2:14-16

THE KINGDOM OF THE MIND OF CHRIST

In God's redemption and recovery plan, after having chosen His people and called them out of Egypt, God said to them through His servant Moses, "Now, therefore, if ye will obey My voice indeed, and keep My covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto Me above all people: for all the earth is mine: And ye shall be unto Me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation. These are the words which thou shalt speak unto the children of Israel." {Exodus 19:5-6} Fresh from crossing the Red Sea and soundly defeating Amalek, God's people enthused in unity, we are with you, O God, and we shall obey!

However, God's plan goes according to His own Way. Paul said to the Corinthians, "Now all these things happened unto them for examples: and are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come." {1 Corinthians 10:11} Even though the Scripture recorded the Reformations of King Hezekiah, God remembers only King David's example: "And David reigned over all Israel: and he executed judgment and justice unto all his people." {2 Samuel 8:15} And just so we should all be clear about God's Kingdom of the Mind of Christ, the prophecy said of Christ Jesus, "Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon His kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and justice from henceforth even forever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts

shall perform this." {Isaiah 9:7} Nevertheless, only the spiritual will ever be truly able to discern this.

Several centuries before the arrival of Alexander, the son of King Phillip of Macedon, Daniel had been shown the reign and conquests of Alexander the Great {See Daniel chapter 7}. Josephus recorded his conquest of Jerusalem and his encounter with Jaddau, the high priest in 332 B.C. who welcomed him and showed him the prophecies concerning his triumph over the Persians. Alexander was a student of prophecy in his own rights: having visited the oracle of Delphi and received the assurance of his invincibility, he set out to conquer with much blood, but to establish a kingdom of minds. He sought to Hellenise the world.

And in 331 B.C. the oracle of Ammon in the Siwah Oasis a few hundred miles from Memphis, the then Egyptian capital, confirmed to him that he was a son of a god whose true father was Zeus. Alexander believed, just as God has foretold through Prophet Daniel. However, God allowed us to see what will happen whenever God's people abdicate their rightful position: a counterfeit will occupy that position. God's Kingdom was the Kingdom of the Mind of Christ: Alexander's was the kingdom of minds. One was natural, requiring the shedding of much blood and idolatries and paganism, the other, of Righteousness and Judgment or heaven on earth. One is of human rights and social justice; the other, of righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit {Romans 14:17}. One has no future, the other is eternal. But these two kingdoms cannot mix: this is the turbulence on earth.

If we believe or know that God's Kingdom is from heaven, then have we began to believe the true Gospel: No man suggests or recommends anything to God about His Kingdom: and this is the beginning of wisdom: The Gospel is the Mind of Christ and the Mind of God's Kingdom on earth. Sanctification is the means to this end: "But we are bound to give thanks to God for you, brethren, beloved of the Lord; because God hath from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of Spirit and belief of the truth: whereunto He called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ." {2 Thessalonians 2:13-14} Note, "from the beginning", and "chosen", and "truth". No portion of these has any human or earthly origin.

Jesus prayed this crucial prayer for all the saints: "Sanctify them through the word: thy word is truth." {John 17:17} Christ Jesus is the Word Who sanctifies: The Gospel is the Word, for it is Truth. Only the Truth sanctifies and makes free {John 8:32}. The Kingdom of God is the Kingdom of Truth by the Mind of Christ. Human beings were created for and by the Truth, because only Truth is fit for mankind.

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"And He is the Head of the body, the church: who is the beginning, the Firstborn from the dead, that in all things He might have the pre-eminence." – COLOSSIANS 1:18

THE ORGANIC HEADSHIP AND LORDSHIP OF CHRIST JESUS

The Prophet Moses recorded the account of the creation of the man directly from God: "And God said, 'Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth. So God created man in His own image, in the image of God created He him; male and female created He them.'" {Genesis 1:26-27} It is safe to be reassured that there has not been anything said and done by God and found in Scripture to suggest that God has changed His plan: He sent His Son Christ Jesus to redeem it. The Book of Genesis is a good place to chart our courses.

Whatsoever, therefore, that does not look or agree with God and Christ Jesus cannot be true. Through the Gospel we are able to see and to understand that all things were created by Christ and for Him, and by Him all things consist or exist, and it pleased the Father that in Him should all His fullness dwell {Colossians 1:16-19}. "For in Him dwelleth the fullness of the Godhead bodily. And we are complete in Him which is the Head of all principalities and power {Colossians 2:9-10}. God exerts this feat according to His own Will and plan, for creating the man in His own Image and Likeness by giving us the same Spirit of God: "For he that is joined unto the Lord is one Spirit." {1 Corinthians 6:17} This shows us that God's Will is that the Body of Christ is to be as the Head of the Body. Simply put, anything else does not exist. A false church is not part of the Church, just as the limb of a horse cannot be part of a man: a decapitated body is not a living body.

The Headship of Christ Jesus over His Body is the foundation of the Church, of redemption and salvation, and God's Kingdom. Christ's commitment to us is to build

His Church, and it is His Church the gates of hell shall not be able to prevail against: "And I say also unto thee, 'That thou art Peter, and upon this rock, I will build My church: and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.'" {Matthew 16:18} Upon the Rock of the revelation that Jesus is Christ, will He build His Church: unbelief disconnects us from the Truth, but Faith connects us firmly with Christ Jesus the Head and to His Lordship: The fullness of the Head is meant for the Body. Cessationism is a farce, the fruit of unbelief. We cannot have faith in and for what we do not believe. When we do not believe the Truth, we give the counterfeit the right to thrive and to occupy the position we vacated.

But the Gospel gave us the key: "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to equal with God: But made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a Servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion of a Man, He humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath exalted Him, and given Him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth: And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." {Philippians 2:5-11} This the message of the Gospel committed to the Body of Christ.

However, only the truly converted in the heart will believe this Gospel: Jesus said it {Matthew 18:3}. Just as a tree produces its fruits from its own tree, so is this organic Headship and Lordship of Christ. And a Tree will be known through its Fruits. We can all put an end to all deception that will be judged by the Gospel. The on-going shaking will separate the chaff from the wheat. We are not Christ because we say so, but because He says so. When we see the sun we know it is the sun. God is calling His beloved back to the Garden.

Christ Jesus determines everything about His Body, and His authority on earth are those who are submitted to His Lordship. Our willing and joyful submission to the Lordship of Christ and to His Gospel ensures that Satan is not occupying His throne in our lives or over His people. Judge this with the Gospel. Jesus said we should buy of Him the gold that is tried in the fire {Revelation 3:18}: The Gospel is that Gold.

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“Jesus answered and said unto them, ‘This is the work of God; that ye believe on Him whom the Father hath sent.’ – JOHN 6:29

THE GOSPEL: DISCERN TO BELIEVE

Peter the Apostle of Christ Jesus addressed the Jewish elders, and said, “Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under the heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.” {Acts 4:12} The simple act of trusting God and believing in His Son Christ Jesus was seen as simplistic, naïve, and just too ordinary: the consequences are still evident till today. But if this generation will wake up, we will not consent to the same error of judgment.

Before God started stirring the hearts of men and women referred to as “Reformers”, knowledge had greatly increased: darkness grew in proportion to what was considered knowledge, because Christ’s simple instructions and commandments had been forgotten. Everything men have acquired as knowledge in every field of study on earth were discerned. The quaint palates of men, for poetry, art, sciences, and culture, were all discerned. Doctors go to college to learn about the anatomy of the human body; what makes them thrive. Astronauts and rocket scientists discern what makes it possible to go into space: upon these foundations of knowledge will all other things thrive, by which we are then fruitful, and multiply, and to replenish the earth. We can only believe after we have discerned.

Men suffer when we want to determine what has been set in eternity, and want to make them become what God never intended. When Galileo Galilei (1564-1642) discovered by himself that the sun was the center of the solar system, reiterating and confirming Copernicus’ theory that all planets revolve around the sun, and that it was the earth orbiting the sun, he was summoned before the inquisitors for heresy and was imprisoned for life, later to be released. But the church authorities wanted him to recant a fact that he discovered as the truth. Galileo only discerned what was set in eternity which has nothing to do with his actions or contributions: it the same with the Gospel, and its power is in its purity, not in our abilities.

When Jesus said to repent and believe the Gospel, He was not inviting analysis but discernment. Nevertheless, those who believe in Christ Jesus must have believed the true Gospel: the two are one and can never be separated. Do not be confused: the turmoil on earth is because many claim to believe in Christ Jesus but do not want to believe the true Gospel. Every Word of the Gospel cannot be altered. To repent is to

turn back: the Gospel is heaven on earth, and we will keep repeating this. Our role is to discern it and to believe it: then the rest comes.

“There remaineth, therefore, a rest to the people of God. For he that is entered into His rest, he also has ceased from his own works, as God did from His. Let us labor, therefore, to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief.” {Hebrews 4:9-11, See Isaiah 30:15, Hebrews 4:3}.

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“Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.” – EXODUS 20:3

GOD’S EXALTED THRONE

When Christ Jesus said to Peter and his brethren, “Follow Me” {John 21:19, 22}, it was because He had shown them the example of what that meant. The message of the Cross is that message that we need to hear and receive daily to comprehend the enormity of God’s call upon our lives. The truth is, there is no other way.

Once in the whole life of Christ Jesus, His will was going to separate itself from God’s Will: His sweat became like droplets of blood. This is to show us how powerful and extremely dangerous the will of a man can be or become. “And when He was at a place, He said, unto them, ‘Pray that ye enter not into temptation. And He was withdrawn from them about a stone’s cast, and kneeled down, and prayed, saying, ‘Father, If thou be willing, remove this cup from Me: nevertheless not My will, but thine, be done. And there appeared an angel unto Him from heaven, strengthening Him. And being in an agony He prayed more earnestly: and His sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.” {Luke 22:40-44}

Our wills can become our god; if we imagine well enough, we will see dreams and visions that will line up with them. It was the throne of God in Adam that Satan coveted so much that he made his move, first on Eve. The Cross is the place of the true knowledge of God: father Abraham went to that place when he had to give up

Isaac without grumbling. Those who arrive at the Cross have ceased from fretting. Without violence or deceit, Christ Jesus fought and won the greatest battle ever won in heaven or on earth {Isaiah 53:9}. Grace has some cost: we have to give up or wills.

Jesus said, "For I came down from heaven, not to do mine own will, but the will of Him that sent Me." {John 6:38} This was why He did not request for one or two angels to wipe out all the Romans in Jerusalem and the whole world. The Romans and the Jewish Sanhedrin were not His problems or the issue. So God's Will may look like the sacrifice of Isaac or the death on the Cross, but the glory afterward cannot be quantified by men. When Jeremiah prophesied that his people should surrender to Nebuchadnezzar, they said he was a false prophet: this is what the Cross looks like. The key is to know God or seek to know Him, to know the true meaning of Righteousness and Judgment: this is God's throne and He is very Jealous over this throne.

"The LORD is exalted: for He dwelleth on high: He hath filled Zion with judgment and righteousness. And wisdom and knowledge shall be the stability of thy times, and the strength of salvation: the fear of the LORD is His treasure." {Isaiah 33:5-6} Believers in Christ renounce their own will for God's Will: this is the place of rest.

