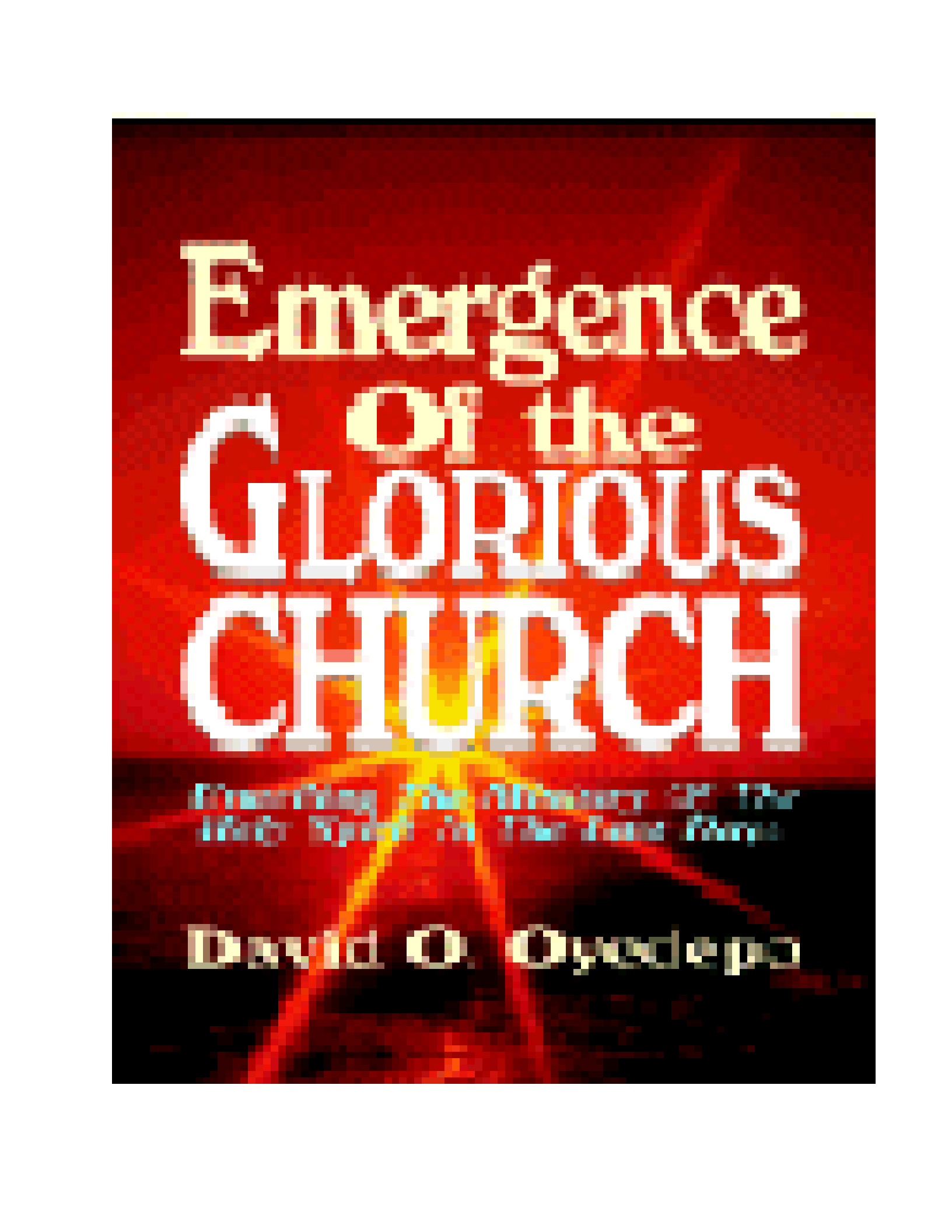




Emergence Of the GLORIOUS CHURCH

*Experiencing The Abundance Of The
Holy Spirit In The New Age*

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Introduction

And it shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established in the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it.

Isaiah 2:2

The scripture above is announcing the definite emergence of the exalted Church, enthroned with authority, by the ways of God.

Heaven is out to release the Church into the fullness of her redemptive colour! God will raise men and women of supernatural authority in the Church, who will command the attention of nations.

The Church will become so exalted through such marvellous insights into the Word of God. A Church robed in power, manifesting the many-sided wisdom of God!

I'm here to herald the coming glory of that Church (the coming presence of God – the mighty visitation of God, coming upon the Church of Jesus Christ on earth) and to introduce to you the essential force behind its accomplishment.

Friends, we're on the verge of a major event in the body of Christ! God is coming down in the midst of His people the way He has never done before! There's a divine programme on! We're moving into the realms of an awakening the world has never seen before!

The Church of Jesus Christ is coming on a power frequency, into realms of beauty, glory, honour, and distinction that will herald His return! We're living in the days of the dominion of the saints of God, endowed with the supernatural ability to confront oppositions with confidence.

Revelation 5:10 tells us:

And hast made us unto our God kings and priests: and we shall reign on the earth.

So whether as a priest in the temple, or a king in the palace, in ministry, in business, etc, the ultimate of redemption is to make you reign on the earth. Until you begin to reign in the area where God has placed you, you are not fulfilling your calling.

The world should be looking at us to learn how to live! Oh yes! They should be asking us "Which way?"

Jesus said you are a city set on a hill (Matthew 5:14), the world should be looking up to see you. You should command attention. You are born to be an attraction. It is very clear in

Deuteronomy 28:1:

And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the Lord thy God, to observe and to do all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the Lord thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth.

God has destined us to be above only, because we are the righteous seed of the Righteous God. The world should be reading our biographies to locate how to run their system. We

are in a time you should be causing undeniable waves where you are! Commanding the attention of kings and thrones!

It's a time when the Church will take the stage. So we're in the Church age now!

Now look at this:

A day of darkness and of gloominess, a day of clouds and of thick darkness, as the morning spread upon the mountains: a great people and a strong; there hath not been ever the like, neither shall be any more after it, even to the years of many generations.

Joel 2:2

This is talking about the emergence of an army of God - from right in the midst of gloominess and darkness! An army enjoying some strange affluence, inexplicable abundance, commanding strange wealth! The garden of Eden will be recreated for them. But outside their camp will be great sufferings and afflictions.

They will be men and women of unquestionable dominion. An army to be envied! Not just by people, but by nations. Nations will identify and respect them (Isaiah 62:2-4). They shall be Elijahs - deciding the destinies of nations! (1 Kings 18:1).

It is the blackness around that will make their distinction remarkable. Oh, its amazing!

Jesus said:

Ye are the light of the world.
Matthew 5:14

That makes you a pacesetter, Sir! People will be tracing your steps to know how to be great. He also said:

Ye are the salt of the earth...
Matthew 5:13

That means you are created to matter in your generation. Salt is to give taste and preserve from decadence. That means this generation needs you to sweeten the people's lives, to preserve them from decadence.

All these are pointers to the fact that you are no more an ordinary creature when you become born again.

In **John 14:12**, Jesus makes us understand that we shall do greater works than He ever did:

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.

You are not born to live the ordinary life. You are created to live a life of marvels. Everybody should be spying on you. You are born for dignity! You are born for prominence! You are born for exploits!

Jesus said you can do greater than He did. So you belong to a higher place than where you are now. You must not disappoint creation! You must not disappoint redemption! Friends, we have to be awake on the inside, in order to matter on the outside.

We are in the days of the fullness of the inheritance of the saints. It's time to catch what it takes to be in this great move we are in. It's time to understand and embrace the forces that make for your distinction on the earth.

This is what this book is all about. I want to introduce you to some dimensions of the ministry of the Holy Spirit, as it pertains to bringing the saints to the fulfilment of God's prophecies concerning the end-time Church. We are undertaking our final strike against the forces of mediocrity in the Church.

You are a city set upon a hill, and you cannot be hidden. You are the light of the world, you cannot afford to die in obscurity! You are the salt of the earth, people should jump for joy at your appearance, because of your impact. You should not pass anywhere unnoticed. No!

Friends, you need the Holy Ghost, to make the difference in your world!

I want you to see what this generation of Christians are expected to represent.

The devil is going to suffer! We are going to calculate sickness out of our lives. We will calculate failure out of our ways. We will be shining on all fronts, inspite of the devil!

Please understand this: the former rain is nothing to be compared with the latter rain. No matter what you saw in the Acts of the apostles, you haven't seen anything yet! Those were mere forerunners!

We are now in the actual generation that the world is waiting for. You have not seen anything at all! So get ready! Know what you need and go after it!

We're in the royal age of the Church, we must stop playing slavery.

Chapter 1

Not By Might, Not By Power...

And the angel that talked with me came again, and waked me, as a man that is wakened out of his sleep. And said unto me, What seest thou? And I said, I have looked, and behold a candlestick all of gold...

Then he answered and spake unto me, saying, This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts.

Zechariah 4:1-6

This vision that Zechariah saw, can be likened to various prophecies given in the scriptures, of the endtime Church.

It says, "all of gold."

That is what God is set to make of the endtime Church - A golden Church, the businessmen entering their golden stage, men in various fields entering their golden phase of life, ministers of the gospel entering into their golden phase in ministry.

Yes, God has given a very clear vision of a golden age for the Church! ***Isaiah 60***, (from **verses 1-22**) describes this golden Church in its innumerable distinctive characters.

Verse 8 says:

Who are these that fly as a cloud, and as the doves to their windows?

While **verse 22** concludes:

A little one shall become a thousand, and a small one a strong nation: I the Lord will hasten it in his time.

This is a vivid picture of the golden Church.

It's Going To Be By His Spirit

God is talking about the golden age of the Church. But no one can enter it by power, nor by might. Each one will enter into it by the Spirit of God, *"for by strength shall no man prevail"*, says 1 Samuel 2:9.

He said to Zerubbabel:

...Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit...

Our access into God's promised golden phase of life is the anointing of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus the Messiah came to this earth, He had no impact until the Holy Ghost came upon Him (Matthew 3:16). For thirty years, He was just the son of Joseph, the carpenter. But suddenly the Holy Ghost came, and His prominence was established! **Luke 4:14** tells us:

And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee: and there went out a fame of him through all the region round about.

So behind exploits in the kingdom is the anointing of the Holy Spirit.

In ***Luke 24:49***, Jesus said to His disciples:

...tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.

You will never make meaning on this earth as a Christian until you are endued with power from on high. You will not go places until you are endued with the power that only the Holy Spirit gives.

When the Holy Spirit came upon the disciples in Acts 2, they exploded with power and went from there and turned their world upside down!

God has programmed you for a covenant explosion, so you need to receive the "bomb" of heaven, so you can explode effectively and your position in the kingdom will be established. There's a golden vision about your life, you need an outpouring of the Spirit upon you to bring it to pass in your own life. Oh, I have very unusual fellowship with the Holy Spirit!

You have all the principles, you now need the power to make it work. Jesus taught the disciples the principles for three and half years. Yet He told them, "Don't go anywhere yet, it won't work. Get the power from on high first."

I'd like you to hunger and thirst for the outpouring of that power upon your life, it will compel everything around you to start working.

The unction of the Holy Spirit is what guarantees motion in life. Without the Holy Spirit, you are going nowhere! You only keep going round in circles. But when He comes, explosion follows! I see an explosion coming upon your life in this new move, in Jesus precious name!

...This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts.

Zechariah 4:6

The anointing of the Holy Spirit destroys and levels every mountain on your way, to create an highway of prominence, glory and honour for you.

Who art thou, O great mountain? before Zerubbabel thou shalt become a plain: and he shall bring forth the headstone thereof with shoutings, crying, Grace, grace unto it.

Zechariah 4:7

Many things that have been left unfinished in your life, I see the speed of the Holy Ghost bringing them to completion right before your enemies! Friends, it's the anointing that makes the difference!

We are in the golden age of the Church, Sir! The Church will constitute the greatest attraction in the world!

...ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, even shall take hold of the skirt of him that is a Jew, saying, We will go with you: for we have heard that God is with you.

Zechariah 8:23

The Church will become the centre of attraction on the earth! She will be so lifted that the world will be compelled to go after her to worship. The sinners will go evangelising themselves, saying, "Come, let us go..." Because they will see how colourful our lives have become! They will see the lifting hand of God on our lives.

Songs of ***Solomon 1:3*** says:

Because of the savour of thy good ointments thy name is as ointment poured forth, therefore do the virgins love thee.

You command automatic love when the anointing of the Holy Spirit begins to lift you. Everybody begins to embrace you, even your enemies!

Friends, we are in for the best of times! God has shown us that the golden age of the Church is here. Jesus is coming to take home a glorious Church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing (Ephesians 5:27).

We are in the age of attraction in the body of Christ, but it's not going to be by power, or by might, but "by my Spirit, saith the Lord God of hosts." So your portion is going to be determined by the unction available to you.

This golden vision of the Church is impossible without the help of the Holy Spirit. It takes the help of the Holy Spirit for you to be part of it too.

Many times, we call for the Holy Spirit, but we don't even know what we're calling for. He's not just tongues! He is the gift of God for our dignity on the earth. He is the very beauty of Zion!

The apostles never had colour, until He came. Your life will never have colour, until He comes on you. Friends, I'd like you to be exploits-minded! It is your perspective that determines your placement.

Greater Works!

Jesus said:

...greater works than these shall (ye) do; because I go unto my Father.

John 14:12

If Jesus could dare say we shall do greater works than He did, then we haven't seen anything yet!

Exploit is impossible without the Holy Spirit. Until you receive unction, you cannot function! You are going to do greater works, yes, but wait until unction to function comes. Without the anointing of the Holy Spirit, exploits is an impossibility.

You don't make impact until you are empowered. You don't have motion until you receive unction. Jesus could not perform without it, neither can you and I. For 30 years His Messianic ministry had no expression, as it were, until unction came upon Him.

Without the Holy Spirit, you have no ability to perform. Without unction, there is no manifestation. The Holy Spirit is our surety for exploits.

I see God enduing you with power to perform -"Greater works shall ye do..." We can't do the works He did, how much more

greater works, until we are empowered from on high. We need the power of the Holy Spirit to matter on planet earth.

Jesus added:

...because I go unto my Father.

Where is Jesus now? He is seated at the right hand of majesty on high. So we are released into destinies of exploits, destinies of greatness and prominence!

Chapter 2

The Rain Of The Spirit

Be glad then, ye children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God: for he hath given you the former rain moderately, and he will cause to come down for you the rain, the former rain, and the latter rain in the first month...And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions.

Joel 2:23,28

Christianity is a burden without the Holy Spirit. Life is colourless without Him! Without Him, life is without form and void (Genesis. 1:2).

