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I'll prove to you by the scripture that it is morning; 2 Peter 3:8 says that with the Lord a day is as a thousand years and a thousand years as a day; so from the time of Jesus to the turn of the century, we've completed 2 thousand years or 2 days. Now it's early in the morning on the third day....good morning!

Historically we can also go back 4 thousand years from Jesus to Adam. So from Adam to the turn of the century we have completed 6 thousand years or 6 days, and now we are also early in the morning on the 7th day.

So if we study the word of God with an understanding of prophetic significance and times and seasons then we've got to understand that we are a very prophetic generation that has profound destiny in God at the end of the age.

The ancient Hebrew Tenach teaches that man was only given a 6000 year or 6 day stewardship on planet earth. On the 7th day God the Father would return and ask of the sons and daughters of Adam, what did you do with the stewardship I gave you?

So right now, we're in a season of shifting into this conclusion of all that God began to do, and it's a season of transition into the promise of God for every individual's life.

In Lamentations 1:9 b she did not consider her destiny, therefore her collapse was awesome. If we don't pay heed to the word of God and the God of the word, if we don't understand that we have a calling of God upon our lives, a destiny, then we have positioned ourselves for collapse that's going to be awesome. That's not the kind of awesome we want.

Let me ask a question: how many minister's are in the house? How many of you are saved? You're ministers. You've got to understand that, it's basic. If we don't get that down, we'll never progress beyond.

We all have a destiny and purpose in God, we have to understand that, and from that place we can begin to press into, Father, what are You saying for my life, today?

My spirit it just going 90 different places, Father what shall we share tonight? There's so much we can look at. Everything I want to share this week-end is all going to tie together, but I'm going to share something that I don't know if many of you have heard anything like this.

I want to show you a study from the word of God that has changed my life, and I believe it's going to change yours. You're off the hook, I got rid of all the notes.

One of the greatest signs of the coming of the Lord will be the ever increasing presence of the Lord. It's going to increase to a degree that we've never understood or ever experienced. To the extent that will surpass even the days that Jesus walked upon the earth.

How can I say that? Because the glory of the latter house will far outshine that of the former. And what Jesus did on the earth in His earthly ministry is redeem us and restore us back to our relationship with God. But that was the first fruit, the seed of destiny that belongs to us.

It says that as things progress in the kingdom of God at the end of the age, there comes a hundred fold return, a harvest of fruit, based upon the seed that was planted throughout the generations.

Every past mantling, every past anointing, every past gift, that God has ever given among men has gone as seed unto the earth as people have died and left. This generation is going to reap the hundredfold return on every one of those things.

Think about that; we read, I love church history, I love reading about a lot of the revivals and revivalists of old and how things started. You know what? That was first fruit, that was the seed.

I'll show you, as a matter of fact, not tonight, but tomorrow, I'm going to show you how, you know how Charles Finney would walk down a street in a city and people would just drop and cry out to God? That belongs to this generation.

I'm going to show you out of the word of God how to walk in that. It's not rocket science. Some of you would understand rocket science better than the word.

We have to take off our rose colored glasses, our religious mantling and step into the reality of God. His word is truth. And traditions have obscured the truth of the word, we can't reason it, we can't figure it out, we can't quantify it, we can't logically attain to it, so what do we do? We put it off into the sweet by and by, or we bring it down to a level that we can understand and so we make it null and void or of no effect.

We're never going to figure God out; His ways are not our ways and His thoughts are not our thoughts....unless we choose to lay down what we think we know and embrace the mind of Christ that He says is ours.

I've laughed about that for years, you know the faith movement in the 70s, confess the word, everybody needs to confess the word, and we do...I've got the mind of Christ... I've said, good, use it. what do you do put it in a jar and put it on the shelf.

See we've possessed it positionally but it's time to come into possession. It's the hour of the realization of the fullness of the promise of God for all of us.