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"He that cometh from above is above all: he that is of the earth is earthly, and speaketh of the earth: He that cometh from heaven is above all." – JOHN 3:31

JUST LIKE THE RAIN: HELP FROM ABOVE

God's sovereignty and supremacy should and will be evident in this generation of ours. The Word says, "I WILL lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the LORD, which made heaven and earth." {Psalm 121:1-2} John the Baptist was telling his people that it is obvious that that which is from above is above all. And when it comes to that which is from above, opinions, ideologies, idiosyncrasies, or personal preferences do not count. This should be a

blessing to anyone who believes in Christ Jesus; a relief from the pressure of having to judge God or His Will: the Gospel is the Judge.

The Law was the Schoolmaster, who made it clear that the Law of Moses which came directly from God's mouth was not able to accomplish obedience in men, nor produce love from the heart: "But before faith came, we were kept under the law, shut up unto the faith which should afterwards be revealed. Wherefore, the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster. For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus." {Galatians 3:23-26} However, the Gentiles were never at any time under the Law of Moses.

God will not depend on the executive, judiciary, or legislative arms of government to convict men of sin or to produce righteousness in men. Whenever we do this or become so fixated to the point of selling our souls, we are in serious jeopardy. The media are not the problem, neither are the politicians: we need to stand before the mirror. "Nevertheless, I tell you the truth; it is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send Him unto you. And when He is come, He will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: Of sin, because they believed not on Me: Of righteousness, because I go to My Father, and ye see Me no more: Of judgment; because the prince of this world is judged." {John 16:7-11}

The greatest travesty on earth is the abdication of the position God and Christ placed believers in Christ in the pillar and ground of the truth, for false gospels, and blaming politicians and the media for it. We all need to repent. When it rains or snows, or when the sun rises, no one argues with them. Christ and His Gospel are from above and they are above all. Our role is obedience, to receive it, and to believe it. "Drop down, ye heavens from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness; let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring up together; I the LORD have created it." {Isaiah 45:8}

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"Forever, O LORD, thy word is settled in heaven." – PSALM 119:89

A CALL TO A NEW GENERATION: WHAT TO DO

The call of God to mankind was of goodwill from God. "And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.'" {Luke 2:13-14} We all need to take a break daily and visit the Garden, to remind ourselves of the reasons we are here on earth and still alive.

God taught us the key; "But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth Me, that I am the LORD which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the LORD." {Jeremiah 9:24} It is of no interest or value to God for men not to know Him because that is the purpose of creating men as His children. Christ Jesus was revealed to us through the Gospel, that He is the Word of God that was made flesh Who created all things, and that He is the Lord {See John 1:1-5, 14, Philippians 2:9-11}. Also, to believe the Gospel requires that we know the Gospel: to know the Truth and be free requires that we actually become adequately acquainted with the Truth. Separating ourselves from Righteousness and Judgment which is the Truth can be likened to jumping out of a fast-moving train.

We all know how stupid or grieved Noah must have felt for almost a hundred years warning people who laughed at him: until God showed up and spoke to Job and his friends, his trial made no sense at all: to King Zedekiah and all the prophets in his time, how can God send a heathen king to destroy and take captive His own nation, which He brought out of Egypt with mighty power? It does not make any sense. As mighty as Daniel the Prophet was, before angels and before kings, he could not stop the humiliation of King Nebuchadnezzar. If we have not learned the true meaning of Righteousness and Judgment, and it is dreams and visions and voices we depend upon, we have need of great repentance: God Himself warned about this throughout the prophets {See Jeremiah 23:28}.

The Most Perfect Person on earth is the Holy Spirit: the Most Perfect Gift on earth is the Gospel: God's call to all mankind is to repent and believe it. We are talking about the Word of God that is Eternal, which has existed before all creation. What God has planned for His people is more perfect and eternal than the sun we see daily, just a proof of Who God is: "For the invisible things of Him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even the eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse: Because that when they knew

God, they glorified Him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened." {Romans 1:20-21}

Paul said to the Corinthians, "For we being many are one bread, and one body: For we are all partakers of that one bread." {1 Corinthians 10:17} This is the reality: the one bread is Christ: it makes men think like Christ and behave like Christ; talk like Christ: with the same mind, and the same judgment, with likemindedness, the same love, being of one accord and one mind, just as it is between Christ Jesus, the Father, and the Holy Spirit {See John 17:21-23, 1 Corinthians 1:10, Philippians 2:2}. And this is our plumb line: it is eternal. Everything else going on earth are the inventions of men.

We solemnly warned about the grave dangers of refusing to acknowledge our departure from the true Gospel, and that many lives have been wasted, destinies aborted, visions stolen, identities exchanged, and much more evil, because of psychic prophets and people in the ilk: some called it un-forgiveness or bitterness, or envy and all such things. And we warned that no soul, including all the prophets and messengers of God are immune from them, because of the compromise of the true Gospel. But a new generation will arise: their Bread will be unleavened, and their water will be pure; their faces will be set like flints, like lions and eagles that they are, because they will be raised to avoid the filth.

We are not prophets or messengers because we dream dreams or see visions, or hear voices or visit heaven: but because we know the meaning of Righteousness and Judgment, just as God said, and stand before God to address God First, Who then address men by Himself through His prophets. He, it is, Who speaks to men, who convicts men {John 16:8-11}. When we become fixated on men and get in the His way, we become false prophets. We fail, we are weak in the flesh, but He is Strong and He is Mighty. Our afflictions are light: but Righteousness and Judgment is the Gold and He is the Gospel, our exceeding and eternal weight of glory {2 Corinthians 4:17-18, Revelations 3:18}.

"IF Ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affections on things above, not on things on earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God." {Colossians 3:1-3} But for all men, see for yourselves whether the bread is indeed Christ, and the water, pure: if not, repent. This is what to do. The bread and water determine the outcome; we cannot add to that which came from heaven that is not the creation of men. Remember always, Buddhists have fruits, the Islamic religion has fruits. The Fruit of Christ look and sound and behave like Christ. The new generation will look

and behave like Christ Jesus, He is the Lord. Fruits are natural products of a tree; they have no contributions to being fruits.

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“THE KING’S heart is in the hand of the LORD, as rivers of water: He turneth it whithersoever He will.” – PROVERBS 21:1

THE LORDSHIP OF CHRIST IS PEACE

The first doctrine of Christ is to repent and to believe His Gospel. To believe the Gospel is to believe in God and in Christ Jesus as His Son, the Savior of the world. This is a completely different realm: Jesus said to His Disciples and Apostles, “Peace I leave with you, My peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be trouble, neither let it be afraid.” {John 14:27} This takes humility: the humility of giving up the control we so love and cherish, over our own lives and over the lives of others. And this is where the “Peace” that is the Kingdom of God abides: the Lordship of Christ Jesus and the Kingdom of God.

Adam and Eve had and knew this peace before the fall: all that Christ Jesus did was to invite Himself into the house of Zacchaeus. Zacchaeus welcomed Him excitedly: without uttering a word to explain the condition of Zacchaeus, he started repenting {See Luke 19:1-10}. When we give God back His throne in our lives, recognizing that this is all He requested from men, we will experience the government of Righteousness and Judgment that is upon the shoulder of Christ and the peace that accompanies it. God especially directs the hearts of kings because many lives depend on their actions or inaction. From the Pharaoh of Joseph’s time to Nebuchadnezzar and Cyrus and Caesar Augustus, God has done this repeatedly.

The work of God’s Spirit upon the human heart is divine and sacred, according to His eternal Will and design. God requires us to desist seeking any influence over the souls of men: we not only need to give up the thrones of our own lives back to Him; but also to see occupying God’s throne in other people’s lives as grievous. God will not share His throne with anyone. Accurately discerning our condition in our

generation is crucial: we cannot blame people for what they know nothing about. Whenever men occupy the place that belongs supremely to God and seek to enforce it, we empower a different kingdom, and it is not God's Kingdom: this is the source of darkness on earth.

Once we have asked for God's Kingdom to come, and that God's Will be done on earth as it is done in heaven, we will need to set our affections on things in heaven and allow God to have His throne and His Lordship to be seen on earth through our own repentance and submission. If we engage the world on its level, we will all be the same and look alike. This was what gave birth to the other largest religion on earth today.

Righteousness and Judgment is not an ideology: it is the Law that no creature can resist, and it can be likened to the sun: it is God's Kingdom, whose dominion is everlasting: "Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations." {Psalm 145:13} The resurrection of Christ Jesus is the proof: God's call to all men is to come into an agreement with all that the blood of Christ Jesus has accomplished in full. Satan cannot even think thoughts that God is not listening: we should never be anxious about anything.

If and when we allow God, we will discover that the hearts of men are in God's hand: and this is how He convicts the world of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment {John 16:7-11} God will not give this role or job or position to any man or any governmental apparatus. We all need to repent. The Lordship of Christ is the Peace of heaven on earth {Isaiah 9:7}. But Christ is restoring the Spirit of the First Church in Jerusalem.

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"But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship Him. God is Spirit: and they that must worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth." – JOHN 4:23-24

LIVING WATER: HOLY INFLUENCE

The Word aptly discerned true worship: "To do justice and judgment is more acceptable to the LORD than sacrifice." {Proverbs 21:3} A prophetic Messianic Word says of Christ Jesus, "Sacrifice and offering thou didst not desire; mine ears hast thou opened: burnt offering and sin offering hast thou not required. Then said I, 'Lo, I come: in the volume of the book it is written of Me, 'I delight to do thy will, O My God: yea, thy law is within My heart.'" {Psalm 40:6-7} True worship issues from the heart, the very place which God causes His influence to touch in the hearts of men. If a normal man discovers that his wife is always thinking of another man somewhere, he will not be amused at all.

"In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, 'If any man thirst, let him come unto Me, and drink. He that believeth in Me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water. (But this spake He of the Spirit, which they that believe on Him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.'" {John 7:37-39} And this is speaking about the whole essence of salvation and our redemption. Living water is the source of God's own holy influence upon the souls of men, that is; if it is Him flowing through those who believe in Him, and when we allow Him.

The amplified version of Paul's letter to the Corinthians says, "LABORING TOGETHER [as God's fellow workers] with Him then, we beg of you not to receive the grace of God in vain [that merciful kindness by which God exerts His holy influence on souls and turns them to Christ, keeping and strengthening them—do not receive it to no purpose]. – 2 Corinthians 6:1 AMP. God's own holy influence makes Disciples of Christ: our own influences make disciples of ourselves and our denominations; the two are different. We are required to truly genuinely present our bodies as living sacrifices for God's living water to flow through us to people {Romans 12:1}. Nevertheless, God will not force anyone to do this.

The inventor of the new iPhone 12 simply puts it out there: people rush to get it; that is real influence, the type God preached to Adam and Eve when He commanded them to be fruitful and multiply and replenish the earth. Tesla's stocks are always rising because some people believe in their products and people are buying. They make no threats to get people to buy or use anyone's name to sell their products. That is the real influence. God's own holy influence can be likened to the sun: this is how the living water was meant to be. The pillar and ground of the truth is the arbiter of Truth: we are talking about absolute Truth. A believer in Christ is a moving

pillar of light and salt; a mobile prayer house, that is, when we are worshipping the Father in spirit and in truth.

“And it shall come to pass in that day; that the mountains shall drop down new wine, and the hills shall flow with milk, and all the rivers of Judah shall flow with waters, and a fountain shall come forth of the house of the LORD, and shall water the valley of Shittim.” {Joel 3:18} Being the light by allowing the Light will come with great warfare: everything in the dark can see you, whilst you may not readily know what is in the dark. This, however, does not determine anyone’s reward or standing with God. The reward and fruit of Jeremiah the prophet was the captivity of his people and great lamentations: but eternity awaits him. Fight the good fight! The transparency of the First Church will be restored by Christ {See Revelation 4:6}.