He's the One that makes life colourful. He helps to make life comfortable for you (John 16:7). His mission is to carry all the luggage you're carrying and keep you comfortable, because the time to comfort you has come (Psalms 102:13).

He makes comfort a reality in our lives, by granting us access into the truths that set free. He grants us access into the nitty-gritty of life. He is God's appointed informant (John 16:13)! His ministry is to bring you information from heaven.

To be informed is to be transformed; to be uninformed is to be deformed! The difference between poverty and prosperity is information. Your Christianity cannot be more colourful than

the information you have. The quality of your choice in life is also a function of the quality of information available to you.

The Holy Spirit brings you news from heaven, to help you make news on the earth! Any news from above is above any event on the earth. Everyone in the kingdom that ever made news on the earth contacted news from above. He is the communicator of the secrets of God (1 Corinthians 2:10).

The Holy Spirit connects you to the wisdom of heaven.

Romans 8:13 also tells us that He helps to kill the deeds of the flesh. He destroys the works of the flesh, to make you and I really comfortable - because no man who is in sin is comfortable. He destroys the chaff of sin, to purify the saints as gold (Matthew 5:16).

If you're in sin, you can't understand the teachings of the Holy Spirit, because you're outside His lecture arena (Mark 4:11). So He destroys sin in your life and makes you fit to sit on the inside. He burns up anything that makes your Christianity questionable.

The Holy Spirit gives divine guidance. He guides you into greatness and prominence (John 16:13, Psalm 23:1). He guides you into the realm of comfort.

He is the sweetest companion any man can have (Isaiah 48:17). He is a destroyer of yokes (Isaiah 10:27). And in Acts 1:8, Jesus makes us understand that He is the power of God - the power from above that is above every power on the earth! He is also the power against unclean spirits.

"The Rain"

After two days will he revive us: in the third day he will raise us up, and we shall live in his sight. Then shall we know, if we follow on to know the Lord: his going forth is prepared as the morning; and he shall come unto us as the rain, as the latter and former rain unto the earth.

Hosea 6:2-3

What God has in stock for us (the last days Church), eyes have not seen, nor ear heard, neither has it entered into the heart of any man! (2 Corinthians 2:9)

He gave us the former rain moderately, but He will cause to come down for us "the rain". That is a combination of both the former and the latter rain, "in the first month".

He says:

And the floors shall be full of wheat, and the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

Joel 2:24

That's the effect of the rain. There will be an explosion of abundance! The Church will be super-comfortable!

And I will restore to you the years that the locust hath eaten, the cankerworm, and the caterpillar, and the palmerworm, my great army which I sent among you.

Verse 25

That means God will silence the enemy of the Church, and enforce the restoration of dignity.

And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dealt wondrously with you: and my people shall never be ashamed. And ye shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I am the Lord your God, and none else: and my people shall never be ashamed.

Verse 26-27

When the former rain came in Acts chapter 2, Peter quoted from verses 28-32 of Joel 2. That is the former rain chapter. Now God says He's going to cause to come down for us "the rain"- the former and the latter rain, in the same month!

The latter rain is for the latter day Church. And it has started falling already - because the last days Church is here! The effect of that rain is that God's people shall never be ashamed.

Friends, we're talking about the moves of God - the moves of the Spirit!

He gave the former rain to us moderately. That means, whatever Peter, Paul and John the revelator saw were moderate. Now, what He has prepared for us who love Him, neither Peter nor Paul, nor John saw - for eyes have not seen, nor ears heard, neither has it entered into the heart of man (1 Corinthians 2:9). But now, God is revealing it to us by His Spirit.

So the latter rain centres on His people. He said, "and my people shall never be ashamed." God will so beautify His people, and their beauty will be strong enough to attract multitudes into the kingdom of God.

So we have the former rain, we have the latter rain, and He calls a combination of both, "the rain."

The Day Of Vengeance

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; To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn;

To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, that he might be glorified.

Isaiah 61:1-3

Let's see the dividing line here. In **Luke 4:18-19**, Jesus came and opened up the chapter for the former rain. He said:

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised. To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

Then He closed the book and gave it again to the minister and sat down. He closed the book!

That is the chapter He came to open. Now, if you go back to Isaiah 61, from where Jesus took His reading, you will see that He stopped at "to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord." And He closed the book!

The latter rain now begins from there. And what follows that in *Isaiah 61:2*? "...and the day of vengeance of our God..."

Friends, the latter rain begins with the day of vengeance of our God, so as to comfort all that mourn! To comfort all that are afflicted and being humiliated, by bringing vengeance upon their enemies.

That is the way God is going to remove shame from the last days Church. He will wrought vengeance against His enemies. We are right in the day of God's vengeance!

Whatever is tampering with your destiny in God, the Spirit of God will wrought vengeance on your behalf now. Whatever is against your peace and against your progress, your destiny, your children, your career or your business, the vengeance of God is here to deal with it. That means your days of mourning are over.

Both in character and charisma, our lives will glorify God. The sinners will know that we are the righteous planting of God. When they see us from afar, they will say, "Those are the holy people" - not in mockery, but in reverence.

Where the former rain stopped is where the latter rain is taking off from. And a combination of the two is for this generation, culminating in diverse signs and wonders, such as have never been.

It's An Outpouring!

And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men

shall see visions.
Joel 2:28

So it's an outpouring that will exalt the Church above all hills, and establish her above all mountains, and all nations shall flow unto her. God is saying: "I will pour out my Spirit and my Spirit will lift up the Church."

So your lifting has to await the outpouring of the Spirit. The lifting of the Church is tied to the outpouring of the Spirit. The lifting of your business, the lifting of your ministry, is tied to the outpouring of the Spirit upon your life.

The latter rain is the rain of the last days. It is coming to beautify the Church. "To appoint unto them beauty for ashes" (turning disappointments to appointments), "the oil of joy for mourning" (there will be no more crying, all tears shall be wiped away, all that makes men mourn will be flushed by that rain).

That's why a 24 year broken marriage can be restored! That's why you can see someone who had had arthritis for 18 years jumping and leaping on the platform! That's why they could strike a dead man with the prophet's mantle and he jerks back to life! - "To comfort all that mourn, to proclaim the day of vengeance of our God."

Friends, you need a very sound mentality to be a part of this move! We are right in the last days and the latter rain is already falling!

Chapter 3

The Rain Of Righteousness, First!

Turn you at my reproof: behold, I will pour out my spirit unto you, I will make known my words unto you.

Proverbs 1:23

It is impossible to encounter the outpouring of the Spirit, until righteousness is fulfilled. There's no way you can have the rain of the Spirit, until you've had the rain of righteousness. The rain of righteousness prepares the ground for the rain of the Spirit, and other kinds of rain (the rain of the Word and the rain of blessings.)

Until righteousness is in place, your destiny is not secured, sir!

Jesus said to John in ***Matthew 3:15***:

Suffer it to be so now: for thus it becometh us to fulfil all righteousness.

And so He was baptised of John, to fulfil all righteousness - that was just one thing that was out of place.

As soon as He came out of the water, the Holy Ghost descended upon Him in form of a dove, and declared Him the Son of God. The Holy Ghost never came until Jesus fulfilled all righteousness.

Unction is a function of consecration, not just of prayer. The unction of the Holy Spirit answers to your personal

consecration. By unction I mean, substantial, tangible, effectual power! Anybody can speak in tongues, but I'm talking about power in demonstration! Paul calls it "*demonstration of the Spirit and of power*" (**1 Corinthians 2:4**). That answers to personal consecration.

Christian Harfourche, in his book ***The Miracle Ministry of the Prophets*** said: "I believe with all my heart that there is a certain level of unction that cannot come without the love of righteousness and the hatred of iniquity." It was so with Jesus.

Psalm 45:7 says concerning Him:

Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.

That's talking about unction which is a direct function of consecration. Righteousness was what determined the unction that Jesus carried. John's gospel tells us that God gave Him the Spirit without measure (John 3:34), because He had holiness and purity without measure.

It is consecration that determines unction. So it takes the rain of righteousness to enjoy the rain of the Spirit.

In ***Acts 3:19***, Peter was telling the people:

Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord.

That's the rain of the Spirit. When you repent and you are converted, and your sins are blotted out, then you begin to enjoy the times of refreshing that comes by the outpouring of the Spirit.

Until you embrace righteousness, everything remains stagnant. Righteousness is a key requirement for every rain of God.

Times of refreshing is the rain of the Spirit. There's coming a deluge of divine release that will turn every destiny right side up! All you need is to *"...Break up your fallow ground..." (Hosea 10:12).*

There's something about your Christianity that is not in place, something hard in you that needs to be broken. That hardened habit that makes you a kingdom misfit, that hidden pride, break it up! Break it up! Break up the ground for the rain of righteousness, "sow to yourself in righteousness", determine to invest for your righteousness. Work it out, don't wait for it!

You can't have the rain of the Spirit until you have the rain of righteousness. I'm talking about the unction of the Holy Spirit that indwells a man, and establishes his position in the kingdom.

The anointing answers to consecration - practical righteousness! Exemplary, untiring, open, deliberate, violent righteousness! The one that is not hide and seek, it's the "if I perish I perish" kind of righteousness.

Friends, the rain of the Spirit follows repentance. It follows sanctification and your yieldedness to God.

...Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Acts 2:38

So the gift of the Holy Ghost is sequel to the rain of righteousness. I am talking about the outpouring of the Spirit, not the baptism.

And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions.

Joel 2:28

Everyone has a measure of unction, but your level of consecration is what determines the level of unction that God makes available to you. So, the rain of the Spirit is available, but you need an encounter with the rain of righteousness first, to have it.

I'd like you to brace up! We are in the greatest hour of opportunity in the body of Christ. Those who are correctly positioned in God will become centres of attraction on the earth.

You shall not miss your position in it!

Chapter 4

The Seven Spirits Of God

And out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God.

Revelation 4:5

Like I said the other time, we are destined for exploits, if only we will discover how to connect with the source of power for it.

You remember Jesus came down here, and for thirty years He had no identity. But when the Holy Ghost came upon Him, His fame went abroad (Luke 4:14). In three and half years, He shook the world in His time, by the forces at work in Him.

I want to identify those forces now, so you can genuinely crave for the same forces inside you. Except you have access to those forces, you can't do the same works Jesus did.

Let me show you something:

And unto the angel of the church in Sardis write; These things saith he that hath the seven Spirits of God, and the seven stars; I know thy works, that thou hast a name that thou livest, and art dead.

Revelation 3:1

We understand that Jesus is the One speaking to the seven churches here. So He is the One that has the seven Spirits of God.

These same Spirits were at work in Him and working through Him. So if we also must do the works that He did, then the forces that worked in Him must be at work in us.

If you look at the army described in **Joel 2**, in **verse 3** it says, "*a fire devoureth before them and behind them a flame burneth*"

By that operation, the land before them was like the garden of Eden and behind them a desolate wilderness. "*Yea and nothing shall escape them. Before them all faces shall gather blackness.*"

That means that army will have the seven Spirits of God at work in them. Because we are told in **Revelation 4** that "*out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices, ..burning before the throne, which are the seven spirits of God*".

Now look at **Revelation. 5 :6**

And I beheld, and, lo, in the midst of the throne and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as it had been slain, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.

Who is that Lamb? Jesus! Yes, He has the seven Spirits of God, which are now made available in all the earth. Oh, we are in the age of mysteries!

Those seven Spirits were fully operational in Christ - a pointer to the fact that God wants them to be operational in us too. And when those seven Spirits are at work in a man, he will be nothing but a sign and a wonder on the earth! Friends, we are entitled to the seven Spirits of God in our lives!

Now tell me, if Christ were in that your business, will any government policy or budget affect it? If Jesus were running that your ministry at the place where you are located (and you think the location is the problem), would He have a progressing ministry or would He sweat every Sunday for worshippers?

Remember, He ran to the wilderness, but they still pursued Him there! When He crossed over to the other side in a boat, they hired faster boats and got there before Him! He was even running away from the crowd. Why? The seven Spirits of God were at work in Him!

Listen to me, we can't come into the fullness of the stature of Christ, if the forces working in Him are not working in us. I see you gaining access into the seven Spirits of God, in the name of Jesus!

Therefore leaving the principles of the doctrine of Christ, let us go on unto perfection; not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God, Of the doctrine of baptisms, and of laying on of hands, and of resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment.

And this will we do, if God permit. For it is impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted of the heavenly gift, and were made partakers of the Holy Ghost, And have tasted the good word of God, and the powers of the world to come,

If they shall fall away, to renew them again unto repentance; seeing they crucify to themselves the Son of God afresh, and put him to an open shame.

Hebrews 6:1-6

The Church is moving on to the realm of enlightenment. You can't get to this realm and have taste for anything elsewhere. No! We are talking about the operations of the seven Spirits of God; an unusual entrance into the things behind the veil, people going into the holiest of all and partaking of the manna in the golden pot!

Here They Are...

We see the seven Spirits of God outlined in various entities in *Isaiah 11:2*:

And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord;

In *Luke 4:18* Jesus proclaimed:

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.

That is where the Spirit of the Lord opened the first chapter of the former rain from, and then the other forces are reserved for the last days.

It's interesting to know that when the former rain came, there were gifts of the Holy Spirit. But if you look at 1 Corinthians 12 very well, it's all by the same Spirit.

So all the gifts of the Holy Ghost are just the gifts of the Spirit of the Lord - faith, healing, working of miracles, prophecy, discerning of spirits, divers kinds of tongues, word of wisdom and word of knowledge. These are the nine gifts of the Spirit of the Lord. It's all in one spirit, they all add up to the spirit of power.

When the Holy Spirit came, He came as the power from on high (Acts 2:1-4). The former rain was thus heralded as the power from on high, which is just one of the seven Spirits of God.

God is omnipotent. So inside Him must be a force that generates power. So the Spirit of the Lord, as it were, stands for the power in the former rain.

But there are six other spirits of God that are reserved for the last days Church. It is the operation of these spirits of God that will deliver us from every form of shame.

So, looking at that *Isaiah 11:2*,

We have the *spirit of wisdom*. If you look at *Isaiah 61:4*, it says: *"they shall build the old wastes ..."* and *Proverbs 24:3* tells us, *"through wisdom is an house builded; and by understanding it is established."*

Then we have the *spirit of understanding*. *"Good understanding giveth favour: but the way of the ignorant is hard" (Proverbs. 13:15)*. There will be strange favours in the Church.

Also we have the *spirit of counsel*. That is the mother of visions and guidance. *"You shall hear a voice behind you saying this is*

the way walk ye in it" (Isaiah 30:21). That is, your steps are divinely ordered, so you will be free from all regrets.