Three in scripture is the number of completion and maturity; it's the third day. Everything He's began, He's going to complete and it's going to come into maturity on the third day. By the way that's early in the morning on the third day.

Seven is the number of rest, covenant, promise fulfilled and completion. So how are we going to attain to this place of maturity and completion? We're going to be in rest. Ceasing from our own works as God did from His. And we're going to see every covenant promise fulfilled and we're going to be complete.

That's difficult because we've always been taught that if you don't do something, nothing will happen...that's true, here's what you need to do... I give up...I trust You Father...what are You saying to do today?

If we learn to follow His presence, we will experience and be filled with His glory. When Jesus talked about His second coming, He used 2 primary words for that word "coming" or appearing.

The first word was *erchomai*, that means simply that when He comes with His angels and returns back to this planet.

The second word is *parousia*, which means the presence of the Lord, to come along side, or to presence Himself together with us. It's been terrible that we've not studied this out. Every time we hear about appearing or coming we think, yes, that's the returning of Jesus to the earth to take us home. But there's 2 different words, and if you begin to understand it, it will change your life.

Parousia means when He presences Himself together with us...in a way we've not experienced. It was used in the classical Greek of when an Emperor having been on a long journey, he says, I think we're going to stay at Dave's house for a week and just take a break. So he would presence himself together with you and stay with you. That's the Greek word, parousia.

Now let me show you something from the word. In 2 Thes 2:9, this word, parousia is used of the coming of the antichrist. But you know where God speaks, the devil tries to imitate, but we use the same verbiage. It says in 2 Thes 2:9 even him whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders...whose coming, whose presenting himself together with us at the end of the age, why? To deceive if it were possible even the very elect. Now wait a minute, we've used it as the second coming of Jesus where He's taking us away, so how come we don't use that same word, the second coming of antichrist? Is gonna what? No, it's a different word. It means to presence Himself together with us and there will be manifestations of the presencing of either God or the devil with us at the end of the age.

Or the word says it this way, sin is going to come to maturity, and so will righteousness. The glory of God and darkness. Is it happening yet? Oh yeah.

Particularly in the season at the end of the age, it really, really, really, get this, it speaks of the special presencing of God with you.

How many of you have ever felt an anointing? Well, how did you do that? No, you engaged your spiritual senses and you began to connect with the realm of the Spirit.

That's rather mystical isn't it? but that should be normal.

In the natural realm, if a child is born to a parent and the child is born with an infirmity, what do we say about that child from that point on, born with a handicap.

So let me ask you, does God have handicapped children? Spiritually speaking? Don't look at each other and say well, yeah that's obvious.

Now look, God does all things well.

So when you were born again, into the kingdom of His Son, you were born with the full faculty of a child of God, being able to see, taste, touch, hear, smell, and go. Otherwise if you didn't operate in all that, you would be considered spiritually handicapped.

How many see Jesus all the time?

How many of you step into the 3rd heaven all the time?

Here's the problem, what is happened is because of our lack of understanding of the word of God and the God of the word, we've failed or neglected to train ourselves to operated in the realm of the Spirit like we have in the natural.

When you're born into this world, what do you do? First thing you do is you communicate by crying; the only way you know how. But there's a progression as the child develops in the natural. It's the same thing in the realm of the Spirit, you're born with all the tools you need to develop to mature son or daughter of God but if you don't exercise those senses you'll never see it happen.

It is your birthright as a child of a God to see regularly in the realm of the spirit, to hear His voice, to step into the realm of the spirit and experience it. we've made it ooh, that belongs to the purview of the mystical few, who've reached a plateau of spirituality; phooey... Don't you ever put any man on a pedestal. If you're born again, it's your birthright.

Some of what I'm going to do this week-end is to de-mystify this whole thing so that you can begin to operate and engage and move about with the full capacity of the spiritual senses that God has given you.

This is the parousia. Watch what happens....still with me?