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You are a Christian; you are full of the Holy Spirit and even speak in tongues. You love God and Christ Jesus and believe in them. Why not act and speak as one who does? “Rejoice not when thine enemy falleth, and let not thine heart be glad when he stumbleth: Lest the LORD see it, and it displease Him, and He turn away His wrath from him.” {Proverbs 24:17-18} “Release the Kraken?” Beware, lest you are the first to be eaten! Believers in Christ speak and act like Christ, and speak for Christ Jesus.

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“BE YE, therefore, followers of God, as dear children: And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given Himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweetsmelling savor.” – EPHESIANS 5:1-2

SPEAKING FOR CHRIST

The Word says of Christ Jesus the Messiah, “Butter and honey shall He eat, that He may know to refuse the evil, and choose the good.” {Isaiah 7:15} And this He did throughout His life and ministry on earth, confirming that He is Who the Word says He is: “I have not spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth: I said not to the seed of Jacob, “Seek ye Me in vain: I the LORD speak righteousness, I declare

things that are right." {Isaiah 45:19} Followers of Christ Jesus, therefore, follow His example: they speak righteousness.

Apostle Peter also exhorted in his epistle: "If any man speak, let him speak as an oracle of God; if any man minister, let him do it as of the ability which God giveth: that God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom be praise and dominion forever and ever. Amen." {1 Peter 4:11} God gave us several examples about His ways and His workings: Moses was not planning to get angry when he got angry, and God could have overlooked it: Jesus prayed for Peter, but did not do the same for Judas. The thought of Nebuchadnezzar, a heathen king, entering Jerusalem, which was a defilement on its own, and taking God's people into captivity was incomprehensible: or selecting Cyrus a heathen, who was not yet born, to be His anointed, and then to liberate His people; how was that necessary when there were noble people who are His people who could have done the same job?

It requires eating butter and honey (The unleavened true Gospel), just like Christ Jesus to have that level of discernment that only God gives: this will prevent us or save us from believing a Nebuchadnezzar is a Cyrus, and a Cyrus is the Nebuchadnezzar. What God and Christ said is to follow Him: those who follow Christ discern God's own judgments. We do not determine the chastening of God, neither do we have any authority to determine God's judgments. The only stronghold that is good is Love. Strongholds can alter the courses of lives and nations, gifts, and callings.

If God says, it is liberation time, it is: when He says it is chastening time, no man has the authority to stop it or determine it. The key is to know our place. God's people could say, "Crucify Him": but they have no power or authority to stop what ensued afterward. These are examples. God determines what and who is righteous and what and who is unrighteous. This is what and Who the Gospel is. The Mind of Christ follows Christ. To speak for Christ requires the Mind of Christ. All things on earth, work according to His own purpose and timeline. Ours is to fall in line and obey what the Gospel says: this is to be properly joined to the Head.

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Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision: for the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision." – JOEL 3:14

THE VALLEY OF DECISION: WHO IS ON THE LORD'S SIDE?

John's gospel described our ancestry and generation: "And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father; full of grace and truth." {John 1:14} This is our Head and our hope: our first ancestors Adam and Eve, were sold a type of truth that was a lie, the whole earth is still reeling from the effects of that debacle. The people of God who were taken into captivity to Babylon and those who were dispersed after Christ Jesus left were all united in what they believed and stood firmly on their beliefs until the end. To remind us that unity under the banner of half-truths or lies or fraud and subversions has no victory or future. The end is the same as it has been from the beginning. We are all in the valley of decision: we are either on the Lord's side or on the side of the devil.

The church that has its formation and foundation from Scotland, the Presbyterian founded by John Knox, and churches like the J C Ryle's church are some of the churches that approve marriages and the ordination of practitioners in such unions forbidden by God. These are facts, not just words or rumors. Abuses and misuses of God's name and the perversion of the true Gospel are everywhere, and God has called all men everywhere to repent. Many have since resorted to trying to get the arms of government to fix that which they are neither equipped nor mandated to do. We have lost the moral grounds to call the world to repent, but do we know this as a fact that is the Truth?

The decision we will make in this season will determine not only whose side we are on, but also what we are to expect. The true enemy of God presents his bait: "To subvert a man in his cause, the Lord approveth not. Who is it that saith, and it cometh to pass when the Lord commandeth it not?" {Lamentations 3:36-37} God does not argue with man: He does not seek to win any argument with any soul. The sun does not win an argument with darkness when it rises, neither do Light win or argue with darkness: so is Truth or Righteousness and Judgment. Anything else is a snare.

"But let your communication be, Yea, yea; Nay, nay: for whatsoever is more than these is cometh of evil." {Matthew 6:37} What we are experiencing on earth in our time has all been prophesied: believers in Christ do not maintain a balancing act

between light and darkness, truth and lies: all through history, whenever this happens, disasters follow. The Cross is the place where we give it all up and look unto Christ Jesus and Him alone. Believers in Christ do not win by winning arguments or prevailing against an opposing party: such victories, if it ever happens, are orchestrated by the kingdom of darkness. God shares nothing with the devil, neither will He put His hands on what the devil can claim as his own. Is someone truly listening?

The unique privilege of a messenger or anyone who must be a true prophet is that you do not add your own viewpoints. Righteousness and Judgment have no viewpoints or opinions: it is the Law just like the sun, everyone receives the same sun. What God and Christ have for His Body is full grace and full truth: this is the meaning of the true Gospel. Attempting to get God involved in anything else only exposes our ignorance. God does not do "All animals are equal, but some are more equal than others". It is either His side or the other side. When we choose His side, we have His intervention; when we invite Him after we have satisfied ourselves with our choices and our own means of accomplishing what we want, we are left with consequences which we have no way of determining.

"Then said I, 'Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, the prophets say unto them, 'Ye shall not see the sword, neither shall ye have famine; but I will give you assured peace in this place. Then the LORD said unto me, 'The prophets prophesy lies, in My name: I sent them not, neither have I commanded them, neither spake unto them, they prophesy unto you a false vision and divination, and a thing of nought, and a deceit of their heart.'" {Jeremiah 14:13-14} We've repeated this same message for the past seven years, but we are in the time of fullness. In the valley of decision, there are only two sides.

Our duty is to search and see if the Word is true: it has nothing to do with who said what, just the Gospel. Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words shall not pass away, says Christ Jesus {Matthew 24:35}. Compromises of the Truth for temporal victories have unforeseen consequences. This is the very state of affairs on earth as we speak. Absolute Grace and Absolute Truth are God's gifts to mankind: God and Christ have played their part. Repent and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand.

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"Zion shall be redeemed with judgment, and her converts with righteousness." –
ISAIAH 1:27

"Their Redeemer is Strong; the LORD of hosts is His name: He shall thoroughly
plead their cause, that He may give rest to the land, and disquiet the inhabitants of
Babylon." – JEREMIAH 50:34

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"Hearken unto Me, My people, and give ear unto Me, O My nation: for a law shall
proceed from Me, and I will make My judgment to rest for a light of the people." –
ISAIAH 51:4

RENEWING OUR MINDS

God uses any method He deems fit to call His people back to Himself: not only is He
a jealous God, but His name is also Jealous: "For thou shalt worship no other god:
for the Lord whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God" {Exodus 34:14}. His judgment
is Law: and it is Light. And since the Day of Pentecost, only one Person, the Holy
Spirit, is given the work of convicting men and nations {John 16:7-11}. His
stronghold is Righteousness and Judgment: this is the only foundation for any true
prophetic Word or doctrine. God has no consolations in anything else, only this;
repent and believe the Gospel.

He said, "HEARKEN TO Me, ye that follow after righteousness, ye that seek the
LORD: look unto the rock whence ye are hewn, and to the hole of the pit whence ye
are digged. Look unto Abraham your father, and to Sarah, that bare you: for I called
him alone, and blessed him, and increased him." {Isaiah 51:1-2} To renew our
minds will require God's people to return fully to Him, to the Rock from where we all
came from, to the well that was dug in Jerusalem, since that Day of Pentecost. What
the Law of Moses could not do, no president, legislator, or judge can ever do: we all
need to repent. Failure to recognize this is a sure foundation for not only falsehood
but also repeated cycles of false prophecies and attendant catastrophes on earth,
since the days of Noah.

We do not bring God into an agreement, we come into an agreement with God by
believing what He said and commanded. Imagine for a minute if Christ Jesus was on
earth in Person: would the world not know? And this is precisely why believers in
Christ are His Body, to represent Him; that all men may see Who Christ Jesus is. No

man has any right to misrepresent Christ. There will be consequences; there have always been. Jesus Christ gave us the Gospel, not an ideology. God's enemy needs God's people to agree with him to perpetuate his mischief: we are given the Spirit of Truth to recognize this and never to agree with him. But if and when we instinctively believe and agree with lies and fraud and distortions and fabrications, what does that mean? We alienate God and limit Him: "Yea, they turned back and tempted God, and limited the Holy One of Israel." {Psalm 78:41, See also Acts 15:10}

Every word a child of God thinks or speaks is either inspired by God or the carnal mind, which receives support from the devil. The Gospel is the Mind of Christ that renews the mind. "GIVE UNTO the LORD, O ye mighty, give unto the LORD glory and strength." {Psalm 29:1} This is what Righteousness and Judgment that is the Gospel does. Renewal of our minds starts with repentance, with the full acknowledgment that we have gone astray from the true Gospel. However, only the meek receives the Gospel {See Psalm 149:4, Isaiah 61:1, Matthew 5:5, 11:28-30}. But the Fruit of Truth is Truth: the Fruit of Christ is Christ. The fruit is always in the seed. The Gospel produces after its Kind.

God said, "My righteousness is near; My salvation is gone forth, and mine arms shall judge the people; the isles shall wait upon Me, and on mine arm shall they trust." {Isaiah 51:5} "The LORD hath made bare His holy arm in the eyes of all the nations: and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God." {Isaiah 52:10} The only stronghold worthy of God is Love: Truth is the building material. Righteousness and Judgment is God's gift of discernment. To Simon Peter, Christ dying on the cross was inconceivable, but not to Righteousness and Judgment: it judges righteously.

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"Nevertheless, when it shall turn to the Lord, the veil shall be taken away." – 2 CORINTHIANS 3:16

CHRIST'S WAY THE ONLY WAY

When it shall turn to the Lord, when men shall return in repentance unto the Lord, only then shall the veil be taken away. Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by Me." {John 14:6} Paul the Apostle also called God's people through Timothy, "Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine." {2 Timothy 4:2} That job will not fall unto anyone who seeks the endorsements of men or television speaking time or any platform.

This is not about comparison but Truth: if men do not repent, but continue in obstinacy, pride, and abject arrogance, insisting on our own way, or how we believe it must be, we are not permitted to tell anyone what will happen: but whatsoever we sow is what we shall reap {Galatians 6:7}.

If prophesying falsely does not give any reward today, what will it bring on the Day of Judgment? Of all the evil on earth, there is nothing that can compare with false prophesying; this was why God told Joshua that Balaam must be executed. After Balaam chose his own way, what was released upon the children of Israel was so bad, in the full glare of all the congregation of Israel who was weeping because the spirit of whoredom had fallen on them, and before Moses and God, a man took a Midianitish woman into his tent to commit fornication. Phinehas the grandson of Aaron rose up and slew the man, and earned himself a covenant with God {See Numbers 25:1-12, and the account of Balaam's prophesying in the whole Numbers 22, 23, and 24}.