Then we talk about the **spirit of might** - that inner strength, tireless energy, the kind Jesus had.

There is also the **spirit of knowledge**.

Then the **spirit of the fear of the Lord**.

This is the sum total of the seven spirits of God. They are for a total disarming of wickedness, and the establishment of the peaceful dominion of the Church.

Don't you know He's coming to rapture a Church without spot, wrinkle or anything of such? So He must send us help to live above board - that is, supernatural ability to live above board.

The seven Spirits of God gave Jesus His throne, they will give you your throne too! When the former rain came, He said "You shall be endued with power from on high." But He promised to give us both the former and the latter rain in the first month.

So in our time, we are going to see the six other Spirits in practical manifestation — the spirit of wisdom, the spirit of understanding, the spirit of counsel, the spirit of might, the spirit of knowledge and the spirit of the fear of the Lord. And they are all on us now! The rain is here already!

When the seven Spirits of God are at work in you, your rest shall be glorious. You become more than a conqueror in the conflicts of life. The moment you lay hold on these spirits of God, your life will be colourful!

We have talked so much about the baptism of the Holy Spirit, but those are all elementary principles of Christ. The Church is now going on to perfection. These forces can't be inside a man and him not turn out a star!

Jesus had the seven Spirits of God working inside Him. And if God wants us to come into the fulness of His (Jesus) stature, then we must have what he had.

He has sent those seven Spirits to the world, so let's catch them! The reason God has been going over us with waves of holiness, is to give us access to His seven Spirits.

Friends, this is your God-given opportunity. If you know what these things are, you will steer clear of sin. If you miss these things now, it will be a lifetime of regrets! You will not miss it, in the precious name of Jesus!

So you need to lay hold on the spirits of wisdom, understanding, counsel, might, knowledge and the fear of the Lord. May God give you a genuine encounter, as we go through the workings of these seven Spirits in the next few chapters!

Something is happening!

Our generation is the most privileged since creation. If Jesus is going to meet us here, then this is going to be the most explosive generation of men!

Remember:

Deep calleth unto deep at the noise of thy waterspouts: all thy waves and thy billows are gone over me.

Psalms 42:7

Now pray:

"Lord, let all your waves and your billows come over me! I want to have an encounter with the seven Spirits of God."

Let's now look at these seven Spirits and their effects on men.

Chapter 5

The Spirit Of Power

And, behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.

Luke 24:49

One of the key manifestations of the Holy Ghost in the last days is POWER. When Jesus came on His Messianic assignment to the earth, He came in the spirit of power, to deliver the captives. ***Luke 4:14*** tells us:

And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee: and there went out a fame of him through all the region round about.

And when He got into Nazareth, He read from Isaiah:

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.

Luke 4:18

So when you join Luke 4:14 and 18 together, you will discover that the spirit of the Lord He is talking about is the spirit of power.

The Bible says He returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee, and He announced, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me." So the Spirit of the Lord is the spirit of power.

The gift of the Holy Spirit is the power from on high. Jesus told the disciples in ***Acts 1:8***:

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

I'd like you to be thirsty for the impartation of power. You need it! Jesus said: *"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me..."* To anoint means to empower. "...he hath (empowered) me to preach the gospel to the poor..."

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

Luke 4:18-19

When you link this scripture with Isaiah 11:2 (where the seven Spirits of God are listed), you will understand that the Spirit of the Lord is the spirit of power.

What is this power supposed to do?

To Subdue The Enemy

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.

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 110:1-3

That spirit of power is to subdue the enemy, to dominate the region of darkness, to say to Satan, "You are no longer in charge! Your judgement is sealed already". That's the essence.

The spirit of power is to make you rule over your enemy, Satan, so he can't bring sickness and failure to you; he can't block your way when you're on the move, he can't stop your progress. No witch can challenge your destiny! That is the essence of power!

And we see in Psalm 110 that Jesus will not come until all His enemies are made His footstool. That means God will bring about the outpouring of His power in the last days, such as has never been before. That power will completely disarm all wickedness, subdue kingdoms, and wrought righteousness (Hebrews 11:33).

How can you have an All-Powerful, Omnipotent Father and still be a weakling? Where did you get your weakness from? From this day, the enemy will not humiliate your destiny anymore!

For the Lord shall rise up as in mount Perazim, he shall be wroth as in the valley of Gibeon, that he may do his work, his strange work; and bring to pass his act, his strange act. Now therefore be ye not mockers, lest your bands be made strong: for

*I have heard from the Lord God of hosts a consumption, even
determined upon the whole earth.*

Isaiah 28:21-22

So there will be strange manifestations in the last days, to totally subdue the enemies of God.

Romans 8:19 tells us that the whole creature is waiting for us, because these are the days of His power. With this power breaking forth on you, you will become a recognised master anywhere you are found.

Power! Yes! There will be a very serious display of power when all the forces of the seven Spirits of God are operational in you.

You will not be stranded anymore, from now on!

Be Conscious Of The Power

The enduement of power from on high started with the baptism of the Holy Ghost (Acts 2:4).

Though I have never seen the Holy Ghost in person before, but I am, however, told how to know when He is in somebody - by speaking in tongues. The proof of His presence (tongues flowing from you) is also a proof that the powers of heaven are resident on your inside.

*But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come
upon you ...*

Acts 1:8

And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Acts 2:4

The Holy Ghost announces His arrival by giving utterance in other tongues. It is God's chosen sign for announcing the endowment of power from on high. The Holy Ghost's residence inside you is a proclamation that you are now a power carrier in the kingdom.

Everywhere the Holy Ghost came in the Acts of the apostles, the evidence was speaking in tongues.

In Acts chapter 10, while Peter was still speaking (in the house of Cornelius) the Holy Ghost fell on the people, and they spoke in tongues. The same thing also happened in Acts 19, when Paul laid hands on the people.

However, you must be conscious of the fact that you are loaded with power from on high, power from heaven! It's the same power that was at work in Peter, Paul and other great men, that resides in you, if you are baptised with the Holy Ghost. But until you become conscious of His indwelling presence, you will not be set for exploits.

...tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.

Luke 24:49

Meaning, what is resident in you is from on high. It is above every other type of power at work on the earth.

He that cometh from above is above all ...
John 3:31

It is above witches and wizards. So it's nonsense to be running around looking for who to pray for you because of one tiny witch that's pursuing you. What you carry inside is power that can tread upon serpents and scorpions, and is above all the power of the enemy (Luke 10:19)!

Every time you are challenged, speak forth in tongues, to awaken your spiritual consciousness and bring Satan under judgement.

And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment...Of judgment, because the prince of this world is judged.

John 16:8, 11

So when the Holy Spirit is in operation, Satan is judged.

Therefore, everywhere you see the devil trying to make noise, step in and shut him up in the name of Jesus. As you step in, he steps out, because the powers of heaven (the Holy Ghost Himself) is resident in you.

The earnest expectation of the creature is waiting for the manifestation of the sons of God. That is, the whole creation is groaning and travailing in pains, waiting for the sons of God to show up and bring their deliverance.

It takes power, however, to make the enemy surrender and so we can bring liberty to the whole of creation.

Say unto God, How terrible art thou in thy works! through the greatness of thy power shall thine enemies submit themselves unto thee.

Psalm 66:3

By the spirit of power, there will be a total disarming of wickedness and an establishment of the peaceful dominion of the Church.

Friends, I would like you to be thirsty for the impartation of power!

Chapter 6

The Spirit Of Wisdom

The Lord by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens.

Proverbs 3:19

And ***Psalms 104:24*** adds:

O Lord, how manifold are thy works! In wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches.

So all the exploits of the Father God is tied to the wisdom that is operational in Him. For you to be a candidate for exploits, you must be connected to that kind of wisdom, you must have access to that kind of wisdom. You must be connected!

Paul the apostle was praying in ***Ephesians 1:17:***

That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him.

So the spirit of wisdom is given by God. What will it do?

The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints, And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power.

Ephesians 1:18-19

It enlightens your understanding to know what God has in stock for you. It educates your mentality to enter into productivity.

The spirit of wisdom illuminates your mind, imparts you with creative abilities for exploits. It offers strange skills in the areas that God has placed you in.

I wisdom dwell with prudence, and find out knowledge of witty inventions.

Proverbs 8:12

There will be such strange inventions in our time! The wisdom of God will begin to burst forth in witty inventions!

There is this story of a young man, Ben Carson - he's a world figure today, a world renowned neuro surgeon. He talks about God in a way you'll enjoy. He's a black American.

Ben Carson was a class dummy when he was in High School. But his mother kept telling him, "Ben, if anybody can do anything, you can do it better."

In the film ***Gifted Hands***, I watched him perform that global exploit of separating the siamese twins that were joined together at the skull! It was a 22-hour successful operation, involving 70 surgeons! Very strange wisdom in display!

He said, "**God endows with wisdom**"

To open the brain, re-arrange it, put it back, and the person will still be thinking well! Witty inventions!

Friends, you haven't seen anything yet! Get ready!

Now listen to me, the end-time Church will gain prominence by the many-sided, complicated wisdom of God, which only the Holy Spirit teaches.

The Holy Spirit is the One that connects us to the wisdom of God, by teaching us, by opening us up to the deep things of God. He helps you out in your quest for knowledge and reveals truth to your spiritman.

The Holy Spirit can't teach you and you won't understand what He's teaching you. When He teaches you, He quickens your understanding to grasp the things He's revealing to you.

Show me a man who has been taught by the Holy Spirit, and I will show you a super, mentally sound man!

At the age of 32, Ben Carson is making waves all over the world, with broad Holy Ghost smiles!

Nobody is against you. You can't get results and not gain respect! Everyman with results automatically gains respect. Not even your colour can stop you if you have results.

Friends, there's a wisdom which the Holy Ghost teaches.

Which things also we speak, not in the words which man's wisdom teacheth, but which the Holy Ghost teacheth; comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

1 Corinthians 2:13

God is set to bring a mental revolution to you, by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. There is a spirit called the spirit of wisdom. It

is one of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, which is delivered on request. Know what you want and go make a demand for it.

You can't operate the spirit of wisdom and not be creatively productive. There's a better way to do that job than the way you're doing it presently. There's a better approach to that assignment. All you need is to call on Him, to pave a better way for you.

Solomon pleaded with God:

Give me now wisdom and knowledge, that I may go out and come in before this people: for who can judge this thy people, that is so great?

2 Chronicles 1:10

This Wisdom Produces Power

And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power: That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God. Howbeit we speak wisdom among them that are perfect: yet not the wisdom of this world, nor of the princes of this world, that come to nought: But we speak the wisdom of God in a mystery, even the hidden wisdom, which God ordained before the world unto our glory:

1 Corinthians 2:4-7

It's so interesting that the wisdom of God produces power. He said, "that your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God" — that is in the wisdom of God.

That wisdom of God produces power, it promotes people, and puts them in a position of authority.

"...Even the hidden wisdom." So this wisdom is hidden. It is the Spirit of God that makes it available to natural men. It is the hidden wisdom, accessible only by the Spirit of God. "For no one knows the things of a man except the spirit of a man that is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God." (1 Corinthians 2:11).

It Makes Stars!

No one ever gains access to the spirit of wisdom without becoming a star.

You know what ***Daniel 12:3*** says:

And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness, as the stars for ever and ever.

Now listen to me: they that be wise will turn many unto righteousness, just as ***Isaiah 60*** tells us *" the Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising."*

And "they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament", and their shining will command attention and bring attraction. That's where the spirit of wisdom places a man - "as the stars...forever and ever!"

I'm not talking about the wisdom of this world. Not intellectual wisdom, not technological or scientific wisdom. No!

I'm talking about the wisdom of God in a mystery, which only the Holy Spirit teaches (not the universities and colleges). That is the wisdom that will bring you into the limelight without sweat!

Revelation 5:10 tells us that by the blood of Jesus, we have been redeemed unto God as priests and kings and we shall reign on the earth.

So whether you are a priest in the temple or a Christian anywhere else, you are supposed to reign on the earth. You are not an entertainer, you are not among the fans, you are one of the key players.

He redeemed you to reign, and it is by wisdom that kings reign and princes decree justice (Proverbs 8:15).

That means the spirit of wisdom is the most crucial of the gifts of God in your life, otherwise you will become an abuse to redemption. You don't have a place in the end-time army without the spirit of wisdom. It is a reigning army.

So like **1 Corinthians 12:31** counsels: But covet earnestly the best gifts.

It Makes You Innovative

I wisdom dwell with prudence, and find out knowledge of witty inventions.

Proverbs 8:12

You can't have this wisdom and not be very innovative! God's wisdom is creative in nature.

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth...
Genesis 1:1

*The Lord by wisdom has founded the earth; and by
understanding hath he established the heavens.*
Proverbs 3:19

God's wisdom is creative!

When the spirit of wisdom is at work in you, you will find heaven just directing you on very mysterious frequencies, to cause you to improve continually on where you are per time. God's wisdom is the ability to form and reform; ability to create and recreate.

We are going to have waves of inventions these last days in the body of Christ! Waves of creative ingenuity. Things will just be happening! People will just be laying hold on hidden wisdom, to do outstanding exploits!

Oh gift of God, we are thirsty for you!

It Is A Gift

This wisdom is a gift, sir! And you know that the gift of a man makes room for him and brings him before great men (Proverbs 18:16).

Remember **2 Timothy 1:7** tells us that *"God has not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, of love and of a sound mind."* So, a sound mentality is a gift from God.

Paul also said in *Ephesians 1:17*, "*that God may give unto you the spirit of wisdom...*" So it's a gift. That's why there are many intellectually sound people that are spiritual dummies.

The spirit of wisdom is it! The ability to travel from the book of Revelation back to Malachi - forming equations that will bring you amazing solutions! Forming life equations that bring you into the realm of strange manifestations - comparing spiritual things with spiritual!

It is a gift, and you're entitled to it.

It Establishes Your Prominence

No one has encounter with the spirit of wisdom without making outstanding marks in life.

Look at **Joseph**: He took over government in Egypt by the spirit of wisdom.

Pharaoh said, "*For as much as God has shown you all these...*" (not that he learnt it in school or from Potiphar's house or in the prison).

...Forasmuch as God hath shewed thee all this, there is none so discreet and wise as thou art: Thou shalt be over my house, and according unto thy word shall all my people be ruled: only in the throne will I be greater than thou. And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, See, I have set thee over all the land of Egypt.

Genesis 41:39-41

The spirit of wisdom established Joseph's prominence among his enemies.

Now let's look at **Daniel**:

Talking about his wisdom, Daniel said, *"There is a God in heaven that revealeth secrets" (Daniel 2:28).*

Oh, this wisdom is a gift from God, Sir! We must appreciate the gift dimension of the spirit of wisdom, so we don't die trying to force it on ourselves.