This word parousia speaks of a lead-up time to the final return of the Lord. It's something that occurs before He comes back for His church, a special time. A kairos season, prior to the return of Jesus that is increasing daily for those who are alive and well on planet earth at the end of the age.

The book of Revelations is regarded as the book of the end times. Revelation in the Greek is apocalypses, it really means and unveiling or an uncovering, that's what revelation, the book of

Revelation, apocalypse. It's an unveiling and an uncovering of what? End time events? NO, of a PERSON, Jesus.

Why do you think that book speaks of the end, or the conclusion of all things? It's a book that pictures the parousia in action; because it's an unveiling a revealing of Jesus Himself as He presences Himself together with us.

Have you heard that there are countless thousands, hundreds of thousands of testimonies of people being saved because they've had a vision or a visitation from Jesus? Have you heard any of that? You have? That's the parousia.

We've met, I don't know how many people, one of our favorite ones in Malaysia, Pastor Victor, I won't give you the last name, first I can't say, and second I wouldn't because he ministers to the underground in one of those Muslim churches.

Pastor Victor as a teenager, his mother would make him go to mosque 5 times a day; it was just empty to him...he thought there's something wrong with this, it isn't it...so he began to cry out for truth in his inward parts. And one night he had a dream; as a teenager. In the dream he was caught away into the stars and he was standing there and he saw from the distance, far away, he saw a teeny small light and then this light moved towards him and when it got close, there stood Jesus in His glory.

Jesus introduced Himself, he woke up born again. Saved, filled with the Holy Spirit, he was so excited, middle of the night, he wanted to start singing and worshipping, but his mother was in the next room, so he went down the hall into the bathroom. He didn't know any Christian songs, he didn't know how to worship Jesus, he knew on thing that Christians sang...Jingle bells, jingle bells...he sang that all night long to the Lord. And God honored that, because it was from the heart.

I can't tell you how many former unsaved individuals we have met that have come to Jesus through visitation. That is an application of the parousia, and there are multiplied millions right now, and it's documented in Iran alone whole villages are being saved because Jesus is visiting.

There's never been a time like this in history, why? Because it's the end of the age, it's a sign for us that we can pay attention and go, wait a minute, something is going on here. What are you saying, Father? Well I'll tell you what He said.

Acts 1:11 says, which also said you men of Galilee why stand you gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus was taken up from you into heaven, so come in like manner as you have seen Him go. We all know that, from resurrection, early in the morning on the 3rd day, the ladies went to the garden tomb. What happened? The stone had been rolled away, there were 2 angels sitting there, it didn't phase then a bit, it was normal. They weren't surprised seeing an angel, isn't that interesting.

While we want to write books and make movies and go on talk shows about how I saw an angel. That's normal stuff, if you're following Jesus. I'll show you from the word, but the other thing is that their passion was Jesus, not angels. If your passion is Jesus, that's normal.

The body of Jesus wasn't there.

Matter of fact Luke 24 said very early in the morning on the 3rd day. Guess what? It's the 3rd day and the body of Jesus is not going to be here much longer. Don't get too excited...

You'll wake up tonight about 3:00 and say, I got it!! I'm kidding with you.

So, here's what happened; as I'm studying church history as I've read the word, I was sharing with Dave, I neat a new book, I've got the Aramaic, Hebrew New Testament, awesome book, anyway.

As you study all of this throughout history, you find out the resurrection morning till 40 days later at Bethany the Ascension in resurrected bodily form, Jesus appeared to 90% of the then known church.

Matter of fact 1 Cor 5:15 or 15:5 I forget; he says He appeared upwards to 500 people at one time; and He told ALL of them to tarry in Jerusalem. Ouch! Out of 500 or more only 120 obeyed.

That's not good odds, not good percentages, but the point is this; 90% of the church had a face to face encounter with Jesus, and the word says, in the same way He left, He's coming again.

Millions of people are having encounters face to face with Jesus.