Lies or falsehood and false prophesying partner with the vilest creatures in the kingdom of darkness. They are responsible for lust, homosexuality, lesbianism, immorality, witchcraft, and so on. If anyone thinks it is a light thing, to say, God said, when He did not say, think again. These creatures are responsible for the so-called prosperity gospel and all false gospels or distortions and false doctrines. Jesus said, "Beware of false prophets" {Matthew 7:15}. It was not a suggestion: because they are usually popular, no one has reasons not to believe them. But their fruits are clear for all to see.

Prophesying falsely or innocently missing the mark is not a terrible sin: continuing in arrogance and pride, trying to justify oneself, without acknowledging how dangerous it is, is what makes it altogether dangerous and wicked.

If we keep quiet, people will keep talking and prophesying lies, endangering innocent souls. And as if that was not bad enough, we want to blame politicians for not doing what we were called to do.

God formed the spirit of man that is in him {See Isaiah 42:5, Zechariah 12:1}: He fashioned the hearts of men {Psalm 33:15}: holds the hearts of kings and men in His hand {Proverbs 21:1}: convicts men of sin, of righteousness, and judgment by Himself {John 16:7-11}: shed His blood that He may sprinkle the nations and the hearts of men that was required as the propitiation and salvation for all mankind {See Isaiah 52:15, Ephesians 1:7, Hebrews 12:24, 1 John 2:2}: the Body of Christ and the human race have no problems, except we say, "No": God must agree with how we want it. Then we turn politicians into gods, desiring and pursuing vigorously to make them do what we were supposed to do, and we refused to repent even in the face of failure to get our wishes. In the process, hand the earth to the devil to infested with whatever he deems fit. This is a travesty!

If we cover this up, and continuing prophesying, what are we going to see? False prophesying to spiritual authority is like a needle to a balloon: only the devil gets empowered, and his workers completely vindicated and invigorated. This is the exact opposite of "Thy Kingdom come; thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven." If we because of the books we have written, and what we have prophesied, that is obviously not true, hold on to what does not agree with the true Gospel, where is the world going to get the Light from?

But when we turn to the Lord in full repentance, acknowledging our departure from the true Gospel, then shall God remove the veil. "Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert." {Isaiah 35:5-6} God does not console anyone who refused to repent and keeps on prophesying falsehood, endangering lives that are ignorant of the effects of such behavior. Good prophets and righteous prophesying partner with the Godhead: false prophesying partner with the kingdom of darkness, infesting the earth with lusts of all types that men have no power to overcome.

And what did Jesus say? "Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light." {Matthew 11:28-30} Christ's yoke and burden are none other than the Will of God which is the true Gospel or Righteousness and Judgment.

Some of us discovered the true nature and character of false prophets the very hard way, and have felt the wrath of the true life-Jezebel and their psychic prophets. Islamic terrorists are saints compared to them.

If you truly love your nation as you've said and often confessed, you need to return back to Christ Jesus in full with humility. Salvation is only to the humble. If we love our children, we will not watch them saunter to hell: God won't either. Christ's Way is the only way. God is watching you for good, to see whether you will start praying for all men in authority, as you've often preached {1 Timothy 2:1-4}. True love is obedience to Christ Jesus and His Gospel. "The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel {Mark 1:15}.

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"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." – JOHN 8:32

ABSOLUTE TRUTH MAKES FREE

God and Christ Jesus knew exactly what befell the human race, and as everything Christ Jesus ever said was sublime, He knew without the Spirit of Truth, even His Apostles and Disciples did not fully understand most of what He was saying. His people had scriptures, what does Jesus mean by ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make them free? Do they in any way look like they were in bondage?

The duel between Moses and the sorcerers of Pharaoh and between Elijah and the eight hundred and fifty prophets of Baal on Mount Carmel was God's rehearsal for the final showdown at Calvary. It was the difference between Absolute Truth and half-truth or outright lies, the Full Gospel and the other gospels and half-gospels, Full and Absolute Grace and half-grace and the Law, Holiness, and Honesty and half-holiness and hypocrisy.

The Holy Spirit, The Spirit of Truth teaches Truth and the Full Gospel: Satan teaches half-truths, half-grace, or full lies, and speaks scriptures and the word of God in the

Bible and a mishmash of mixtures of Old Covenant and New Covenant, and calls it scriptures or God's words. So the Body of Christ is left powerless, bragging about the spiritual authority that is in the hand of the devil.

Just for the records: The Holy Spirit of Truth will not bring any child of God back under the Law to take Tithes and firstfruits; He will not teach you that you are cursed if you do not give tithes and firstfruits because it is not the Truth: that was Satan. Christ and His Body cannot be accursed, neither can He come under generational or ancestral curses: these do not exist in the Kingdom of God. That is the reason for salvation. What we brought upon ourselves came because we left the Truth.

None of us knew that there was going to be a Covid 19 to expose us all as hypocrites. All our excuses, all the material possessions we used the name of Christ and twisted scriptures to acquire has been exposed for what they are: fraud. Satan knows it, and God knows it: if we call it accusing the brethren, it only exposes that dishonesty has become a massive stronghold, and we will rather have the whole world burn than to acknowledge our pride and selfishness: if the world cannot find help and hope from the pillar and ground of the Truth, where are they going to get it?

Government restrictions of any type cannot stop a child of God from offering praise and prayers to God or fellowship with the saints (the distance of the earth from heaven could not stop the fellowship between God and Christ and the believer in Christ and the Body of Christ): they did not prevent most of what people are doing to connect with one another since the pandemic. All that we gained from perverting the Gospel to obtain money from people have been exposed for what they are: lies and abject dishonesty. If Elijah or Moses or Christ Jesus tried it, none of us would have heard about them, talk less of being saved at all. Jesus gave us His example to follow: and His Apostles did the same and wrote them down.

Christ Jesus rose again from the dead because of Absolute Truth: there was no incantations or divinations, no decrees or prayers of agreement or counsels or devices; no curses or anything Satan could invent or conceive of that could hold Absolute Truth in the grave, or stop His ascension, or prevent the arrival of the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost. This was the Truth Christ Jesus was talking about. If we do not have the Absolute Truth we do not know the Gospel or the Truth.

If it contradicts any portion of the epistles of the Apostles of Christ, it is a lie, the forte of Satan. It has left the whole Body of Christ powerless against a little pandemic. Judge it yourself: does the Covid 19 have any power against Christ Jesus? But we are still going on and on, hoping to continue the dishonesty and falsehood, hoping for the pandemic to lift so that we can continue business as usual, and we think God does not know? Satan knows every single lie we imbibed and practiced: he sold them. Every Scripture we twisted to suit what we wanted, he crafted them. The Holy Spirit will never ever teach any soul or any human being half-truth or lies: it took the earth from Adam. Wake up!

Only the Absolute Truth known as the Gospel saves and makes free. "For we can do nothing against the truth, but for the truth." {2 Corinthians 13:8} That was the eternal battle between Moses and Pharaoh and his prophets, Elijah and all the prophets of Baal, Christ Jesus and the whole kingdom of darkness. Only the Truth wins. And we've been likening it to the sun or the wind: there is no anger or armor or weapon against the sun: nothing against Absolute Truth. All things must be brought into the obedience of Christ {2 Corinthians 10:3-6}: that is how it is in heaven.

In the valley of decision, it is between Absolute Truth or the status quo, which is lies and half-truths and half-gospels; Absolute Grace and Absolute Light, or darkness. The cost is our pride and "self". Moses and Elijah had no power of their own: Just Christ. Repent, the Kingdom of God is at hand.

"For the LORD shall comfort Zion: He will comfort all her waste places; and will make her wilderness Like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the LORD; joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody." {Isaiah 51:3}

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"No man that warreth entangleth himself with the affairs of this life; that he may please Him Who hath chosen him to be a soldier. And if any man strive for masteries, yet is he not crowned except he strive lawfully." – 2 TIMOTHY 2:4-5

CONSECRATION UNTO CHRIST

Following Christ will require a consecration to Him for masteries and victories that Christ Jesus will be able to associate Himself with. "For we are members of His body, of His flesh, and of His bones. For this cause, shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined to his wife, and they two shall be one flesh. This is a great mystery: but I speak concerning Christ and the church." {Ephesians 5:30-32} And this is the practical expression of a union that came through a consecration.

Every piece of our armor must be Christ: our belt of truth, the breastplate of righteousness, the shield of faith, shoes of the preparation of the Gospel of peace, the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit {Ephesians 6:12-18}. Without full consecration, we may not even be in the fight at all. A girlfriend is not a wife, and a boyfriend is not a husband. Marriages come both with full conjugal rights and full responsibilities.

Joshua the successor of Prophet Moses was about to take the first city in the Promised Land, Jericho: "At that time the LORD said unto Joshua, 'Make thee sharp knives, and circumcise again the children of Israel the second time. And Joshua made him sharp knives and circumcised the children of Israel at the hill of the foreskins. And this is the cause why Joshua did circumcise: All the people that came out of Egypt, that were males, even all the men of war, died in the wilderness by the way, after they came out of Egypt.'" {Joshua 5:2-4} Circumcision being the first covenant God cut with father Abraham: Moses almost got killed for forgetting to circumcise his son {See Exodus 4:24-26}. God's people could not take Jericho without being circumcised: battles are won or lost at this point alone.

God's Word through Jeremiah: "Thus saith the LORD to the men of Judah and Jerusalem, 'Break up your fallow ground, and sow not among thorns. Circumcise yourselves to the LORD, and take away the foreskins of your heart, ye men of Judah and inhabitants of Jerusalem: lest My fury come forth like fire, and burn that none can quench it, because of the evil of your doings.'" {Jeremiah 4:3-4} God is saying He will not share His people with any other god: no man can share his wife even with his best friend. Consecration or circumcise cannot be done in percentages or in measure: it is either we are circumcised or consecrated to the whole Truth, which is Christ, or none. There is really no real victory without it.

Apostle Paul said to the Romans in his epistle, "Now I say that Jesus Christ was a Minister of circumcision for the truth of God, to confirm the promises made unto the fathers: And that the Gentiles might glorify God for His mercy, as it is written, 'For this cause, I will confess to thee among the Gentiles, and sing unto thy name.'" {Romans 15:8-9} It was a union between God and man in full: no third parties invited.

But what the enemy has succeeded in doing is to get God's people to replace our armor of Christ with his own armor. The world fabricate and cook up stories, we invent ours: every piece of armor replaced with the same ones the world is using; conspiracy theories, distortions of facts, denials of truth, arguments and falsehoods, entanglements in ideologies and opinionated innuendoes, and diluted gospels or half-gospels: God cannot identify with this. There is no crown because we are not able to gain masteries against the world, using the weapons of the world. Without self-control or temperance, we are naked.

Therefore, for masteries and victories, our consecration unto Christ must be in full, total. Before we reply to the world, think! If our first instinct is to believe anything before we confirm the veracity, there is a problem. This is the struggles many are facing; because we have done this for decades, strongholds have been constructed and reinforced: they need to be torn down through a renewed consecration, by circumcision. Circumcision was designed by God to exact some pain and blood: it will remind us that a cross-less Christianity has no value. We cannot be married to Christ and to the world or the world's way of doing things. This is the valley of decision.

We need to step back and return to the war front after full consecration by circumcision unto Christ. The Kingdom of darkness has never once argued with Christ and God. Light does not argue with darkness. We avenge all disobedience when our obedience is fulfilled {2 Corinthians 10:3-6}. This is a consecration unto the true full Gospel and to Christ Jesus. Christ's victory is a gift.