You don't get it only by reading. Many have read the Bible through several times, yet they don't have anything that reflects eternal life! "For by strength shall no man prevail." God told Zerubbabel, "Not by might, nor by power (so you don't kill yourself trying), but by my spirit". That is, "Your vision is right, but it will take my Spirit to bring it to pass."

Luke 11:13 says:

If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children: how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?

It is a gift. This wisdom is not found among the living. You remember the story of wisdom in Job 28?

I saw something in God's Word. It says: *"God having provided some better things for us" (Hebrews 11:40).*

So we are supposed to be an improvement on every character of the Bible we read about. If Job was the greatest man in all the east, then all the greatest men in business in the world today should be in the Church.

You will not miss that better portion that God has in store for you. Whatever anybody did in the Bible that we have seen, God has ordained us to do better. And we will do better if we see better.

So let's go after it.

It's For "Clean" People

May I say this: everyone that operated in the spirit of wisdom lived clean!

Daniel lived clean. He purposed in his heart not to defile himself. The Holy Spirit will not relate with filthy men.

Joseph said, *"How can I do this great wickedness and sin against God?" (Genesis 39:9)*. Those were extraordinary examples of very productive wisdom! They were men of purity of heart.

Turn you at my reproof: behold, I will pour out my spirit unto you, I will make known my words unto you.

Proverbs 1:23

You don't gain access into His wisdom until you turn at His reproof. No filthy man will ever have access to the spirit of wisdom. So don't block your access to the throne, leave that sin before it makes a reproach of your life.

Joseph lived clean, the spirit of wisdom answered in his life. Daniel lived clean, it answered in his life. It will answer in your life too!

Acts 2:38 says:

...Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

If you clean up, God will beautify you. That's what He has said. And wisdom gives colour to life.

God is going to show you some strange things. You will take some strange steps, and have very strange but outstanding results. By your hands God will bring strange things to pass! Kings will knock at your door and ask for your wisdom, in Jesus precious name!

We are in a new age! Wisdom will differentiate the end-time Church from the natural world.

Ask For It

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

The Word of God also tells us that:

For everyone that asketh receiveth, he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened

Matthew 7:8

Friends, I spent 26 months making a demand for the spirit of wisdom before this ministry took off! My only prayer point was wisdom.

And oh, it answered from heaven! Do you know we've never had any crisis in this ministry since its inception?

On that great day of the feast says *John 7:37*, Jesus cried:

Is any man thirsty? Let him come unto me...

Let's establish a genuine thirst that will place a demand on God for a release of the spirit of wisdom upon our lives.

If it comes once, you will tell the story for a lifetime. So go and catch it!

Chapter 7

The Spirit Of Understanding

The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints.

Ephesians 1:18

There is a spirit of understanding. It is the excellent spirit that causes men to excel cheaply! It makes you become outstanding.

It is the ability to intelligibly diagnose situations, put solutions together, and be able to go on to the ultimate end of practical results! It is knowing what to do to bring situations under control.

It Makes You Stand Out!

Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid.

Matthew 5:14

You are the light of the world. That means by destiny you are a pacesetter among men. Your steps help others to know which way to go. Your results automatically mobilise and motivate others to follow.

Jesus said you're a city set on a hill, and you cannot be hidden. That means you are created to be outstanding.

Nothing is outstanding without understanding. Until you understand, you don't "outstand".

See how Daniel took over in the land of Babylon!
Understanding made for his "outstanding". He was able to disarm darkness and locate his place in God.

If Jesus said you are upon the hill, that means until you are there, you are not where He has planned for you to be. There is something you're destined to create in your lifetime, it is that spirit of understanding that stirs up creativity.

Receive it in the name of Jesus.

That business in your hand, an excellent spirit will gradually mobilize and motivate it, until it becomes "The business". It is not experience, it is the excellent spirit, and it is in you. Would you let it work?

It Is Light

There is a man in thy kingdom, in whom is the spirit of the holy gods; and in the days of thy father light and understanding and wisdom, like the wisdom of the gods, was found in him; whom the king Nebuchadnezzar thy father, the king, I say, thy father, made master of the magicians, astrologers, Chaldeans, and soothsayers;

Forasmuch as an excellent spirit, and knowledge, and understanding, interpreting of dreams, and showing of hard sentences, and dissolving of doubts, were found in the same Daniel, whom the king named Belteshazzar: now let Daniel be

called, and he will show the interpretation.
Daniel 5:11-12

The understanding that comes from God is likened to light. The problems of life are darkness. So when that light comes, darkness gives way.

Psalms 112:4 says:

Unto the upright there ariseth light in the darkness...

There's a level of understanding you walk in that every hierarchy in darkness gives way when you're coming!

Concerning Jesus, in His days, ***Luke 2:47*** stated:

And all that heard him were astonished at his understanding and answers.

Everybody has problems, but those who know the answers always come out as though they didn't write the examination - cool and unruffled! Those who have answers don't have problems!

No question about your business, career or family, will escape an outstanding answer from now on! That's what the excellent spirit is all about.

It Guarantees Outstanding Accomplishment

Then this Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm.

Daniel 6:3

You are created for exploits.

Outstanding accomplishments is what they call exploits. The spirit of understanding is what makes for outstanding accomplishments.

And in all matters of wisdom and understanding, that the king enquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers that were in all his realm.

Daniel 1:20

That level of understanding that will disarm occultic forces as if they never existed, is a product of the spirit of understanding. They (the Hebrew boys) were rated 10 times above the others!

I have even heard of thee, that the spirit of the gods is in thee, and that light and understanding and excellent wisdom is found in thee. And now the wise men, the astrologers, have been brought in before me, that they should read this writing, and make known unto me the interpretation thereof: but they could not show the interpretation of the thing: And I have heard of thee, that thou canst make interpretations...

Daniel 5:14-16

Daniel's exploits are traceable to the operation of the spirit inside him.

We are in the season and age of the Church. The spirit of excellence will be in such great manifestation, that it will announce you in very strange places where you never knew you were known!

Friends, there's a spirit called the spirit of understanding. It is the same spirit called the excellent spirit. It distinguished Daniel in the land of captivity. You are now in a free land, that same spirit will much more cheaply distinguish you, in the name of Jesus.

It Is God Who Gives It

As for these four children, God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom: and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams.

Daniel 1:17

It says, "God gave them..." So the spirit of understanding comes from God. God gave it to them, God is still giving it today.

That was the chief reason for their outstanding accomplishments in the land of Babylon. You know the gift of a man makes room for him and brings him before great men? (Proverbs 18:16)

Daniel answered and said, Blessed be the name of God for ever and ever: for wisdom and might are his: And he changeth the times and the seasons: he removeth kings, and setteth up kings: he giveth wisdom unto the wise, and knowledge to them that know understanding:

He revealeth the deep and secret things: he knoweth what is in the darkness, and the light dwelleth with him. I thank thee, and praise thee, O thou God of my fathers, who hast given me wisdom and might, and hast made known unto me now what we desired of thee: for thou hast now made known unto us the king's matter.

Daniel 2:20-23

Can you see "...God...God...God..."? That level of understanding is not possible, sir, except by the finger of God! Receive that finger of God now!

The Bible says that gift knows what is in the darkness. That's unusual insight!

Daniel knew what was in the darkness and light dwelled with him.

The king answered and said to Daniel, whose name was Belteshazzar, Art thou able to make known unto me the dream which I have seen, and the interpretation thereof? But as for me, this secret is not revealed to me for any wisdom that I have more than any living, but for their sakes that shall make known the interpretation to the king, and that thou mightest know the thoughts of thy heart.

Daniel 2: 26,30

There are two levels of understanding:

Spiritual Understanding

For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding.

Colossians 1:9

One has to do with your spiritual understanding, the other has to do with skillfulness, that is, having an understanding of what God has planned for you from the beginning.

And Moses said unto the children of Israel, See, the Lord hath called by name Bezaleel the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah; And he hath filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship.

Exodus 35:30-31

That's skill!

I'd like you to lay hold on supernatural skill in handling whatever assignment God has placed in your hands - supernatural skill, that others will be learning from.

Quick Understanding

And shall make him of quick understanding in the fear of the Lord: and he shall not judge after the sight of his eyes, neither reprove after the hearing of his ears: But with righteousness shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth: and he shall smite the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips shall he slay the wicked.

Isaiah 11:3-4

This is talking about Jesus. It's one thing to have understanding, it's another thing to have quick understanding. That is, what takes another person five years to accomplish, you pull it through in one year!

Friends, understanding is one of the most outstanding of the seven Spirits of God - because after the seven Spirits were listed in that ***Isaiah 11:3***, He now said, "*...and shall make him of quick understanding.*"

Why? It is outstanding! By it He will know what is right, no matter what He's seeing or hearing. He will know what is right, no matter what is in vogue.

That is quick understanding. It simply distinguishes people! It is understanding that guarantees the delivery of profit. It is your results that will prove the quality of the light you carry. The quality of your life is a result of the level of light available to you.

A rise in the light you carry will bring a rise in your lifestyle. Light is what results in lifts. You can carry all the titles in this world, if you don't carry light, you can't shine. Light is what is called understanding. It illuminates so as to reveal.

There's a difference between knowledge and understanding. Knowledge is discovering what exists, understanding is insight into it - that is, how to take delivery of what exists.

Everyone of God's deliveries follows this pattern.

May the spirit of understanding distinguish you in this ongoing move of God.

Chapter 8

The Spirit Of Counsel

And thine ears shall hear a word behind thee, saying, This is the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand, and when ye turn to the left.

Isaiah 30:21

There's what is called the spirit of counsel. It is the mother of guidance. It is one of the seven Spirits of the Lord. It guides your steps.

God's guidance guarantees greatness. He will prepare a table before you in the presence of your enemies, and your cup will not only be full, it will run over!

No force in heaven or earth can cancel the counsel of God.

...My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure.

Isaiah 46:10

When you lay hold on His counsel, your destiny is secured. When God says "Go!", no devil can stop you! When God says "Move!", no devil can push you down!

...The counsel of the Lord, that shall stand.

Proverbs 19:21

When God tells you which way to go, that way must prosper! Friends, we are in the days of vision. We need the operations of the spirit of counsel more than ever before.

When God leads, it makes a leader of the led. If God leads you, you'll become a leader in that path He is leading you. That is the importance of the spirit of counsel.

The spirit of counsel is the importer of visions. It gives visions to men. It says to you, "This is the way, walk ye in it." It directs your path into the realms of excellence.

Remember the former things of old: for I am God, and there is none else; I am God, and there is none like me, Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure.

Isaiah 46:9-10

So God's counsel guarantees the end. God's counsel cannot be cancelled. When located and pursued, the end is secured.

When you invoke the release of the spirit of counsel, all weariness, frustrations and regrets come to a final end — *"for (His) counsel it shall stand."*

...at the end it shall speak...

Habakkuk 2:3

That's talking about vision. That's why I equate vision and counsel as the same.

Since 1976 till date, I have not taken any major step without the sound of the spirit of counsel. That spirit will guide you from today too!

Do you want to know how Jesus made it so great?

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

He was perfectly directed, so He made perfect impact everywhere He went. That was the mystery behind the exploits in His ministry. He had the release of the spirit of counsel upon His life, and that made all the difference.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Psalms 23:1-5

When the Lord is your shepherd what happens? Your enemies are rendered helpless, by virtue of the divine presence that is sitting over your life. In the midst of economic crisis, you become an economic giant. In the midst of an epidemic you are bursting forth with great health! And in the midst of a family crisis, your home is becoming more harmonious and more peaceful, praise God!

I tell you something, His guidance is the mystery behind my stamina. That's what makes the difference.

You need the spirit of counsel to do exploits. You need that spirit of guidance, you need visions, to have manifestations.

You remember ***Proverbs 29:18?***

Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.

The spirit of counsel is the force behind visions in life. It offers guidance and direction, so that God's purpose for your life is not lost.

May I say this therefore: the end-time Church will experience the release of visions, by the outpouring of the spirit of counsel.

The appearance of them is as the appearance of horses; and as horsemen, so shall they run. Like the noise of chariots on the tops of mountains shall they leap, like the noise of a flame of fire that devoureth the stubble, as a strong people set in battle array. Before their face the people shall be much pained: all faces shall gather blackness.

They shall run like mighty men; they shall climb the wall like men of war; and they shall march every one on his ways, and they shall not break their ranks: Neither shall one thrust another; they shall walk every one in his path: and when they fall upon the sword, they shall not be wounded.

Joel 2:4-8

This end-time army will be unbeatable because they will locate their way, they will locate the path that God has ordained for them. So, it's an army of visionaries, men who have found where they belong and have staked their lives to it.

Friends, this is what happens: when God sends you, no devil can stop you, when God raises you for a particular thing, no enemy can erase you, when God lifts you up for a particular job, no devil can frustrate you! We suffer frustration because we lack direction. We don't know where we belong, that's why we don't belong anywhere!

But you belong somewhere. God said in ***Jeremiah 29:11***:

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.

God has an expectation of you. His expectation is what we call vision. That vision is the ministry of the spirit of counsel, that is the ministry of the spirit that guides you into all truth.

Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will show you things to come.

John 16:13

That is the ministry of the spirit of guidance. It guides you into the realms of exploits in life.

And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions:

Joel 2:28

His Spirit will be poured out, and the spirit of counsel will have a prominent role to play, imparting visions to men.

We are right in the golden age of the Church, we need vision to be properly positioned.

Everytime you're on course, you are free from the curses of hell. This is because God has committed Himself to whatever He has commanded (1 Thessalonians 5:24). When you obey Him, the job is done.

It's my prayer that you will locate where you belong. Any business you did and failed, it's because He didn't direct you into it.

Jesus knew what He came for, but He still enjoyed the ministry of the spirit of counsel throughout His life. That made the difference.

They went to call Him, that Lazarus was sick. But the Bible says, *"he abode two days still in the place where he was" (John 11:6)*. Then on the third day, He said, "Let us go..." That was when the spirit of counsel said "Move!" If He had moved earlier, Lazarus may not have woken up from the dead.

Friends, the spirit of counsel will always lead you to the region of exploits. How we need that spirit today!

David the king in his days would always receive counsel from God before he went forth to any battle. And every counsel from God produced results for him.

When you are guided, you are guided into greatness and prominence. Let's lay hold on the ministry of the spirit of counsel.

It Distinguishes You

There's a vision of God for your life. This is the time to catch it. There's something to add to what you are doing right now; this time will not pass before you catch it! There's what to subtract from what you are doing, this is the time to discover it!