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"Thus saith the LORD, 'Execute ye judgment and righteousness, and deliver the spoiled out of the hand of the oppressor: and do no wrong, do no violence to the

stranger, the fatherless, nor widows, neither shed innocent blood in this place." –
JEREMIAH 22:3

RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUDGMENT: THE MESSAGE OF THE CALLED-OUT ONES

God said through Isaiah the prophet, "THUS SAITH the LORD, 'Keep ye judgment, and do justice: for My salvation is near to come, and My righteousness to be revealed.'" {Isaiah 56:1} Through Amos, He said, "But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream." {Amos 5:24} With Zechariah, God taught us His Mind: "These are the things that ye shall do; 'Speak ye every man truth to his neighbor; execute the judgment of truth and peace in your gates: And let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbor: and love no false oaths: for all these are the things that I hate, saith the LORD.'" {Zechariah 8:16-17}

God wants no one in doubt about Who God is, He admonished Jeremiah the Prophet: "Thus saith the LORD, 'Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches: But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth Me, that I am the LORD which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the LORD.'" {Jeremiah 9:23-24}

He had shown His people why He loves righteousness and judgment {Psalm 33:5}; this is Who the Godhead is, the Spirit that left Adam and Eve when they fell, and also, Who and what the Gospel is: "He is the Rock, His work is perfect: for all His ways are judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is He." {Deuteronomy 32:4} The restoration of Righteousness and Judgment is the message of the Gospel {See Isaiah 9:7}, the mission of the called-out ones.

Every part of the human body is directed by the nervous system from our brains in our head: this is the practical expression of the Headship of Christ Jesus to His Body. There are two classical examples of God's dispensation of His judgments, with the hope of instructing His people and all mankind.

As Joshua and God's people began the conquest of the inhabitants of the Promised Land, the little Hivite nation of Gibeon had heard about how Joshua destroyed mighty nations like Jericho and Ai and the great Amorite kings, and how the God of Israel dealt with Pharaoh and his magicians, and the reality of their predicament, they came with trickery and got Joshua to make a covenant with them, claiming that

they came from a far country. Joshua and his people did not inquire from God but believed them and entered into a covenant with them {See full account in Joshua 9:1-27}. This action annoyed even the princes and the people of Israel, but everyone knew the implication of entering into such a covenant: the Gibeonites preferred to be slaves for life than to die a certain death and be destroyed.

But King Saul saw things differently: in his time, he attacked them and wanted to destroy them in a misplaced and misinformed zeal. During the reign of King David, after several years of King Saul's misadventure and his death, there was a famine in the land of Israel for three years. After three years, King David realized that this was not an ordinary famine from climatic changes or global warming, he inquired from God, and God responded by revealing that it was the blood of the Gibeonites crying out for vengeance; injustice that was not even recognized or noted by anyone was crying out for justice.

In the second Crusader War, the cross carrying people who had shed blood in the Holy Land of Jerusalem thought God will be on their side because they said they were Christians. Saladin defeated them but showed them the mercy they did not show anyone when the Christian Crusaders conquered Jerusalem. All those who had authority and innocent souls lost their lives during the siege of Vespasian and Titus from 66 AD to 73 AD, the time of the final dispersion. The only common theme was the departure of God's people from Justice and Judgment. Righteousness and Judgment prevented believers in Christ from fighting back against the Romans in their time, and from recanting when they were confronted with the choice.

Our robes of righteousness is a responsibility: no one is exempt from believing the true Gospel and following Christ, once we have received it. The injustice of any type is like removing a leg of a chair and trying still sit on it: it is an imbalance, an injustice in the face of God, regardless of whom we are dealing with. Righteousness and Judgment is Who the Holy Spirit is: a child of God will or should instinctively know what is just and what is unjust, by the virtue of the Spirit of God and the true Gospel. Injustice has a voice, and God will always investigate whether it is true or not {See Genesis 18:17-21}.

The Wiseman said, "To know wisdom and instruction; to perceive the words of understanding: To receive the instruction of wisdom, justice, and judgment, and equity {Proverbs 1:2-3}. Also, "For the LORD giveth wisdom: out of His mouth cometh knowledge and understanding. He layeth up sound wisdom for the righteous: He is a buckler to them that walk uprightly. He keepeth the paths of

judgment, and preserveth the way of His saints. Then shalt thou understand righteousness, and judgment, and equity, yea, every good path." {Proverbs 2:6-9}

What the true prophets or messengers will have to endure is the injustice from folks who may think that what does not seem to be working in their lives are the proofs that God did not send them or some strange sins in their lives. Most of them have had to bear the iniquities of their people: it's all there in the prophets, God could have kept Apostle from being beaten several times. Jeremiah didn't look like a prophet in the pit or a dungeon. So Righteousness and Judgment is not a bed of roses: it is a place of enduring hardness, even in the face of betrayals and misunderstandings.

Righteousness and Judgment is the Rod of God's Strength {Psalm 110:1-2}: justice in one part and injustice in another part brings Christianity into religion on the same pedestal with the other religions. The Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Righteousness and Judgment separates the called-out ones from all other religions. Righteousness and Judgment separates a true prophet from all other types of prophets: it is the exaltation of a nation or a people, and the absence, the destruction of nations or people. God's grace and perseverance for all men is Christ's prerogative and gift: this is the salvation of most of Israel who is yet to believe in Christ Jesus as well as all other nations with different types of religion. God sees the human race which He created. Nevertheless, the origin or foundation of injustice starts from departing from the true Gospel or perverting it by alterations.

If King David did not inquire, even as a prophet beloved by God, only God knows how many years Israel would have remained in famine, whilst God watched them. Every child of God and all ministerial gifts have no choice but to not only know the true Gospel but also what God means by Lovingkindness, Righteousness, Judgment, and Equity. No man or creature will ever be able to separate God from these: no man can cause God to sin. This is the message of the Gospel committed to the called-out ones, and it is from heaven, from God. God does not take sides: He is on His own side. Repent, and believe the Gospel: the Kingdom of God is at hand.

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TRUMPET CALL 30/11/20

“For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and as the garden causeth the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations.” – ISAIAH 61:11

BREAKING THE FALLOW GROUND: PREPARING THE WAY

For the purpose of plainness and clarity, if we truly desire to see the end of corruption in our nations, to receive what Christ and the Word called “The days of heaven on earth” {See Deuteronomy 11:21, Matthew 6:10}, then we should purposely search out everywhere and every point at which the true Gospel was corrupted and perverted. Yes, it is not for the faint-hearted, but there we will find every source of corruption and perversion on earth: nowhere else. It is not politicians or thieves or fraudsters or terrorists. The Gospel is heaven on earth.

The people and priests and prophets and kings that Jeremiah and all the other prophets were sent to by God, and the Seven Churches in Asia Minor that Christ came to warn, attended church services, fasted and prayed, praised and worshipped, did night vigils and midweek services and bible studies, had prophets that had visions and dreams. The Corinthian Church with several spiritual and ministerial gifts were also warned about carnality: gifts do not define anything or even a man. The condition of the folks in those times is not different from ours.

However, the condition of the people in those times and in our present time can be judged with facts. Paul the Apostle discerned this and said to the Thessalonians; “For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who letteth will let, until he be taken out of the way. And then shall the wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the Spirit of His mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of His coming: Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders, and with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them, that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved. And for this cause, God shall send them strong delusions, that they should believe a lie: That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.” {2 Thessalonians 2:7-12} This is the cause of the misery of mankind: what God gave us, we rejected. Delusion is a formidable enemy and a powerful stronghold: Truth is the only weapon and cure; humility is the foundation: they are both Christ.

Paul did not finish without preaching the Gospel: “But we are bound to give thanks always to God for you, brethren, beloved of the Lord, because God hath from the

beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth: Whereunto He called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ." {2 Thessalonians 2:13-14} We do not arrive at the Truth through democracy, or by the numbers of those who agree with the Truth. The Truth, which is the Gospel, was given to us to judge what to expect in eternity, and when Christ returns.

However, just as the earth brings forth her buds, and the garden causes the things that are sown into it to spring forth, so shall the true Gospel take root downwards and bear fruit upwards. What we sow is what we shall reap. "Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap in mercy: break up your fallow ground: for it is time to seek the LORD, till He come and rain righteousness upon you." {Hosea 10:12} That is; the Gospel. Jesus said, "Repent and believe the Gospel" {Mark 1:15}.

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"I am able to do nothing from Myself [independently, of My own accord—but only as I am taught by God and as I get His orders]. Even as I hear, I judge [I decide as I am bidden to decide. As the voice comes to Me, so I give a decision], and My judgment is right (just, righteous) because I do not seek or consult My own will [I have no desire to do what is pleasing to Myself, My own aim, My own purpose] but only the will and pleasure of the Father Who sent Me." – JOHN 5:30 AMP

DISCERNING ETERNAL LIFE: THE FOUNDATION

The redemption that Christ Jesus purchased for mankind with His blood, that brought us all back to that very point before Adam ate that forbidden fruit, was the reintroduction of men to eternal life, which has been God's original plan for creating man in His own Image and Likeness. Christ Jesus, in the scriptural text, was in effect saying that His only role and desire was to discern what God was saying and doing and following God the Father. Just as Christ received, He declared and delivered: He taught His Disciples and Apostles to follow His example.

Eternal Life existed before the world began and out of time: this is the Gospel. And the obvious first step to discerning eternal life is to renounce our own will for God's Will. Without this, we humans that are fallible are apt to choose whatever we think or believe suits us and say it is God's Will. A classic scriptural example was when Jesus began to show His disciples that He was to go to Jerusalem to suffer and be ill-treated by the elders and scribes, and killed, to be raised again from the dead. Peter's response was understandable but erroneous: "Then Peter took Him, and began to rebuke Him, saying, 'Be it far from thee, Lord: this shall not be unto thee. But He turned and said, 'Get thee behind Me, Satan: thou art an offense unto Me: for thou savourest not the things of God, but those that be of men.'" {Matthew 16:22-23}

God's people, including Judas, expected Christ to command the whole Roman Empire to drop dead: that would have sufficed to prove that He was God. The Gospel was given to us as the discerned Word of God, which is Righteousness and Judgment, which is Christ: a message of the recovery and redemption of mankind back to God's own original creation. This is the foundation of God's call to man and true wisdom.

True prophets and messengers have no messages of their own, just like Christ Jesus: this also is the foundation of true discernment. They are also able to see that what God meant for the Head is meant for the Body: hence, "Thy Kingdom come: thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven." As we hear, we judge: this means we are not listening to men but Christ, the Head. We do not seek to influence what men are to believe, even by prophesying.

John said in his epistle, "And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He that hath the Son hath life: and He that hath not the Son of God hath not life." {1 John 5:11-12} Eternal Life is the very Life of God; it is Light, Truth, and Holy, to be dispensed into men. We can neither add to it nor remove from it. God, Himself will separate the chaff from the wheat: true prophets and messengers from the false: He said, "Therefore, behold, I will proceed to do a marvelous work among this people, even a marvelous work and a wonder: for the wisdom of their wise shall perish, and the understanding of their prudent shall be hid." {Isaiah 29:14}

Forty years is usually known as God's probation period: for more than forty years, the prophets called in the time of Jeremiah, starting with prophets like Micah: between 30 AD and 70 AD, men who had the Torah, together with prophets and priests kept on prophesying what they wanted, and they never read the signs when

God kept on calling and revealing things from His Spirit. But to the remnants, search and know and discern the true Gospel. You want to know why any other gospels are accursed, just as Paul wrote, and why the Word had hard words for those who reject the true Gospel, and avoid it {See Galatians 1:8-9, 2 Thessalonians 1:6-10}.