That is the ministry of the spirit of counsel - the mother of guidance. It makes the difference in our lives.

The end-time Church is a visionary Church. Anyone who does not have a vision in it will not experience distinction. Look, you belong somewhere. You must find it now!

I will stand upon my watch, and set me upon the tower, and will watch to see what he will say unto me, and what I shall answer when I am reprov'd. And the Lord answered me, and said, Write the vision, and make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it. For the vision is yet for an appointed time, but at the end it shall speak, and not lie: though it tarry, wait for it; because it will surely come, it will not tarry.

Habakkuk 2:1-3

That is the efficacy of vision, and there's one awaiting you right now. The spirit of counsel will deliver the purpose of God for your life into your hands. You need it now!

Because of the savour of thy good ointments thy name is as ointment poured forth, therefore do the virgins love thee.

Songs Of Solomon 1:3

So God makes you to command attention with unction when you catch the spirit of counsel. You will not walk anyhow anymore!

Somebody once asked me, "How do you get results?" I answered, "I don't do anything until it is commanded."

Do you know God spoke to me about the mission to Africa in 1979? And He never gave the mandate until 1994! And see what has happened out there on the African missions between 1994 and now!

Now we have an aircraft to facilitate the job! Why? It is a product of vision and guidance! God sent us!

God is saying something to you, and you will hear very clearly this very hour! When He says, "Turn!", may you hear!

Take Instructions

Concerning Jesus, *Isaiah 50:4-5* says:

The Lord God hath given me the tongue of the learned, that I should know how to speak a word in season to him that is weary: he wakeneth morning by morning, he wakeneth mine ear to hear as the learned. The Lord God hath opened mine ear, and I was not rebellious, neither turned away back.

This is how He excelled by the spirit of counsel.

It is one thing to have visions, it is another thing to have instructions to make the vision work.

Jesus was always hearing morning by morning. Anyday you are guided, you cannot return home with regrets.

Then said Jesus unto them, When ye have lifted up the Son of man, then shall ye know that I am he, and that I do nothing of

*myself; but as my Father hath taught me, I speak these things.
And he that sent me is with me: the Father hath not left me
alone; for I do always those things that please him.*

John 8:28-29

So He was able to pick every instruction from heaven and this committed the Father's presence and made the difference in His life and ministry.

That is all we need now, sir!

We need an encounter with the spirit of counsel, giving birth to visions and revelations. That is, instructions from heaven, bringing about divine presence for exploits.

*Hear, ye deaf; and look, ye blind, that ye may see. Who is blind,
but my servant? or deaf, as my messenger that I sent? who is
blind as he that is perfect, and blind as the Lord's servant?
Seeing many things, but thou observest not; opening the ears,
but he heareth not. The Lord is well pleased for his
righteousness' sake; he will magnify the law, and make it
honourable.*

*But this is a people robbed and spoiled; they are all of them
snared in holes, and they are hid in prison houses: they are for a
prey, and none delivereth; for a spoil, and none saith, Restore.*

Isaiah 42:18-22

When you are blind and deaf, you are snared in holes, your dignity and honour are locked up somewhere.

God is saying something! The next thing He will say is greater than where you are presently.

There are businessmen and women that just one little instruction from heaven will bring them to the realm of explosion that they have been waiting for all the while. You don't have to die at that little thing! There's something more in stock, that God wants to deliver to you something amazing and very strange!

How Do You Put The Spirit Of Counsel To Work?

Constantly inquire of the Lord before you move. Look before you leap - "Spirit of God, this is what I'm thinking, what are you saying?" And the Spirit of God will respond with specific instructions and direction.

All you need is, prepare yourself. Don't let sin deafen your ears!

When the spirit of counsel is at work, you are free from regrets, you are free from failure!

This is your hour of distinction!

You Get Better Results

The spirit of counsel helps you to improve on existing results. It guides your feet, it guides your ways and offers you instructions, as we saw in Isaiah 50:5.

I command your ears to be open to the spirit of counsel, so that daily you will hear a voice saying to you: "This is the way, walk ye in it." It takes the ministry of the Holy Spirit to have meaning in the kingdom. Without the spirit of counsel, I wouldn't be in ministry today. He speaks to me daily!

I command the same grace to come upon you, in the precious name of Jesus.

Chapter 9

The Spirit of Might

For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man.

Ephesians 3:14-16

There is a spirit of might.

No vision can deliver results without strength - unique strength!
Not down today and up tomorrow. No!

Habakkuk 2:2 says:

...Write the vision...that he may RUN that readeth it.

It didn't say "that he may walk...", it says "that he may run..."
You need strength to run, don't you? God is going to deliver unusual strength to the end-time Church.

Daniel 11:32 says it is those who do know their God that shall be strong and do exploits. So you need strength to do exploits. This strength can only be delivered by the spirit of might.

Judges 15 tells us that when the Spirit came mightily upon Samson, he used the jaw bone of an ass to win a battle - he slew one thousand Philistines!

He uprooted the gate of a city (post and all), and carried it up the mountain! He was never down one day. As long as that spirit was on him, nobody had the power to handle him.

Receive the spirit of might!

Paul stayed in the deep (of the sea) one whole night! At another time, he was stoned and left for dead. But as soon as his "killers" turned their backs, he jerked back to life! The man of war stood up and continued on his mission! Very strange strength!

You need it! I see all the weaknesses in your life die now!

Every great accomplishment requires great strength to bring it to pass. Jesus taught for three days at a stretch! He was always on duty — *"about my Father's business"* — yet He never broke down. The spirit of might was heavy upon His life.

There are many things your spirit wants to do, but your flesh is weak to do them. If you look at Ephesians 3:16, you'll see that the Spirit of God strengthens our innerman for exploits.

Jesus said:

I must work the works of he that sent me...

John 9:4

You need strength to work, sir!

There's a spirit called the spirit of might. If you do that work in the flesh, you'll just die cheaply!

There's no way you can pursue heavenly vision with natural strength. No! So Paul prayed that prayer for the Ephesian

Church, that they might be strengthened with might by His Spirit in the innerman.

The Root Of Might

Let me show you the operational root of the spirit of might.

The spirit of the Lord God is upon me...To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the OIL of JOY for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, that he might be glorified.

Isaiah 61:1,3

One of the ways the Holy Spirit is described is - "the oil of joy".

The might of heaven is released upon you through avenues of joy. Show me a man that is never broken-hearted, and you have shown me a man of unique strength.

So without the oil of joy, you are not planted; you are not acknowledged, no one will know you exist. Why? The oil of joy automatically releases the spirit of might.

Look at ***Nehemiah 8:10***

...neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the Lord is your strength.

So the mystery of the spirit of might is packaged in the oil of joy.

We have another description that accounted for the unique strength in Jesus' ministry:

Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.

Psalm 45:7

There's an oil of gladness! It is the energizer of the spiritman. It turns you into another man.

I was a weakling before (down today, up tomorrow), but since that anointing came upon me, I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me (Philippians 4:13).

The oil of gladness is the secret behind the spirit of might. Jesus had more of it than anybody else. No wonder He demonstrated more strength than anyone else, because He was anointed with the oil of gladness above His fellows.

The Holy Ghost is the One who imparts joy unspeakable, that is full of glory -joy that cannot be explained in natural terms. No matter what is happening around you, you're just on top!

I see you come out of every sorrow of heart, in the name of Jesus! No matter what the situation is like, when you stick your life to the joy of the Holy Ghost, God makes some unique strength available to you, that takes you from the valley to your high places (Habakkuk 3:17-19).

Only the Holy Ghost can give you joy when things are not working. Joy unspeakable, full of glory, described by Peter in 1 Peter 1:8, is a characteristic of the kingdom of God (Romans 14:17). It is joy in the Holy Ghost.

Receive it today, in the name of Jesus! You need it.

To be down today and up tomorrow; depressed today and oppressed tomorrow, that's not the way up! Free yourself!

A merry heart doeth good like a medicine: but a broken spirit drieth the bones.

Proverbs 17:22

Most sicknesses are as a result of a broken heart. It is a broken heart that results in a broken body.

Do you know something? I have never had a sleepless night over this ministry once! I have not needed anyone to encourage me one day. No! I'm in touch with the oil of gladness. He strenghtens my innerman to do unusual exploits in life.

Listen to me, you never get broken outside until you're first broken inside. But when the innerman is strengthened, the outerman will be strong.

The spirit of a man will sustain his infirmity; but a wounded spirit who can bear?

Proverbs 18:14

When your spirit is wounded, it wants your body along. So quit those depressive thoughts! Say to the oil of gladness, "I want an encounter with you. Strengthen me with might in my innerman."

Everytime your spirit is broken, it is an attempt of the devil to break your destiny. Stop him and connect yourself to the source of your help.

Joy is the secret of true strength. It is God's myth behind inner strength. A broken spirit "drieth the bones", that is, it drains life of all energy and vitality.

In these days of exploits, you don't have a place without strength. Joel 2 gives a profile of the end-time army of exploit:

The appearance of them is as the appearance of horses; and as horsemen, so shall they run. Like the noise of chariots on the tops of mountains shall they leap, like the noise of a flame of fire that devoureth the stubble, as a strong people set in battle array. They shall run like mighty men; they shall climb the wall like men of war; and they shall march every one on his ways, and they shall not break their ranks.

Joel 2:4-5,7

These are men of unique strength! Strange, strange strength! That's a function of the oil of gladness.

Receive it today, in the name of Jesus!

Chapter 10

The Spirit Of Knowledge

But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you.

John 14:26

He will teach you ALL THINGS — how to stay healthy, how to prosper, keep the home, raise children, make progress, have success, name it. He will teach you ALL THINGS!

Light is supreme in every conflict of life.

The Holy Ghost taught me (before I was married) how to maintain a consistent and unbroken peace in my home. He also taught me how to maintain a financial flow in the covenant.

When the Holy Ghost teaches, it sticks, and it makes you tick! If a man teaches, it may not pass through, but when He teaches, the difference is clear! I don't mean verbal knowledge and intellectual exercise. I mean spiritual encounters with depth.

He taught me how to stay alive and fulfil my days, that's why I'm still alive today, inspite of all the attempts on my life.

He taught me how to stay healthy, and 28 years have passed since I was healed of tuberculosis. I'm still displaying health in the presence of my "enemies", and my health—cup "runneth over". Surely, though I pass through the valley of the shadow of

sickness, I shall fear no sickness, for what He taught me has stuck to me, and has made me great in health!

And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

John 8:32

Believe me, this is one of the fundamental truths of Christian triumph. It makes you a sweatless triumphant Christian!

He taught me how to succeed - I have never feared failure since then. So I wrote the book ***Success Buttons*** - what keys to press to succeed. Everything I do succeeds, because He taught me. You can have a definite encounter with that same Holy Spirit.

Spirit Of Revelation

That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him.

Ephesians 1:17

There is a spirit called the spirit of revelation.

That spirit will be in great operation these last days, because Daniel 11:32 says it's those who do know their God who will be strong and "they shall do exploits..."

When you encounter the revelation knowledge of God on any issue, you become a man of exploits in that area. It's not enough to read, it's not enough to hear, but to catch a revelation of what you're reading and what you are hearing. That is what makes the difference.

The Psalmist said, *"God hath spoken once; twice have I heard..." (Psalm 62:11)*. It is that second hearing that we call revelation. That is, you have read what John said, what Peter said, and this is now what God is saying, as it relates to you.

Revelation makes God's Word become personal to you - He turns the general Word into a personal word, which we charismatics call rhema.

There is a spirit of revelation, and the Church is in her season of exploits, so we need the ministry of the spirit of revelation, to join the army of exploits that God is raising.

Oh, God has spoken too many things to me that no man could have taught me. But when God teaches, it is an instruction, when you receive it, it becomes your manifestation.

But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.

1 Corinthians 2:9

Revelation is the ability to take delivery of instructions from God. Vision without instruction is equal to frustrations! Knowing where you're going is good, but knowing how to get there is important too, because you never get there just knowing where you're going. You get there knowing how to get there.

"My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge", that's what Hosea 4:6 says.

Not knowing what to do is the reason they are down and out. But the spirit of revelation cheaply commands the miraculous!

And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord.

Isaiah 11:2

The spirit of knowledge is the same one called the spirit of revelation in Ephesians 1:17.

It Unfolds Mysteries

The spirit of revelation is the unfolders of the mysteries of the kingdom of God.

And he said unto them, Unto you it is given to know the mystery of the kingdom of God: but unto them that are without, all these things are done in parables.

Mark 4:11

Every kingdom mystery you grasp makes you gain mastery in the affairs of life.

Isaiah 2:3 tells us that *"...out of Zion shall go forth the law..."* That means we will become men of authority - to say to this, "Go!" and it goes, to that, "Come!" and it comes. All by the mastery we shall gain through knowledge and understanding!

It is not enough to read, *"understandeth thou what thou readest?"* Phillip asked the Ethiopian eunuch. And he answered, *"How can I...?" (Acts 8:30).*

It is the spirit of revelation that reveals the mysteries of the kingdom. Oh, how we need that right now! So you can stop

reading for reading sake, and start reading in order to take instructions for manifestations.

It Destroys Ignorance!

Revelation is power!

You are not suffering because there is a great devil somewhere, no! You're suffering because of your great ignorance.

When the spirit of revelation takes over in your life, just one scripture will give you multiplied interpretations, until your manifestation is delivered to you! When light challenges darkness, darkness gives way.

I knew I can't be poor a long time ago! Not that God appeared to me in a dream. I saw Him in the Book (the Bible). Nobody prophesied to me. I saw it in the Book and I knew that day I saw it!

When God reveals a thing to you, you can't be confused about it. Oh, revelation! Revelation! Revelation! It is the bedrock for every revolution in the kingdom.

You know why this church has never had a crisis? I allowed the Owner to own it, as a result of what was delivered to me by the spirit of revelation. Jesus said, *"I will build my church..."* (**Matthew 16:18**). That is, "When it's My own, expect Me to build it; but if it's your own, any devil can break it. Let Me own it and let Me see the devil that will break it."

I heard that from Him, by the spirit of revelation. So I am a staff under Him. That gives me a lot of refreshing! I'm not under any form of stress at all!

The glory of the end-time Church will centre around the revelations of God made available to her. And it has started!

Paul said:

Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.

1 Corinthians 2:12

So that spirit delivers to us the things that are freely given to us of God, and how to lay hold on them.

There are things freely given to you, which you have not been able to receive, because they have not been revealed. You don't have to be sick for instance, talkless of being hospitalised. No! You don't have to be poor for instance. No! It's the ignorance of abundance that brings you into lack. No, you don't have to suffer crisis in your home! It is the ignorance of God's instruction for a peaceful home, that causes hardship and crisis.

May I say this: I took instructions on how to run the ministry, how to manage my home, how to develop an evergrowing ministry, how to grow a big church - all from the Bible!

That Book is full of instructions, sir! Those who miss the instructions therein suffer devastations and destructions! It is full of instructions! Only the Holy Ghost delivers them to people. You must take His help right now! He is willing to teach you.

Do you know the men that turned the world upside down? They were ignorant and unlearned men! They didn't go to any school! That's what is recorded in the Acts of the apostles concerning Peter, James, John and the other apostles (Acts 4:13, 17:6).

It was the wisdom of the Holy Ghost that gave them all that unusual insight they so boldly declared. Such wisdom is too high for the ordinary mind!

It's time to go to the "School of the Spirit". The spirit of revelation is it!

It Puts You In Charge

They shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain: for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.

Isaiah 11:9

So the end-time Church is going to have strong displays of authority, because of the knowledge of the Lord that is now covering the earth as the water covers the sea.

We're talking about the knowledge of God. And ***1 Corinthians 2:11*** says:

For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God.

So it takes the Spirit of God to know the things of God. An army is rising these last days, that will disturb the kingdom of

darkness, and take over power from hell. Let's get ready! It's time to connect the spirit of revelation.

It Shows You A Better Way

Until you destroy tradition, you never gain access to the truth.

There is a better way to do what you are doing that will take you beyond where you are now. When God shows you the better way, you are too sure of better results.

Revelation is unlimited!

Romans 11:33 says:

O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!

That's why Paul said, "I have laid the foundation, and another buildeth thereon. But let every man take heed how he buildeth thereupon." (1 Corinthians 3:10). So we have the power to build on where they stopped.

Now, I never saw where Paul breath into someone, but I caught something brighter than he did - that God breath into clay and it became a living being (Genesis 2:7).

Operating in this revelation, I met a woman who was suffering from AIDS, in Kampala, and I said to her, "Open your mouth!" She did, and I breath into her mouth and cursed AIDS! I told them, "Watch it, she's alive!"

Again, there was this little girl who hadn't stooled for five days and her father was in tears , because her stomach was protruding! I breath into her mouth and few minutes later, she emptied out the whole junk into the toilet!

What was it? Something penetrated the regions of darkness and shattered it!

And there was this pregnant woman who met me crying. Hospital report said her baby was breech. Now she was due and full of agitation. I asked her, "When do you want to have your baby?" She said, "I'm already due".

I told her, "Open your mouth" and I breath into her and said to her, "Go and have your baby now!" They didn't get home from church before the labour started! They had to drive into the nearest clinic, and by the time her husband came back with the baby's things, he heard the cry of their new born child!

Revelation!

That is, developing life equations from scriptures, for outstanding solutions. It is knowing what God is saying and putting them together, to punish the devil and give him a technical knockout!

Friends, revelation is power!

It Is Not For Natural Men

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.
1 Corinthians 2:14

You can be intellectually sound and yet be a spiritual dummy!
Why?

It is the Spirit of God that knows the things of God.

But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God.
1 Corinthians 2:10

And the Bible says it is when you know the truth that you will be free. So how much of the things of God the Spirit of God is bringing to you determines how free you will be.

Note also that the spirit of revelation is a gift. Paul said:

That...God...may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him.
Ephesian 1:17

So it is a gift from God, as promised by Jesus in John 14:26. It is a gift. And you need it. It will take you to places far beyond your farthest imagination.

I see an end to all the crises of your life this hour!

Search And Search...!

But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the

deep things of God.
1 Corinthians 2:9-10

What God is set to do in your life in these days we're in is beyond any human conception or imagination! But you can lay hold on it by engaging the search ministry of the Spirit of God.

No matter how great your destiny is, it is your insight that determines your height — whether you realise it or not.

Striking Insights!

The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints, And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power.

Ephesians 1:18-19

Unusual insight into the knowledge of God gets you across to the exceeding greatness of His power. Hear this: it is striking insight that gives birth to exploits.

Jesus was going to feed five thousand people, and He told His disciples: "Give ye them to eat". Then the Bible says:

And this he said to prove him: for he himself knew what he would do.

John 6:6

The operation of the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of God is what gives birth to supernatural exploits.

"He himself knew what he would do!" Striking insight gives birth to signs!

In *John 2*, Jesus' mother came to Him and said, *"They have no wine."* And Jesus said to her, *"Woman, what have I to do with thee? mine hour is not yet come."* In other words, "I haven't gotten it yet. The insight hasn't come yet."

Then Mary said to them, *"Whatever he tells you to do, do it."* And Jesus said to them, *"Fill the waterpots with water".*

Striking insight! No guess work!

You know the rest of the story in John chapter 2. I can imagine the Messiah just sitting down there, connecting the Spirit and then issuing the instruction, "Fill the waterpots with water."

Some years ago, a young man came to me and told me, "I went in to write an exam, but the paper was virtually blank! It was a blackout for me!" I said to him, "God has a pen! He that teacheth man knowledge, shall He not know? If the enemy was that stupid to bring you a blackout in the exam, your God will use His pen to fill the paper".

I also told him that the Almighty God that filleth all in all, is invisible. If He is invisible, His pen must be invisible too; and if before Him all things lay bare, then He has access to any exam paper in the world.

The face of this young man lit up and began to glow, and I said, "You have passed the exam!" And he passed the exam! Blank paper, great success!

One of our pastors, who heard me share this testimony, experienced the same blackout, as he sat to write his professional exam. According to him, he then said to God, "Lord, I can only depend on Your pen now." That was it! He came out with a great performance, that qualified him as a Chartered Accountant.

Friends, let's go for striking insights!

Until something strikes on the inside, nothing shows on the outside. Every sign comes out of a Word conception. Word conception gives birth to practical manifestation.

One of my younger brothers went off mentally in 1983. I was just coming out of some wonderful fellowship in *John chapter 1. Verse 5*, which says:

And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not.

So, I said to them, "Get him up and put him in my car. Let me see the devil that has the right to enter my car with him!"

He entered the car, and madness couldn't dare enter with him!

Striking insight!

Friends, don't be satisfied with just reading. Press until it strikes! Let every student press into the book of Daniel, there's no way you can remain a dummy. The spirit of excellence that operated in Daniel will invade your life and explode the Almightyness of God in your reasoning!

Don't be satisfied with reading, press until it strikes! Press until it strikes! And whatever He tells you to do when it strikes, do it! You will give birth to a miracle!

Step out! The veil between the outer court and the Holy of holies is broken, providing access to all and sundry, into God's divine presence.

Press and press until it strikes!

I know people are praying for me, but the one I do for myself is the one that works for me most. I organise my life, I press it - what I call computerized insights! Placing the facts the way they should be, thus compelling heaven to act. Very simple!

The spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him are requirements for exploits in the kingdom. It is the unfolding of mysteries that establishes masteries.

Quit Sin!

And he said unto them, Unto you it is given to know the mystery of the kingdom of God: but unto them that are without, all these things are done in parables:

Mark 4:11

No one who enjoys sin can ever have access into mysteries, because they are in parables unto them who are outside. They are stories.

So it is important to stay clean, so that the access remains open to you. When you settle for sin, you miss the exploits, because you have no access to what it takes. Striking insight brings you

in contact with mysteries, and mysteries will help you to gain masteries.

We are right now in the days of the manifestation of the sons of God. We are in the days of the display of power by the sons of God. So it is important for us to get connected to the source of such power.

Knowing what to do from God's Word, by the spirit of revelation, and doing it, gives birth to a miracle.

Jesus knew what He would do (to feed the five thousand) and the Bible says, *"So is everyone that is born of the Spirit..." (John 3:8).*

Look at this woman's testimony:

"This my daughter has had two lumps beside her ears and at the neck since she was two years old (she's going to be five years now). This evening, when the Bishop told us that our hands are miracle hands, I ran upstairs to where the children are. The Spirit of God told me to go there and lay my hands on the lump and curse it. Satan said, 'Don't go. You can do that when you get home.' But I said, 'No, the Bishop said if it is faith, faith says "Do it now."' So I ran upstairs immediately. When I got to my daughter, I laid my hands on the lumps and prayed and immediately, the lumps disappeared!"

Striking insight, by the spirit of revelation!

Chapter 11

The Spirit Of The Fear Of The Lord

And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the FEAR OF THE LORD.

Isaiah 11:2

There is something, which gives birth to unprecedented exploits. It is called the fear of the Lord.

For instance, Joseph, a man discreet and wise, who through his wisdom saved Egypt in the time of famine, said concerning himself:

...For I fear God.

Genesis 42:18

Job too, a man described as the greatest of all men of the East, was acknowledged by Satan as possessing one outstanding quality - the fear of the Lord!

Doth Job fear God for nought?

Job 1:9

Looking at the seven Spirits of God listed in Isaiah 11:2, we observe that the root of this latter rain is the fear of the Lord. It is at the bottom rung of the ladder, and just as every ladder is climbed from the bottom, you climb into the fullness of the seven Spirits from the spirit of the fear of the Lord.

The spirit of the fear of the Lord is what gives birth to the spirit of knowledge.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge...

Proverbs 1:7

Knowledge then brings you into might, which is inner strength.

...A man of knowledge increaseth strength.

Proverbs 24:5

And from might you graduate to counsel.

... My strength is made perfect in weakness.

...I will come to visions and revelations of the Lord.

1 Corinthians 12:9, 1

From counsel to understanding, then to wisdom, which culminates in manifestation of power.

It Gives You Your Place...

Please understand this: the world will not fear you until your fear of God is in place. Satan will not fear you until your fear of God is established. Sickness will not fear you until your fear of God is in place. Neither will failure fear you, until your fear of God is intact.

So, it is your fear of God that gives you your place on the earth.

And unto man he said, Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom...

Job 28:28

And see what wisdom does, in ***Job 28: 9-11:***

He putteth forth his hand upon the rock; he overturneth the mountains by the roots. He cutteth out rivers among the rocks; and his eye seeth every precious thing. He bindeth the floods from overflowing; and the thing that is hid bringeth he forth to light.

When the fear of the Lord is at work in you, you will overturn the mountains by the roots. That is, you will convert obstacles to miracles.

You will cut out rivers among the rocks. That is, you will flourish, in spite of the hardship on the earth. You will also be able to stop every form of wickedness.

Destruction and death will fear you (verse 22).

Why? When the fear of the Lord is in place, God's presence is guaranteed. The mountains can't stop you, oppositions can't arrest you, neither can death handle you!

When God sent prophet Isaiah with a death sentence on Hezekiah, Hezekiah went to God, saying:

I beseech thee, O Lord, remember now how I have walked before thee in truth and with a perfect heart, and have done that which is good in thy sight...

2 Kings 20:3

Because sin was not in his heart, death could not handle him.

Friends, no devil can curse whom God has not cursed! If your walk with God is right, everything about your life will go right.

Let me ask you: which one is better, to miss God or to miss a friend? I would rather miss any friend than miss God. That job that wants to destroy your destiny, you better be careful! Whether professional lie, technical lie or personal lie, lying is lying!

Listen to me: you can't afford to miss this wave. If you do, you will regret eternally!

Proverbs 13:13 says:

Whoso despiseth the word shall be destroyed: but he that feareth the commandment shall be rewarded.

If you despise the Word, you open up your life to destruction, and it's a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the Living God!

You Will Enjoy Divine Presence

The thrice Holy God will demand holiness. If you don't let Him have it, neither will you have Him! God's holiness demands our holiness for us to enjoy His presence. We can't have His presence until we give Him what it takes.

We're talking about divine flow. If you have it, you will overturn your mountains by the root, stop the floods from overflowing (as we see in Job 28).

It's not intellectual prowess, no! It is being possessed with the fear of the Lord. I'd like you to understand that nothing is more valuable than divine presence in your Christian adventure. That is your greatest asset. And the fear of the Lord is the price to pay for it.

When you are possessed with the fear of the Lord, you will enjoy divine presence without struggles.

You can't afford to miss God's presence! It's your greatest asset for living. Without it, your place on earth will be lost, and your hope of getting to heaven will be uncertain. But you can't have God's presence until you give Him what it takes.

The fear of the Lord is it, sir!

And who is he that will harm you, if ye be followers of that which is good?

1 Peter 3:13

Because ***Romans 8:31*** says:

...If God be for us, who can be against us?

Friends, we are going to punish the devil, as we possess the fear of the Lord! Until you fear God, evil won't fear you. But when you walk in the fear of the Lord, every devil in hell will fear you.

That evil spirit said to the sons of Sceva, "*Jesus I know, and Paul I know...*" (***Acts 19:15***). That list is getting longer, as sons of God are beginning to walk in the fear of the Lord. God will add your name to that list! Satan will list you among the people he fears!

You need a fresh unction of the spirit of the fear of the Lord upon your life.

It's The Spirit Of Holiness

The spirit of the fear of the Lord is what Apostle Paul refers to as the "spirit of holiness" in Romans 1:3-4:

Concerning his Son Jesus Christ our Lord, which was made of the seed of David according to the flesh; And declared to be the Son of God with power, according to the spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead.

Jesus was declared to be the Son of God with power because the spirit of holiness was at work in Him. He was tempted at all points, yet was without sin, so He qualified to be anointed without measure.

Jesus knew no sin, no wonder He knew no defeat. He was in touch with heaven. As He walked in purity, the Father always responded to Him. In fact, Jesus was dedicated to doing the things that pleased God.

And he that sent me is with me: the Father hath not left me alone; for I do always those things that please him.

John 8:29

Not just preaching those things, but actually doing them!

God's eyes are too pure than to behold evil. He is angry at the wicked everyday (Psalm 7:11). How could Jesus have walked with God if He were in sin? God is the thrice Holy God, so for Jesus to walk with Him, He too had to maintain a holy life. That's why Jesus said:

I do always the things that please him.

But when Jesus carried the sins of the world, the Father forsook Him! How much more when you carry your own sins. But when holiness is in place, the Father becomes proud of His Son and declares:

This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.
Matthew 3:17

If God is holy, you can't walk with Him except you are holy.

Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? or who shall stand in his holy place? He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity, nor sworn deceitfully.
Psalms 24:3,4

When you walk with God, you have a guarantee of automatic exploits. His presence commands exploits - the sea gives way to Him and Jordan is driven back for Him; the mountains skip like rams before Him (Psalm 114). But sin repels God's presence. So, when sin disappears, His presence is made manifest and exploits are inevitable.

The barrier between man and the flow of the spirit of the fear of the Lord is sin. Until the sin barrier is broken down, man's separation from God remains.