Just as God blessed Adam in the beginning, there is nothing else in the Spirit that God gave on the Day of Pentecost other than the same Spirit with all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge, though humanized, that left Adam when they sinned {Genesis 1:28, Ephesians 1:3}. Nevertheless, God's trajectory is the breadth and length, and depth, and height of the fullness of God {See Ephesians 3:14-21}.

Other gospels were taught by Satan to prevent this: sanctification by the Truth was given by Christ to establish it. Our role is to discern it, to discern and receive a Life that has existed before the world began. This is to follow Christ and enthrone Him, so that the world may see Who Christ is. We do not possess the right to misrepresent Christ with our conduct or speeches or behavior. Remember always: the resurrection of Christ Jesus from the dead was God's confirmation of Christ Jesus as the Son of God and all Scripture and His Gospel. This is this call: Repent and believe the Gospel, the Kingdom of God is at hand. When it comes to God's Kingdom, discernment and decisions are from heaven, from the Gospel. Outside of it is chaos and misery: do not be deceived.

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TRUMPET CALL 7/12/20

"My tongue shall speak of thy word: for all thy commandments are righteousness." –
PSALM 119:172

OUT OF THE ABUNDANCE OF THE HEART: WHAT THE TONGUE SPEAKS

The foundation of all that Christ is recovering will set the pace for this generation and the next, as the Lord carries. Jesus gave us a profound truth about how and what we should speak. He said, "Either make the tree good, and his fruit good, or else make the tree corrupt, and the fruit corrupt: for the tree is known by his fruit. O generation of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good things? For out of the

abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh. A good man out of the good treasure of the heart bringeth forth good things: and an evil man out of the evil treasure bringeth forth evil things. But I say unto you, 'That every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words, thou shalt be condemned.'" {Matthews 12:33-37} We counsel that God's Gospel is read aloud in fellowships.

The Word through the Wiseman says, "Keep thy heart with all diligence, for out of it are the issues of life." {Proverbs 4:23} The Word through the Psalmist says, "It is good for me that I have been afflicted, that I might learn thy statutes. The Law of thy mouth is better than thousands of gold and silver." And again, "Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee." {Psalm 119:71-72, 119:11} God's Will is that all men believe and understand that Christ Jesus is indeed the Word of God: He, it is, that will be the abundance of the heart of the believer in Christ that will be spoken.

Righteousness and Judgment have been revealed as Who Christ Jesus, the Word of God is, and He is the Lord: "The LORD is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works." {Psalm 145:17} Apostle Paul calls Him the manifold Wisdom of God: "Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ: And to make all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, Who created all things: To the intent that now unto the principalities and powers in heavenly place might be known by the church the manifold wisdom of God, according to the eternal purpose which He purposed in Christ Jesus our Lord: In whom we have boldness and access with confidence by the faith of Him." {Ephesians 3:8-12} Paul was referring to every single saint of God.

All creation, including the human race, is subject to Righteousness and Judgment which is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works to all creatures: This is the Word God expects all believers in Christ to speak and to teach all men whilst making Disciples of Christ. All authority in heaven and on earth that is in Christ is in it. Therefore, it has never been an option for believers in Christ to know and understand this Truth: this is what makes us believers in Christ. Satan covets this authority dearly and requires that believers in Christ empower falsehoods and false claims and conspiracy theories: this is where he gets his power to mess everyone up. Out of the abundance of the heart, the mouth and the tongue shall speak.

Jeremiah did not bring Nebuchadnezzar to Jerusalem, neither was it Christ Jesus who destroyed Jerusalem because He prophesied it. Whatever and whenever and if

God says a Word, it needs no human help. Righteousness and Judgment is Who the Spirit, the Water, and the blood, is: {1 John 5:8}. And as Christ begins to recover the true foundation of His Body, we will also begin to see the true nature of the manifold Wisdom of God. No. Jeremiah was not helpless or powerless: neither was Christ Jesus helpless or powerless on the Cross. A true prophet or messenger needs no man's endorsement, neither will they speak a Word contrary to Righteousness and Judgment: it is the only abundance in their hearts. The prophets were not wasting their time repeating the same message for decades. Righteousness and Judgment is Eternal.

The true Gospel is the language of the true Church of Christ Jesus: it is the manifold Wisdom of God Who is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works. This is the foundation of the Lordship of Christ over His Body, and the foundation of the harvest of Christ in His own season.

"THE SPIRIT of the Lord GOD is upon me: because the LORD hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; He hath sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound" {Isaiah 61:1}. There will be no harvest of Christ that will ever be held in any prison. His anointing subdues nations, makes crooked places straight, breaks in pieces the gates of brass, and cuts in sunder the bars of iron: He also teaches Truth {See Psalm 66:3, 110:1-2, Isaiah 45:1-2, 1 John 2:27}. This is a season of goodwill. Speak His Word: speak righteousness {Isaiah 45:19, Hosea 10:12}. His Word is Spirit and Life; a lamp unto our feet, and light to our paths {Psalm 119:105, John 6:63}. Please note: this is not a word of faith. Just the Gospel.

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TRUMPET CALL 8/12/20

"WHO HATH believed our report? And to whom is the arm of the LORD revealed?" – ISAIAH 53:1

THE REPORT OF THE LORD

One great lesson that the account of creation as contained in Scripture that is in the Bible and the history of mankind, that the sons of Adam have taught us is the power and danger of seduction and the power of salvation. Seduction brought mankind into depravity: salvation by the Gospel through Christ Jesus raised mankind back to its original state of being.

It is also that great lesson that most theologians are yet to apprehend as the main cause of the Dark Ages, not to talk of the dispersion of God's chosen people. Whose report are we still believing? "And God commanded the man, saying, 'Of the tree of the garden thou mayest eat freely: But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.'" {Genesis 2:16-17} Well, it was the very tree from which God commanded His son not to eat that they were convinced by God's adversary to eat. They were seduced by one single lie.

Apostle Paul agonized for his brethren: he said to the Corinthians, "WOULD TO GOD ye could bear with me a little in my folly: and indeed bear with me. For I am jealous over you with godly jealousy: for I have espoused you to one Husband; that I may present you as a chaste virgin to Christ. But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtlety, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. For if he that cometh preacheth another Jesus, whom we have not preached, or if ye receive another spirit, which ye have not received, or another gospel, which ye have not accepted, ye might well bear with him." {2 Corinthians 11:1-4} Because it is not the Spirit of Christ that preaches another gospel, or teach another Christ.

Seduction is to believe something is true when it is not: it is the door that invites whatever the devil deems fit for anyone who is seduced, which is the first step to bewitchment and coming under a spell: as Christ is the Door into eternal life, so is seduction the door into misery. This was what happened to Adam and Eve, which is what is happening to humans on earth today. Every human problem is traceable to seduction through believing lies or half-truths. And on the other hand, "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." {John 8:32} The Gospel was given to accomplish redemption by the Truth, and it retains the power of salvation to those who believe {Romans 1:16}.

God's report is the true Gospel which Christ called all men to repent and to believe {Mark 1:15}. If we want to truly understand the power and dangers of seduction, examine all the evil that has ever befallen mankind since the world began until today. There was nothing theological about "don't eat from that tree". However, "By

mercy and truth iniquity is purged: and by the fear of the LORD men depart from evil." {Proverbs 16:6} Lies is evil: Truth is Righteous; Truth is the report of the Lord to believe, Amen.

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TRUMPET CALL 11/12/20

"O thou afflicted, and tossed with tempest, and not comforted, behold, I will lay thy stones with fair colors, and lay thy foundations with sapphires. And I will make thy windows of agates, and thy gates of carbuncles, and all thy borders of pleasant stones." – ISAIAH 54:11-12

WHEN WE RETURN TO THE LORD: THE VEIL SHALL BE REMOVED

The Word says through Isaiah the prophet, "For since the beginning of the world men have not heard, nor perceived by the ear, neither hath the eye seen, O God, beside thee, what He hath prepared for him that waiteth for Him." {Isaiah 64:4} And Paul the Apostle continued, he said to the Corinthians, "But God hath revealed them unto us by His Spirit: for the Spirit searches all things, yea, the deep things of God." {1 Corinthians 2:10} And when Paul marveled at the unbelief of his brethren, he said, "Nevertheless, when it shall turn to the Lord, the veil shall be taken away." {2 Corinthians 3:16}. He had shown us what the veil is {See 2 Corinthians 3:12-18}.

Wherever we find in Scripture, where God said "I will" or "I shall", we are hearing and seeing the New Testament promises of God, ratified and enacted with the blood of Christ Jesus as the New Covenant, and it is eternal. Not only is Christ Jesus the Word of God that was made flesh {John 1:1-5, 14}, but also, He is the Promise revealed and fulfilled, in other words, His promises has been fulfilled. Our challenge is to believe.

In the Scriptural text, God said He will lay our stones with fair colors, and our foundation with sapphires: but He was revealing Who Christ our foundation is, which also is Righteousness and Judgment. God revealed this to Ezekiel the prophet: "And above the firmament that was over their heads was the likeness of a throne, as the appearance of a sapphire stone: and upon the likeness of the throne was the

likeness as the appearance of a Man above upon it. And I saw as the color of amber, as the appearance of fire round about within it, from the appearance of His loins even upward, and from the appearance of His loins even downward, I saw as it were the appearance of fire, and it had brightness round about." {Ezekiel 1:26-27}
Because "Clouds and darkness are round about Him: righteousness and judgment are the habitation of His throne." {Psalm 97:3}

It starts with repenting and believing the Gospel: "For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ." {1 Corinthians 3:11} God has fulfilled His promise to lay our foundation with fair colors and sapphire: His name is Christ Jesus. "The people which sat in darkness saw great light: and to them which sat in the region of the shadow of death light is sprung up. From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, 'Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.'" {Matthew 4:16-17} The foundation that God laid, and God's throne, and God's Gospel, and God's Kingdom, are one and the same: Christ Jesus, Who is the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness and God's Will. If any man has any issue with any portion of the Gospel, that person has every reason to be gravely concerned.

Redemption is the restoration of God into man {See John 3:3}: the restoration to Him that left Adam when he sinned. There is no problem in heaven: all that we are facing on earth are our inventions. Critically appraise it and judge it: the Gospel has no problem. The departure from the Gospel is the source and foundation of chaos and misery. When we shall return to God genuinely and in full, the veil shall be removed. God is no respecter of persons: "The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand: repent and believe the Gospel {Mark 1:15}. God has everything covered: ours is to discern, believe, and receive.

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." {John 8:32}
However, it is the truth that we first discerned and know that make free: Christ Jesus is the Truth: the true Gospel is the Truth, and the Gospel and salvation is to the meek {See Psalm 149:4, Isaiah 61:1}.

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TRUMPET CALL 14/12/20

“Be silent, O all flesh, before the LORD: for He is raised up out of His holy habitation.” – ZECHARIAH 2:13

THE GOSPEL: JUDGMENT THAT IS WRITTEN

The Word says of Christ Jesus, the Lord, “For the kingdom is the LORD’s and He is the Governor among the nations.” {Psalm 22:28} And Paul to Timothy, exhorted him, saying, “I give thee charge in the sight of God, Who quickeneth all things, and before Christ Jesus, Who before Pontius Pilate witnessed a good confession: That thou keep this commandment without spot, unrebukeable, until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ: Which in His times He shall show, Who is the blessed and only Potentate, The King of kings, and the Lord of lords: Who only hath immortality, dwelling in the light which no man can approach unto, Whom no man hath seen, nor can see: to Whom be honor and power everlasting. Amen” {1 Timothy 6:13-16}

Only those who truly listen, or seek Him indeed and in truth will hear Him. And He is calling all flesh to be silent, and listen: yes, so He calls daily. “Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds. Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a two-edged sword in their hand: To execute vengeance upon the heathen, and punishment upon the people. To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron. To execute upon them the judgment written: this honor have all the saints. Praise ye the LORD.” {Psalm 149:5-9} So we can see that there is no wiggle room for anyone who claims to be a child of God. No one has more rights than another.

But Apostle Peter warned: “BUT THERE were false prophets also among the people, even as there shall be false teachers among you, who shall privily bring in damnable heresies, even denying the Lord that bought them, and bring upon themselves swift destruction.” {2 Peter 2:1} The Judgment that is written cannot be altered by men: this is the Gospel. Presently, the most dangerous entities on earth are false brethren and false prophets, who many believe that they are under the Lordship of Christ Jesus, but are not.

True brethren believe the true Gospel: false brethren believe false gospels, preach it, teach it, practice it, and prophesy by it. The only choice which God and Christ gave to every soul is to repent and believe the Gospel. Anyone who is too proud to repent is too proud to be under the Lordship of Christ. However, our fruits can be seen and they will be recompensed by Christ Himself. The Judgment that is written is

Righteousness and Judgment: this is what Christ calls His Fruit. The Fruit of the Gospel is the Gospel.

We were sharing in our fellowship yesterday, that you will not ever find the Queen or members of the royal family in attires that are sexually provocative for any reason, or find them swearing. They are equipped to bear their titles with grace and candor. Only in God's Kingdom do men believe it is grace to behave anyhow and talk anyhow, or just prophesy whatever we like. How will anyone not consider the consequences of such behavior? True Word of prophecy has the backing of the Godhead and the true angels of God: false prophesying and teachings originates from the kingdom of darkness and gives demonic powers all they need to infest the Body of Christ and the earth.

God's Will is that His people repent and believe the true Gospel: this is the Judgment that is written: it is from heaven and it is eternal. No man has any power to alter them or the right to teach anything else. "But the LORD shall endure for ever: He hath prepared His throne for judgment. And He shall judge the world in righteousness, He shall minister judgment to the people in uprightness." {Psalm 9:7-8} But lest men twist His Word, God's judgment is for salvation and the knowledge of the Truth {See 1 Timothy 2:1-4}.

God's Judgment separates or differentiates what is righteous and just before God, and what is unrighteous and unjust: God teaches equity {See Proverbs 1:1-4, 2:8-9}: The Gospel fulfilled this absolutely. Nevertheless, the Word promised swift destruction to those who continue in their pride {See 2 Peter 2:1-9, 2 Thessalonians 1:6-10}. This was what happened in the days of Jeremiah and in the days, almost forty years after the ascension of Christ Jesus.

God promised a cleansing: "IN THAT day there shall be a fountain opened to the house of David and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem for sin and for uncleanness. And it shall come to pass in that day, saith the LORD of hosts, that I will cut off the names of the idols out of the land, and they shall no more be remembered: and also I will cause the prophets and the unclean spirits to pass out of the land. And it shall come to pass, that when any shall yet prophesy, then his father and mother that begat him shall say, 'Thou speaketh lies in the name of the LORD: and his father and his mother that begat him shall thrust him through when he prophesieth. And it shall come to pass in that day; that the prophets shall be ashamed every one of his vision, when he hath prophesied; neither shall they wear a rough garment to deceive: But he shall say, 'I am no prophet, I am an husbandman, for man taught me to keep cattle from my youth. And one shall say unto him, 'What are these

wounds in thine hands? Then he shall answer, 'Those with which I was wounded in the house of my friends.' {Zechariah 13:1-6} God is no respecter of persons.

The Gospel is the Judgment that is written; the Gospel is also the Righteous Judge: they are what God said He will do, which has been ratified and enacted by the blood of Christ Jesus. There is always such a time when the cup is full: when God says, "Let My people go", He means it. Repent, and believe the Gospel: the Kingdom of God is at hand.

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TRUMPET CALL 15/12/20

"Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap in mercy; break up your fallow ground: for it is time to seek the LORD, till He come and rain righteousness upon you." – HOSEA 10:12

THE CRITICAL HEART AND ART OF SOWING

God said to Jeremiah the prophet, "See, I have this day set thee over the nations and kingdoms, to root out, and pull down, and to destroy, and to throw down, to build, and to plant." {Jeremiah 1:10} Jeremiah knew that what God was asking him to do can only be done by God: God, however, didn't tell him he will keep on repeating himself and will do several times in dungeons, and that after over forty years, his people will still not listen. Noah wasn't shouting from his ark after the rain started, that "didn't I warn you?" Jeremiah wasn't drinking cocktails when his people were led captive to Babylon, he was lamenting.

What Jesus did with the Gospel was to root out, and pull down; He destroyed and threw down, He built, and planted: then He sowed His Life to seal it all up. God had said from the beginning: "While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease." {Genesis 8:22} This, we've all found to be one of the most natural and profound phenomena on earth. When we sow Righteousness and Judgment as God has indeed shown us, we will reap Righteousness and Judgment without fail. If and when we sow abuse and misuse of power and authority, corruption and fraud, abortions of destinies,

subversion, suppression, and manipulation of the will of men, which is witchcraft, we will reap the same. Unfortunately, innocent people get to bear the brunt without knowing the source.

Once we've crossed the line, and refuse to turn back, we only get to rehearse the past and the dispersions or captivities of nations who did the same. The long waiting periods and the sufferings involved in sowing Righteousness and Judgment has often deceived many. But if this generation will wake up, and acknowledge that we never truly sought the meaning of Righteousness and Judgment, and many do not know the true Gospel, we will reap the fruits from the seed of honesty and humility before God and men.

The material possessions that most have sold their souls to acquire have not done anyone any good, neither do they in any way bear the marks of Christ. The heart and art of godly sowing is Christ Jesus. If it is contrary to the true Gospel, it is a lie. Lies put nations upon spells: the fruits are more pride and selfishness, confusion, chaos, and misery, and power to Satan.

But sow to yourselves in righteous: Sow Righteousness and Judgment; sow full Grace and full Truth which is the true Gospel Christ Jesus brought, which also is Christ, and reap them all in good time and in good season. Then, if Christ tarries, and we are all gone, we have true godly legacies that nothing can destroy, including the fire that will renovate the heavens and the earth. This is the simplicity of Christ which Paul was talking about, which Christ taught: "And Jesus called a little child unto Him, and set him in the midst of them, and said, 'Verily I say unto you, 'Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter the kingdom of heaven.'" {Matthew 18:2-3}

God said, "Remember ye not, the former things, neither consider the things of old. Behold, I do a new thing: now it shall spring forth; shall ye not know it? I will even make a way in the wilderness, and rivers in the desert." {Isaiah 43:18-19} Whatever God said He will do, is a New Covenant Promise to Christ Jesus the Head. What belongs to the Head is for the Body. Christ is the Fruit of Christ: what we sow is what we shall reap. The art and heart and soul of the Reformation is Truth by the true Gospel. This was what Jesus did. Repent, and believe the Gospel: the Kingdom of God is at hand.

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TRUMPET CALL 18/12/20

“For all flesh is as grass and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth and the flower thereof falleth away. But the word of the Lord endureth forever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.” – 1 PETER 1:24-25

THE EVERLASTING GOSPEL

King David said in the prophets, “The words of the LORD are pure words: as silver tried in the furnace of earth, purified seven times.” {Psalm 12:6} Now “seven” is known as the number of perfection: the purity of the words of God has been revealed as the Person of God. The Word also says, “Every word of God is pure: He is a shield unto them that put their trust in Him.” {Proverbs 30:5} But Jesus went further to reassure us, He said, “Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light.” {Matthew 11:28-30}

Christ’s yoke and burden bring rest because it is the same everlasting Gospel which God has preached from eternity. Christ’s message was to repent and believe it. We fret when we want something else. The moment we cross that line, where we want to influence souls, and want men to believe us, without understanding that what we are seeking is to gain control over souls, we have stepped into a different realm where God did not at any time invite any soul. We are unwittingly seeking God’s throne in the lives of people. This is the trick God’s adversary has used successfully for ages. And we borrowed the word “Influence” from psychologists. But it is a snare. Those who believe the true Gospel seek no influence over any soul. They give God His room. Therefore, those that believe enter into God’s rest {See Hebrews 4:3-11}.

Whenever we find ourselves fretting that our prophetic word did not come to pass, we need to repent quickly: we’ve crossed that line. We are not God. We did not invent the everlasting Gospel, neither can we bring it to pass. All the sufferings of men are found outside the Gospel: not because we will not suffer with Christ as He said, but because we seek what God did not send us to seek, just like Eve and Adam. The Gospel is pure and faultless: it is Christ’s yoke and burden. There is nothing in heaven and on earth that is not subject to it. We are the ones getting in

God's way. God's call is to believe eternity, which is His Word of the Gospel. It is the alignment of the earth and our lives with God's heaven and throne and Will, and it is pure and perfect. And this is why the true Gospel sanctifies.

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"Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, 'I am the light of the world: he that followeth after Me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.'" – JOHN 8:12

CHRIST JESUS THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Jesus said again, "As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world." {John 9:5} Because the Gospel of Christ Jesus and of God's Kingdom is the restoration of the light that was removed when Adam sinned and died, which was Righteousness and Judgment, the Truth that sanctifies and makes free, which Christ calls the New Testament in My blood {See Luke 22:20, John 8:32, 17:17}. John says in his gospel, "In Him was life: and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness: and the darkness comprehended it not." {John 1:4-5} This is the Word.

It is the Gospel requirement that we come out of the darkness of the other gospels by purging ourselves of the old leaven: "Purge out, therefore, the old leaven, that ye may be a new lump, as ye are unleavened. For even Christ, as our Passover is sacrificed for us: Therefore, let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth." {1 Corinthians 5:7-8} The old leaven which is also the other gospels, can be likened to the report of the other ten spies sent by Moses to spy out the Promised Land but came back with an evil report. What they saw was true with their naked eyes and their senses, but they had no light or insight: this kept them wandering in the wilderness for forty years.

Because the other gospels are not words of the Quran or some other sacred scripture: they are scriptures from the Bible that are the words of God, but they are not the New Testament in the blood of Christ Jesus. The other gospels are the

leaven that is neither sincere nor the Truth; its water is not pure, nor the milk sincere {See Ephesians 5:26, Hebrews 10:22, 1 Peter 2:1-3}. Our Amor is Christ which we must put on: "But ye put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill the lusts thereof." {Romans 13:14, See Ephesians 4:24, 6:12-18, Colossians 3:12}.

Why this is doubly important in our time and generation has become more obvious. That which is in the blood of Christ Jesus speaks of no suggestions or recommendations or the ideas and opinions that are earthly. Not the words of men or church history. The Light of the world expels darkness. And those who have received and tasted and ate the unleavened bread, the sincere milk, and the pure water of the Word have the senses exercised to reject leaven: there is no light in leaven.