When you become free from sin, you become a friend of God and you have access to all things that the Father has shown Jesus. When this happens, friends, you begin to operate at the level Jesus operated in, you begin to do the type of exploits Jesus did, and even greater.

*Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.
Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not
what his Lord doeth; but I have called you friends; for all things
that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you.*

John 15:14,15

Become a friend of God. Leave sin alone, despise and humiliate it. Tell yourself, I am now a friend of Jesus.

Malachi, a prophet of restoration, told the people:

*Look, Israel, you don't have to suffer the way you're suffering.
This is the Word of the Lord: the fear of God is no longer in
your hearts, that's why your offerings are polluted in the sight of
the Lord. That's why those who are outside the Church look
better than you! (Malachi 1:6-12, paraphrased)*

And God said:

*I will send you a messenger of the covenant, who will purify you
as silver and purge you as gold; then your offerings will be
acceptable unto God.*

Malachi 3:1-5 (paraphrased)

What is the effect of this?

*And all nations shall call you blessed: for ye shall be a
delightful land, saith the Lord of hosts.*

Malachi 3:12

Meaning, your profiting shall appear to all when you are purged of all filthiness of spirit and body.

That is why God is now purging the Church of every spot, wrinkle and such thing. He wants to present to Himself a glorious Church. Until those wrinkles are ironed out, the glory of the Church will not emerge.

You know, when your dress is clean but wrinkled you still cannot wear it, or you will be regarded as indecent or even off-balance mentally. What you do is you settle down with a hot iron to smoothen the wrinkles, then the beauty of the dress emerges.

Jesus came to baptise you with the Holy Ghost and with fire (Matthew 3:11,12). The Holy Ghost is the spiritual iron God will use to iron out the wrinkles in the body of Christ. He is the Spirit of holiness.

The Holy Spirit is the Messenger of the Covenant (Malachi 3:1). He will purge the Church of spots. He is like the refiner's fire and like fuller's soap. (The Living Bible translates fuller's soap as bleach. And you know what bleach does to stains on white clothes, don't you? It erases the stains.) The Spirit of holiness will purge you of every filth.

Stainless Saints

God is raising an army of stainless saints, not an army of church-goers.

This generation of saints will be the envy of the world, by virtue of their glory, honour and dignity. But the price to pay is
HOLINESS UNTO THE LORD!

A young lady (a student of University of Ibadan) shared this challenging testimony:

"When there was no knowledge, I thank God, who through the Bishop imparted knowledge to me. I was living with a man, who proposed marriage to me. But one Sunday morning, I was here and the Bishop said, 'If you're living with a man ...' In fact, fear gripped me where I was sitting. I said, 'That's me!.' That same day, I went and packed all my things from the man's house and left.

While returning back to school, I collected one of the Bishop's message tapes from a friend and was listening to it one early morning in my room. The tape was titled Purifying Fire! That morning, I slotted it in and was listening to it. My room mates were sleeping, but I didn't know when they woke up and joined me in listening to the tape. I was crying, saying, 'God, You just have to clear everything today,' My room mates were also crying on their beds, saying, 'So the devil had been toying with our lives all these days?'

Since that day, we've all been living in peace and harmony. Anger is gone and all things associated with the devil. I praise the name of the Lord!"

Your glory will not manifest until the wrinkles go off! Say an eternal 'No!' to sin, so everything you desire will begin to come down for you before you ever ask for them!

The day of His jewels has come! God is making up His jewels before the coming of the Lord. Everything needed to make things happen (like wealth) are being deposited in the Church

right now. But God is a righteous God. Except you receive a baptism of righteousness, you will have no access to your inheritance.

A great day is ahead of the Church, sir! You cannot afford to miss your place in it. Enough of sin. It's a destroyer of destiny! God is about to visit the holy among His people so:

...Come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, And I will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.

2 Corinthians 6:17,18

The whole world is waiting for the manifestation of the sons of God.

Carnal Christians are babies, not sons, and so cannot salvage the world from its calamities. The world is groaning, waiting for solution carriers. May you be worthy to be part of that army!

Until You Are Convicted...

And when he the spirit of truth (the Holy Spirit) is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment.

John 16:8

The Spirit of God begins His work by convicting the world of sin.

For you to be a part of this current move of the Spirit, you must receive His ministry of conviction first. Until you are convicted of sin, you cannot walk in righteousness.

Conviction brings a man to confession, and confession is what leads to a restoration of the relationship between man and God. When that restoration is maintained, it is called righteousness. Righteousness then releases you to manifest power.

But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.

1 Peter 2:9

Every one that yields himself a vessel unto honour will be among the manifestors this end-time. They will destroy the works of darkness in the land. They will punish the devil!

Jesus was manifested to be the Son of God on the ticket of holiness (Romans 1:4). He was highly exalted on the ground of purity. Look at **Psalm 45:7**:

Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever: the sceptre of thy kingdom is a right sceptre. Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows.

If you must perform as He did therefore, you must have the same composition He had. He loved righteousness, you must love righteousness. He hated wickedness, you must abhor it; then and only then will your own throne be established and your desired promotion come to pass. You will not miss your place!

You Are Superior!

The devil operates by spirits. He has by him, the spirit of fear, adultery, fornication, lying spirits, etc. In actual fact, the whole world lies in a magnetic field of wickedness (1 John 5:19).

Satan, using his demonic spirits, carries out wicked acts by remote control. Disease, uncleanness and all manner of shameful habits originate from the negative side of the supernatural world. A satanic influence is almost always behind shameful acts like theft, adultery, cheating, etc.

However, by His death and resurrection, Jesus brought an eternal defeat to Satan. He was stripped of all power and only has deception and tricks.

All who believe in Jesus and are conscious of this fact, cannot be trapped by the evil spirits behind sinful acts. You now belong to the superior side of the supernatural. You are an overcomer by new birth.

For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.

1 John 5:4

If you are born again, you have access to a superior Helper, for it is impossible to be truly liberated from sin without the help of the Spirit of God.

...and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.

2 Corinthians 3:17

By the help of the Holy Spirit, you subdue all other impure spirits. The rod of the Holy Spirit is superior to the rod of impure spirits. When you are filled with the Holy Spirit, He

cheaply "swallows up" the rod of the impure spirits afflicting you.

Are you tormented by impure thoughts? Are you fighting sinful habits? Engage the help of the Spirit of Holiness. Remember, *"by strength shall no man prevail" (1 Samuel 2:9).*

When the enemy comes like a flood (Isaiah 59:19), bringing temptations of diverse sorts to stop you from manifesting your sonship, let the rivers of living water flow out of your belly (John 7:38) and consume the flood of evil. Burst out in tongues (Jude : 20)!

The Holy Ghost in you has a fan in His Hand, with which He will thoroughly purge the floor of your being, gathering that which is good together, charging it to perform better. But that which is impure (the chaff), He will burn with unquenchable fire (Matthew 3:12).

Chapter 12

The Love Dimension

In addition to the seven spirits of God working mightily in these last days, to bring the Church to it's prophetic, colourful stature, I would like to point out the place of one other important force by which the Holy Spirit will be distinguishing us these last days. It is an attribute of the spirit of the fear of the Lord.

In **John 14:21** we read:

He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

Now let's look at the love dimension of the spirit of the fear of the Lord.

Paul said:

For God hath not given us the SPIRIT of fear; but of power, and OF LOVE, and of a sound mind.
2 Timothy 1:7

There is a spirit of love.

In **1 John 2:15-17**, God spoke very strongly:

Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the

world. And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

We read in Ephesians 4:4-6 that there is one God, one spirit, one baptism and one faith. So if you have the Holy Spirit, you have the spirit of power, the spirit of love and the spirit of a sound mind.

Romans 5:5 says: *"...The love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us."*

So the Holy Ghost infuses the love of God into our being.

The Holy Ghost spoke to me saying, "The only way to be free from the spirit of the world, is to be possessed with the spirit of love." The love of God is what eradicates the love of the world. So the spirit of the world cannot hold you captive, when the love of God is resident inside you.

There is a spirit of love. It is that spirit that gets you addicted to God. That is what makes you a man after God's own heart.

I noted in my Bible: "My soul, keep blowing hotter and hotter, until you're face to face with the master. I shall keep blowing hot, no matter what others are blowing!"

You need to pray, "Lord, possess me with Your spirit of love. Get me addicted to You the remaining days of my life. Keep me on key with You, so I can be free from the spirit of the world."

When you are possessed with the spirit of love, every other thing in the world loses value naturally, yet you keep increasing in

value! You cannot be addicted to God and not be added to. It's not possible.

I want you to ask to be possessed by the spirit of love. There is a spirit of love. It gets you addicted to God. It begins with affection, goes on to devotion and then matures into addiction.

I am one of very many "God-addicts" on the earth today. I'm addicted! I celebrate Jesus as my focus and my reason for living!

Friends, with the spirit of love, you will gain command over the things that want to compete with God in your life.

He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

John 14:21

So with the spirit of love, you will never miss your manifestation in life - you'll win at home, at work, on the street, anywhere!

It Destroys Selfishness

But a certain man named Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, And kept back part of the price, his wife also being privy to it, and brought a certain part, and laid it, at the apostles' feet. But Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land?

Acts 5:1-3

Ananias and his wife Sapphira died! Selfishness killed them! They probably gave to impress, to be acknowledged, to be known or for fame. Whatever be the case, it must definitely be some form of carnality. And the Bible says:

And great fear came upon all the church, and upon as many as heard these things.

Acts 5:11

The spirit of love is the only way to destroy selfishness!

And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul: neither said any of them that ought of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.

Neither was there any among them that lacked: for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices of the things that were sold, And laid them down at the apostles' feet: and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.

Acts 4:32,34-35

After the Holy Spirit came, the New Testament Church was baptised with the spirit of love. So addicted were they, that no one said that anything he had was his own. Those who had possessions sold them! Everything lost value to them! God became the centre of their lives. And the Church flourished!

Verse 33 says:

And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus: and great grace was upon them all.

Much more:

And by the hands of the apostles were many signs and wonders wrought among the people; (and they were all with one accord in Solomon's porch.

And of the rest durst no man join himself to them: but the people magnified them. And believers were the more added to the Lord, multitudes both of men and women.)

Acts 5:12-14

You will flourish!

When you are possessed with the spirit of love, you will stay above board; the things of this world will be unable to distract you anymore. You just keep winning on every side. As you are possessed with His love, He makes you a possessor on the earth. No one is possessed of God and does not possess the earth.

Love never dies! David loved God. God described him as a man after His heart. Now, in Jerusalem, they celebrated the 3,000th year that David declared Jerusalem the city David.

You mean after 3,000 years, they have not forgotten the man?
Yes! Because love never dies!

You will possess your own inheritance on this earth!

The lust of the eyes, the lust of the flesh and the pride of life, can't be found where the spirit of love is reigning! You know how it is that any man addicted to drugs doesn't need money to remain addicted? The addiction simply drives him! He will give his shoes, clothes - for any amount, just to get money for the drugs! He's addicted!

When you are addicted to God that same way, you are through, sir! The spirit of love is what takes you there.

I see that spirit come on you this moment!

John said:

And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him.

1 John 4:16

That ends all struggles!

I said to God, "Even if You stop answering prayers, You will still be my God. What You cannot give, may I never have! What You have not given, You don't reckon with as my need, so I won't go through the corner to get it!

"You are always right my God. You are never to be blamed. You know the end from the beginning. As long as I walk in love, all things work together for my good".

Friends, when you love Him, your struggles end! When you enter the love realm, you step out of your struggles. Oh, I just love Him! I can't help it. So the heavens over me just remain open all day long! I can't feel any dryness anywhere. Over the years, neither my family nor my children have needed any prayers! Listen to me, it doesn't take time, it takes truth!

If you look at ***John 14:21***, it says: "*Whoso keepeth this saying of mine, he it is that loves me and he that loves me will be loved of my Father.*"

You know when the Father loves you, your case is settled. God so loved the world, He gave His only begotten Son. If the thing that will keep you fresh is the only thing left in heaven, God will still give it to you. God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son. And Jesus says, "when you love me, my Father will love you."

So your loving Him keeps your heaven open, and the best from heaven becomes your portion.

But because of the selfish nature of man, God has decided to send us help that will deliver us from self, and that is the person of the Holy Spirit. Every revival gets men addicted to God. The anointing destroys self and then establishes a new relationship between you and God.

That's why in a revival, everybody is rushing, rushing to be with the Lord, rushing to be in the church, rushing to be part of what God is doing. Why? Because the self in us is being dealt with, so that the God in us can be enthroned.

You need that help today, because when you succeed in walking in that kind of love, your heaven will stay open. The love of God cheaply delivers from the corruptions of life. The love of God keeps you on forever. Your heaven stays open forever.

There is a spirit of love that delivers you from self and betrothes you to God. It connects you to God and makes you and God inseparable. When that is in place, every work of the flesh that stands between you and God is destroyed.

Love Quenches The Devil!

David was a man after God's own heart. He was hot for God throughout his life. You remember how he ascended the throne? Somebody was defiling the army of God, and David said, "No! Who is this uncircumcised Philistine? I would rather die than watch him continue."

Love drove him to Goliath, love brought him the victory! Because love is greater than faith. For there are three forces we are told, faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love (1 Corinthians 13:13)!

If by taking the shield of faith you can quench all the fiery darts of the devil, then by walking in love, you quench the devil himself!

Why?

God's Word says in **1 John 4:16:**

And we have known and believed ...(that) he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him.

That means the love of God makes you become a partaker of God. The nature of God begins to flow inside you and Satan can't handle that!

When Jesus came here, demon's were screaming. Why? God was too much inside Him! In fact, He said, *"He that has seen me, has seen the Father"*. And the demons screamed, "Have you come to destroy us before the time?"

1 John 4:17 tells us:

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.

So when our love is perfected, we bodily represent His personality, giving no room for the devil. That was the realm Jesus was in. And as He is, so are we now in this world.

When our love is perfected, we now fully partake of His divine nature and that makes it easy for us to exercise dominion on the earth.

Oh, Lord, rain your rain of love upon my heart, anoint me afresh with the spirit of love! I want my heaven to stay open, so Lord anoint me with the spirit of love. I want to stay addicted to you and to your kingdom upon the earth.

Christianity that does not cost you anything won't profit you anything! No! Love is always on the giving side.

The Giving Love

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16

God so loved the world, He gave, and gave, and gave! And He's still giving and giving till now.

We respond to His love by giving and giving, to show that we know what love really means. I'd like you to receive the giving grace. It will give you your place in this wave of glory.

I'm talking about tension-free giving, that makes things go out of you to Him with pleasure, not with stress.

You need that now!