Always, always, remember, Jesus gave us only Light. His Light is more powerful than the sun which will expire someday. The Gospel is Christ, the Light of the world. The Gospel call is to come out of them and be ye separate {See 2 Corinthians 6:14-18, Revelations 18:4}.

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TRUMPET CALL 24/12/20

"But of Him are ye of Christ Jesus, Who of God is made unto us Wisdom, and Righteousness, and Sanctification, and Redemption: That, according as it is written, 'He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord.'" – 1 CORINTHIANS 1:30-31

GOD HAS BLESSED US

God has blessed us all with Christ Jesus, and the Gospel is good news because it is good. There is no portion of the Gospel that is not good, even the portion that says "Repent". The Head of the Body of Christ and of the human race is Wisdom, Righteousness, Sanctification, and Redemption: the message of the Gospel is to let all men know, that so is His Body. "But we preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness: But unto them that are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ is the Power of God, and the Wisdom of God." {1

Corinthians 1:23-24} So also is the Gospel: the Power of God and the Wisdom of God {Romans 1:16}.

For ethical reasons, a minister of God does not attend to people in the Churches where they've served. But as one called out as a remnant, many will either see one as a threat or a rebel or some other fanciful title or name. Unsaved people come to you for prayers and receive answers, but your brethren come to you for prayers with doubts and suspicions: and hold you responsible when answers do not come. You cannot boil water in an electric kettle after it has been unplugged: your remote control cannot change the channel on a television set when you've unplugged it. Faith and prayer is not magic. Do not expect to receive anything with double mind or suspicion or doubt or conspiracy theories {See James 1:6-8}. Christ Jesus left His own home town because of the unbelief of His people: and His nation was judged for it.

The Body of Christ needs to be purged of anything and everything that is alien to the Gospel. Grace and Truth can be likened to the sun: when the sun rises, we all receive from the sun, and we contribute nothing to its rising or setting, neither does the sun that my neighbor receives affect mine: this is Grace. No man or creature can alter the nature or character or the work of the sun: this is Truth. Our problem begins when we want to regulate the amount of sun our neighbors receive. This is the foundation of the problems of mankind. This Gospel is that simple: we made it complex. For this, we all need to repent. To understand the Gospel, we all need to take a trip to the Garden, to see what Adam and Eve lost. Christ redeemed it all.

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TRUMPET CALL 27/12/20

"BEHOLD, I will send My messenger, and he shall prepare the way before Me: and the Lord, Whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to His temple, even the Messenger of the covenant, Whom ye delight in: behold, He shall come, saith the LORD of hosts."
– MALACHI 3:1

HE SHALL SUDDENLY COME

It was only the people who had their delight in the Almighty, who had prepared for His coming, who rejoiced when He came the first time. Nevertheless, whether men prepare or not, He shall suddenly come again.

God said through Isaiah the prophet, "Go through, go through the gates: prepare ye the way of the people: cast up, cast up the highway; gather out the stones: lift up a standard for the people. Behold, the LORD hath proclaimed unto the ends of the world, 'Say ye to the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your salvation cometh: behold, His reward is with Him, and His work before Him. And they shall call them, 'The holy people, 'The redeemed of the LORD: and thou shalt be called, 'Sought out, 'A city not forsaken." {Isaiah 62:10-12} And the fulfillment of the promises of God is God's glory.

Suddenly, the Lord will cut off witchcrafts out of the hands of people, He will be a swift witness against the sorcerers {Micah 5:12, Malachi 3:5}: "The LORD shall go forth as a mighty man, He shall stir up jealousy like a man of war: He shall cry, yea, roar; He shall prevail against His enemies. I have long time holden My peace; I have been still, and I have refrained Myself: now will I cry like a travailing woman: I will destroy and devour at once." {Isaiah 42:13-14} He will do these suddenly; these are not the words of men that men can initiate. In the First Advent of Christ, many in Christ's nation never bothered to search all that He was saying: they could not see Him as the fulfillment of the words of the prophets; Christ did not come in the package they expected.

The work of the messengers and true prophets of God is to deliver the message and to remind people that He shall suddenly appear. God requests no permission from men to cause rain or snow to fall: "For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and the garden causeth the things sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations." {Isaiah 61:11} Several times in history, men have a way of explaining what is happening on earth: we seem to always have a way of convincing ourselves that whatever is happening, whether wars or plagues are not God judging the earth. And for that very reason, history repeats itself because men refuse to acknowledge the truth.

But just like the five virgins that had oil in their lamps, we are to prepare and not despair. God will judge the world in righteousness, He will minister judgment to the people in uprightness {Psalm 9:8}. Our role is to discern the Truth and to believe it. God's Word has nothing to do with speaking positively or negatively: God's Word is God. He shall suddenly come.

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TRUMPET CALL 28/12/20

“AND WHEN the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.” – ACTS 2:1-2

WHEN EXPECTATION IS PRECEDED BY OBEDIENCE

Scriptural and secular history recorded what happened on the Day of Pentecost. The mountain of the house of the Lord was established in the top of the mountain and exalted above the hills, and the people flowed to it: from then, the Law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus came out of Zion, and the Word of the Lord from Jerusalem {Micah 4:1-2, Romans 8:1-2}. It was born out of the simple acts of obedience from very simple people.

God once had this testimony about father Abraham, when father Abraham was not apparently listening: “And the LORD said, ‘Shall I hide from Abraham that thing which I do; seeing that Abraham shall surely become a great and mighty nation, and all the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him? For I know him, that he will command his children and household after him, and they shall keep the way of the LORD, to do justice and judgment; that the LORD may bring upon Abraham that which He hath spoken to him.’ {Genesis 18:17-19} So Isaac followed the instructions of his father, Abraham, and Israel did the same after him: however, it was Joseph who indeed was separated amongst all the children of Israel. The proof of that separation was soon seen in the fruits it produced for all to see even when he was sold as a slave to Egypt.

Obedience to God is obedience to the true Gospel of Christ Jesus and of God’s Kingdom. Obedience to the other gospels can be likened to the obedience of King Saul: King Saul obeyed what he liked and rejected the aspect that did not agree with him. This type of obedience cannot produce the Day of Pentecost; it is the type that keeps people going around a mountain for a whole lifetime, without the actual fulfillment of one’s true purpose in life or destiny.

Apostle Peter warned about this, he said, "For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if it first begin at us, what shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel of God?" {1 Peter 4:17} Paul also gave the same warnings {See Galatians 1:6-9, 2 Thessalonians 1:6-10}.

As you prepare to move forward, it is your duty to God and Christ Jesus who died for us and to the Body of Christ and to mankind; that you do your research to know exactly what the Gospel says, why the other gospels are not fit for human consumption, and what it means to obey the Gospel. Do not be deceived or confused. This year has exposed us all as hypocrites.

"And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance." {Act 2:3-4} And in his first sermon, Apostle Peter reminded his people of the Word of prophecy from the Prophet Joel: "But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel: "And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of My Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams: And upon My servants and My handmaidens I will pour out in those days of My Spirit: and they shall prophesy: And I will show wonders in heaven above, and signs in the earth beneath; blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke: The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before that great and notable day of the Lord come: And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." {Acts 2:16-21}

Just for the records: the same Spirit that was poured upon the men was poured upon the women: the Spirit poured upon the women was not for cooking and bearing children or laundry (Theologians may want to debate, but alas, we are only messengers, we can all go to God to clarify Himself). The Gospel speaks about moderation in all things {See Philippians 4:5}.

Finally, obedience that produces godly hope and expectation, and the expectations that lead to obedience has the true Gospel as their source: this is Faith; Faith has only one source, Truth. The false gospel produces false believers in Christ and false disciples: true Gospel produces true believers in Christ and true Disciples of Christ, the same that was brought forth on the Day of Pentecost.

The Gospel of Christ Jesus sanctifies because it is true, honest, just, pure, lovely, of good report, virtuous, and praiseworthy {Philippians 4:8}. This is the path of

righteousness and the highway of holiness {Psalm 23:3, Isaiah 35:8, John 14:6}. This obedience leads to an expectation that leads to a manifestation that is glorious, according to what God has promised {See Isaiah 60:1-3, 62:1-3}. These are not words or men. The true Gospel has the marks of the message of the Cross.

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TRUMPET CALL 30/12/20

"Now after that John was put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God, and saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel.'" – MARK 1:14-15

DISCERN AND BELIEVE AND REST

Christ's people wanted to know what God expects them to do as work: "Then they said unto Him, 'What shall we do, that we might work the works of God? Jesus answered and said unto them, 'This is the work of God; that ye believe in Him Whom He hath sent.'" {John 6:28-29} Before we all jump to the conclusion that this is quite easy, let's all look in the Scriptures and into the history of mankind, the state of Christ's nation, and the world at large. Have we believed?

The Seven Churches in Asia Minor that Christ came to warn through John the Apostle all believed that Jesus Christ is the Son of God: believing that Jesus Christ is the Son of God is not the same as believing the Gospel. This was the main reason Christ came to warn them. Many of them had changed the gospel and believed the wrong doctrines.

Paul said to the Romans, "How then shall they call on Him in Whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him Whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? {Romans 10:14} So we can see how crucial it is to believe, but believing the wrong gospel or the wrong Jesus will not and has not worked. The work of the preacher is to present the Gospel in the way that men might be able to discern it: after discerning it, then can we believe it. After believing, comes the rest.

Thomas was with Christ Jesus for three and a half years: he saw it all. The same with the blood brothers of Christ Jesus and many who saw the miracles and ate bread and fish. Millions saw the devastation of Egypt, the Red Sea parting before their very eyes, the thunder and the smoke and the fire. We should never underestimate the power of unbelief: this is the very state of the world and many of us today. But the Word admonishes us, "Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief in departing from the living God. But exhort one another daily, while it is called 'Today; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin.'" {Hebrews 3:12-13}

Unbelief makes us war the wrong warfare, fight the Truth whilst embracing the false, fight against our destiny helpers, call the evil good, and the good, evil. This is the exact opposite of believing the Gospel. Knowing the Truth entails the process of first discerning the Truth: what we know was first discerned; what we believe will start with discerning it. The fruit of what we believe will be seen by all, and for this reason, Jesus said we should seek first {Matthew 6:33}. But we must all recognize and acknowledge the fatal danger of believing the wrong thing or concepts or people. Only about 15% or less, of the whole nation of Israel, believe that Christ Jesus is the Messiah. Because we do not believe a thing does not mean it is not true.

"Let us labor, therefore, to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same manner of unbelief." {Hebrews 4:11} Apostle Paul did not choose to be beaten and stoned: neither did he seek for the beasts of Ephesus to fight them. They all chose him: so the sufferings or the warfare of standing for Light in the midst of gross darkness is as natural as insects are drawn to any light. But Christ and His Spirit will show up suddenly, just like the Day of Pentecost. We must prepare.

Discerning the Gospel which is the Truth is the first step towards believing the Gospel or knowing the Truth that makes free and brings us into His rest. "There remaineth, therefore, a rest to the people of God." {Hebrews 4:9} The Gospel is God, Who made the heavens and the earth. This was why Jesus said we should repent and believe it.

The Truth works fine for us all when we believe Him: it is crucial to note that the opposite is the same when we do not believe the Truth, or when what we believe is the Truth is not. However, whether men believe or not, it does not affect or diminish the Truth and His power. One of the greatest honor on earth is to put our absolute trust in God through Christ Jesus: the true Gospel requires that equal trust.

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