Let's look at **1 John 3:17:**

But whoso hath this world's good, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?

The love of God is active. It is a giving love.

God said:

My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth.

1 John 3:18

God's love is action love. It is a giving love. So, it is not the love of God if it is not a giving love. How relaxed and refreshed you are in giving is a function of how much of that unction is on your life. Not giving as a duty. No! It is the giving love that makes you cheerful in giving.

The heaven over you is closed when you are not investing in God's kingdom.

Therefore the heaven over you is stayed from dew, and the earth is stayed from her fruit.

Haggai 1:10

Do you want to keep your heaven open for continual showers of blessings in these last days? Demonstrate the love of God in

your giving from the depth of your heart. It is not a man-made theology, it is not a man-made commandment, it is to keep your heaven open.

David's love for God was so demonstrated in his giving life, you can't mistake it. It was there in his worship life too. He was delighted in God both in his giving and his worship!

He said in *1 Chronicles 29:2*:

Now, I have prepared with all my might for the house of my God...

Why? Because of love. Look at **verse 3**:

Moreover, because I have set my affection to the house of my God, I have of mine own proper good, of gold and silver, which I have given to the house of my God, over and above all that I have prepared for the holy house.

It is that affection that developed to devotion, and that devotion developed into addiction.

David began demonstrating that love from his childhood - he couldn't stand God being humiliated, he couldn't stand God's army being defiled. He was always on God's side. Even when he had the chance to kill Saul (who was after his life), he couldn't do it. How would God see it if he killed his master? No! The fear of God won't let him do it.

Come on, say, "Help me Lord!"

So when you look at this man David, all you can see is great devotion around him. You could see great, great addiction in all his actions!

"I have prepared with all my might for the house of my God..."

How many can talk like that today? Many are with all their might in the church, but just for what they can get.

Friends, when God's kingdom does not move you, neither will your needs move God! When your delight is not in God, God's delight cannot be in you.

We are in a revival race! What a revival does is to bring you back to God from your wandering positions. It's time to return home! Let me say this, it will help you: God has planned heavy-weight material blessings for the last days Church, because of what programme He has for the Church.

Cry yet, saying, Thus saith the Lord of hosts; My cities through prosperity shall yet be spread abroad; and the Lord shall yet comfort Zion, and shall yet choose Jerusalem.

Zechariah 1:17

God has programmed to reach the world with the Gospel. That programme is not for giving new houses, new cars, new clothes, to you, or giving you a political position, as it were. It is to reach the world with the Gospel - *"the power of God unto salvation to them that believe"* (***Romans 1:16***).

So, only those who have that programme in their heart will take delivery of their portion in the end-time outpouring of blessings, because the last days Church (more than any Church in history)

has the God-given responsibility to reach the entire world with the gospel .

Jesus said:

And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.

Matthew 24:14

That's why He said in ***Haggai 2:9:***

The glory of this latter house shall be greater than of the former...

He said, "The silver is mine, and the gold is mine", to make it happen.

So, if you don't carry God's kingdom in your heart with genuine delight, you won't take delivery of your portion in the glory He's talking about.

The last days Church will be so supernaturally blessed, supernaturally lifted, supernaturally prosperous! But only those who carry God's kingdom in their hearts will take their portions in it.

I want to keep my heaven open, so I will keep my love burning for Him! As long as your love is burning for Him, your heaven will stay open. I pray God to open your understanding. They don't pray into plenty, they walk into it; it's a covenant walk! I'm sold out to God! I'm just connected to where it is coming from!

It's not luck, it's light! May this light open your heaven permanently!

This is the hour of blessings for the body of Christ! Revival is sparking off in various nations of the earth now! So there's a world-wide awakening, that will culminate in the coming of the Lord. Things are happening! Things are spreading!

It is not the blessing, it is the love that commands the blessings we're after. It is not the crave for blessing that brings it, it is the crave for God that brings the blessing.

Psalm 34:10 tells us:

The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.

If that love is in your heart, it will cause you to keep craving for Him. So it is not guesswork! It is not that somebody is lucky or fortunate; or that somebody knows somebody or that somebody has something. No!

Friends, it's a mystery! That same mystery is available to all. It keeps your heaven open, to ensure that when it's time to eat, you won't look for what to eat.

I have never prayed for food, no! I can't be tempted to borrow! What He has not brought is not needed yet! When it is needed, He will bring it. He said He will supply my needs, not my wants (Philippians 4:19). What I want may not be right, what I need is much more important to Him.

May you find your total delight in God, from now! The love of God makes it real. There are great days ahead, you won't miss it! Even though the earth is burning like an oven, God will distinguish you!

Stop thirsting for money! It's not the way of God. No! Keep thirsting to live a life that pleases Him! Keep thirsting to fire up His love in your heart. You will go places, sir!

If you're a child of God, and you belong to the covenant, your money will come from the windows of heaven. *Malachi 3:10* says:

Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.

So, money is not in America, it's not in Europe, it's not in Italy, or wherever. It's in the covenant!

I'm addicted to God! That's why God keeps adding to me. I'm addicted to God! Anything about God just turns me on! So God too is committed and addicted to me! Oh yes! When anything concerns me, He just rises up to it.

Friends, this thing is no guess work! Let the love of God burn in your soul. Let Him become the delight of your life. It's no guess work!

Look at *Haggai 1:8*:

*Go up to the mountain, and bring wood, and build the house;
and I will take pleasure in it, and I will be glorified, saith the
Lord.*

Verse 11:

*And I called for a drought upon the land, and upon the
mountains, and upon the corn, and upon the new wine, and upon
the oil, and upon that which the ground bringeth forth, and upon
men, and upon cattle, and upon all the labour of the hands.*

God is saying, "If you won't mind My house, I won't mind you either. So the heaven over you is stayed." Which means, as long as you keep minding Him, the heaven over you stays open.

You won't suffer dryness anymore in your life!

I'd like you to be fired-up in your spirit. It's the dawn of a new day. Let nobody give tithe "carefully"; give it delightfully, delightfully and excitedly. Don't give an offering as a duty (God is not a burden), give it as a delight, and you will win His delight. And when you win God's delight, you become delightful in the land.

The intensity of your love for Him determines the degree of accomplishments you will have.

Love Ends All Struggles

Man was stripped of the love nature when man fell in the garden of Eden. So it takes a supernatural help for man to get back to that realm. The love of God is made easy and made possible by the help of the Holy Spirit.

Every struggle settles at love. When the love of God is in place, your struggles in life come to an end. There's a place in God where the heavens remain open. That's where God is taking us to.

So the Holy Spirit is given to us, to destroy the self in us and enthrone the God, who wants to possess us. And when God is enthroned in our hearts, our heavens remain open.

There is a spirit called the spirit of love. That is what gets you addicted to God.

Showers of blessings respond to the intensity of the love of God in our hearts. And that same love destroys the barrier that stands between you and the showers.

The number one mystery of the spirit of love is that it removes the barrier between you and God. It removes the barrier that won't let the rain fall for you.

The rain of blessings will never fall until sin goes. And sin is largely controlled by the spirit of the world. But when the love of God is inside you, you are delivered from the love of the world, and when you're delivered from the love of the world, you now have an open access to your rainfall, which brings an end to all your struggles in life!

Things work for you only to the level of your love for God. Every struggle comes to an end in the face of love.

Too many are in church for the wrong thing, and it shows later. When your bowels are shut to God and to others, there's no evidence that the love of God is in you (1 John 3:16-18).

God expects us to love Him more than we love ourselves (Matthew 22:37). The larger your heart for God, the greater the mark you make on the earth.

In a revival, people lose self and gain God. It is the intensity of your love for God that determines your placement on the earth. God is preparing us to be treasures on the earth. Anything that takes the place of God in your life will make you lose your place.

Only the spirit of love can make you give God His place in your life. Whatever step you take that won't let you give God His place is only motivated by the devil.

Hear me again: it is your walk with God that determines your level of blessings. If your heart is not in God, His hand will not be on your life. It is your love-consumed heart that moves His hand to come upon you.

God is ready to bless and prosper the last days Church. God is going to deliver plenty of gold and silver to the Church. Only love can give you your place in it.

Chapter 13

Now, Over To You!

We are in the days of the fullness of the inheritance of the saints.

God wants to bring His people to the realm of enlightenment, deliver heavenly gifts to His people, make them partakers of the Holy Ghost and give them the manna in the golden pot.

God wants to make His people display the powers of the world to come. And you know the Bible says:

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.

Psalms 110:3

The day of His power will precede the day of His coming. That means the powers of the world to come will be on display before Jesus arrives. You will not miss your portion in it!

It's time for us to leave the elementary principles of Christ, and go on to perfection.

Therefore leaving the principles of the doctrine of Christ, let us go on unto perfection; not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God, Of the doctrine of baptisms, and of laying on of hands, and of resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment. And this will we do, if God permit. For it is impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted of the heavenly gift, and were

*made partakers of the Holy Ghost,
Hebrews 6:1-4*

Let us seek enlightenment and desire heavenly gifts. Let us desire to become partakers of the Holy Ghost.

The seven Spirits of God will distinguish you among men. The forces that distinguished Jesus will distinguish you too on the earth.

Let us desire the good Word of the Lord, and the impartation of the powers of the world to come. That's where God is taking the Church to. I see you stepping into your own position now, in Jesus precious name.

There's a move on! Whether you're part of it or not, God's move cannot be stagnated by man's indifference. No! Man is too small to block the way of God. God's plan cannot depend on man. You can't stop divine programme, you can only miss your part in it.

Let me say this: the blessings coming on the Church these last days will be such that many who are out of it may commit suicide!

God is about to take the veil off the eyes of men, so the beauty of the Church can be unveiled for the world to see.

We're talking about conformity to the very image of Christ. We're talking about growing in authority and character! We're talking about walking into the manhood of Christ, not church doctrines!

There's nothing about you but Jesus. Let's position ourselves for genuine encounters with God. Introduce order to your mentality! Maintain a personal decision for consecration and sanctity.

Let's drop all that carnal nature carried over from Egypt! Don't let any devil introduce disorder into your mentality.

We're right in the centre of the centre of divine plan! It is a move, not an event! If you let God leave you behind, Satan will torment you! It's a very strong move going on! Something is happening! We must not lose our sense of adventure.

You must not be killed by activity! You must be thirsty for spiritual productivity.

No one can stop the move of God. All you can do is get into it. It's time to press (Luke 16:16), otherwise you'll be oppressed. If you don't press, you will be oppressed. If you don't press, you don't get the prize (Philippians 3:14). Make a personal decision for a spiritual advancement. Press with all vigour! Keep fanning the fire!

Let every carnal nature go, so God can dominate you. Then will you dominate your world. Deal with all oppositions, to press your way through to the peak of this move. If you miss the peak you will end up in a pit!

God wants to do a strange thing in your life. Please let Him. When heaven commends you, the earth will respect you. Except your eyes are open, your enemy will take advantage of your blindness. If you can't see what God is doing now, you'll be lost in the sea!

It's a new day! We're in a revival! If you don't know that times have changed, the enemy will take advantage of you. God will be dealing with people on an individual basis. So, awake thou that sleepest (Ephesians 5:14)!

This is our time! It's our turn! We have no choice but to take our positions in Christ.

God is eager to pour His water, so let's get thirsty! God is kindling His fire everywhere! You better position yourself to receive it. Let's stop looking out for devils! Let's secure our place in God, and the devil will be taken care of.

Let's get back home! There shall be rest that no devil can take from us.

Friends, Church has become relationship with God! No more religion! We're going to torment the devil by our qualitative walk with God! It's time to plunge into God, and all the demands of the kingdom, so we can disarm the devil.

Oh, there's a strong wave all over the world today! Revival is not coming, it has come! This revival is to establish our dominion. There's going to be a sudden emergence of great giants!

God's best is about to be released upon the Church. You cannot afford to miss it! God is on the move! You need to move, to catch the wave.

But remember God said:

Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit...
Zechariah 4:6

When we depend on the Holy Spirit we are safe, our destiny is secured. You need the help of the Holy Spirit if you must stay on in this wave.

Don't let the devil make you miss your place in this move. You need a total dependence on the Holy Spirit. You have to be determined and very sensitive! You mustn't miss your place in this wave. It is the most colourful wave in the history of Christianity.

Let go of anything, but don't let go of this wave. Because everyone that is in the centre of it now will come forth in flying colours tomorrow.

Listen to me: this outpouring of the Spirit is going to culminate in a deluge of blessings upon the Church, a mental, psychological and intellectual awakening, bringing about creativity cum productivity, enlarging the sphere of life, and increasing the wellbeing of mankind in general!

That's what God is bringing about in our days. The life of God will so flow everywhere, awakening the mentality of mankind!

Let me tell you why. ***Proverbs 13:20*** says:

He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be destroyed.

God is the only wise God (1 Timothy 1:17). And revival brings God down in the midst of His people. So, God's wisdom then

begins to reflect in their mentality, by reason of His heavy presence in their midst.

So you see, if you don't do what it takes to get into this great move, you'll be the only dummy around. I'm talking about divine presence rubbing off on mortal men! People encountering the magnetic mentality of God, just because of His presence!

A revival is a celebration of divine presence, and divine presence revolutionizes the mentality of the one that carries it.

Please understand what I'm talking about: God has come in our midst, true, but let Him come in your life too! You can't walk with God and be ordinary on the earth. No!

Friends, get into this revival! Don't play games at all! God's presence is upon the earth! We are a people born in due season. We will not frustrate the grace of God! There's an outpouring of the Spirit of God. Let us expect divine insights, that will bring about world-wide impact in the business world, in the scientific world, in the technological world. Let's settle down to make it happen!

Many people have thought that revival is to prepare people and carry them on to heaven. No! It's to first make them reign on the earth and after, go on triumphantly to heaven.

The Bible talks about the heathen around us, who shall see the glory of the Lord upon us. Are these heathen in heaven? No! We're going to be here for them to see us manifest that our sins have been forgiven. They're going to see us display the effects of righteousness.

So it's not in heaven. It's here on earth! The evidence of righteousness is here on earth and the reality is there in heaven.

Oh, we're going to outsmart the devil! He won't have the opportunity to run us over anymore. Hear me: God will make a name out of you in this revival!

All you need is to say this prayer:

"Lord I open up to an outpouring of your Spirit, that will last me a lifetime, moving me from wave to wave, steadily, strongly! Spirit of God, help to keep me safe in this wave."

God will give everyone that is yielded to the Holy Spirit a place of power and of authority - because He can trust him. When you start blowing hot for God, He puts you in charge.

It's time to make a total determination for a full-swing connection, that will make the difference in your life.

Peace! In Jesus precious name.