Hope the light goes on, He's coming soon!

I got to tell you a story about another lady we met. We were in **Kuala Lumpur**, shared about an individual that had come to the Lord by having a visitation, and this lady come up after the meeting and said, I'm one of those.

Really, tell me your story, Well, I was brought up Muslim all my life, married, had my daughter but was just empty inside, I was longing for something more. I didn't know what it was, so I was just crying out, is there any God out there that's real?

One night while she was crying out in her prayer closet in her bedroom, Jesus appeared to her, she got gloriously saved, filled with the Holy Spirit, radically transformed, came out, told her husband. Now understand in a Muslim nation if the wife tells her husband I just became a Christian, it's over...that's the writing of divorce...the husband, thank God, was kind of a nominal Muslim, and thought it was just another fad. But she told her daughter and her daughter became demonically enraged. How dare you?! You know in those nations, they have religious police; that if you're not adhering to the religious precepts of that culture, you can be arrested, persecuted, tried, whatever they want to do.

Matter of fact if young people are caught walking down the street holding hands, they get arrested. There's no public display of affection, you don't do that. Her daughter became demonically enraged, vehemently come against her. Finally after a little time, the daughter said, that's it, I'm turning you into the police. The mom didn't know what to do, so she went back into prayer and said, oh Lord, you've shown Yourself real to me, would You please show Yourself to my daughter? That night Saul became Paul, because the daughter had an encounter with Jesus.

She just as passionately as she persecuted her mother, she was even more passionate for the reality of God. She began to witness and evangelize all over to her friends, everywhere she went. Way against the law. She was so excited about the reality of God, so much so her parents had to put her on an airplane to Australia, don't come back the police are looking for you.

But one of her friends was saved from the testimony this young girl; she began to evangelize everywhere she went, but she got caught by the police. They took her into the prison, one side they have the cells, the other side they have this stocks where they cane you. They put you up and just beat you until you're dead. They said you will renounce this foolishness or we will beat you until you're dead. She said, I'll never renounce Jesus. So they put her in the stocks. Across the isle in a cell block were 2 Indian ladies, terrified. They were about to see murder and they're afraid. When she said she would not renounce Jesus, she said in her own heart, Lord help me, I can't handle pain. If you know anything about caning, it's extremely painful.

So those guys in their demonic rage, went back in all their strength just swung...wham...and they kept hitting an invisible barrier and never one time connected with her flesh. That's the glory, by the way, we'll share that tomorrow. So finally when they wore themselves out, in confusion they took her out, threw her in a cell and walked out shaking their heads.

Those 2 Indian ladies said, what kind of God can do that?! She led them to Jesus.

1:00 in the morning the light flickered, and the Lord said, get up and leave now, to grab those 2 ladies, walk to the cell door; and it opened of it's own accord; I've read that somewhere before. She walked down the hallway to the office, now there's a locked door to the office that opened of it's own accord, mass confusion in the office where the police officers are, they walked right out the front door and left.

See, this is happening on a global scale tonight.

He's coming soon!

And you have a destiny; and if you don't understand the fact that you have a destiny because God hand picked you for this hour; then great will be your collapse. Okay, let's keep going.

Mark 16:14 afterward, He appeared unto the eleven as they sat at meal, I'm just giving you some of the scripture, He upbraided them for their hardness of heart because they did not believe those which come and told them that He'd risen from the dead.

John 20:19-21 that same day at evening, being the first day of the week, that's on the 3rd day, He appeared to the twelve behind closed doors.

Then Cor. 15: 4-8, He appeared to upwards of 500 people at one time. Just before the final event of Him going to heaven He appeared to the church, just before the final return of Jesus, He's appearing to the church,

By the way Joel 2:28 says that the Lord will pour out His Spirit on all flesh, wait a minute church, you're supposed to have the crucified life, you're not supposed to have flesh...oh, that's why so many people getting saved, because He's appearing to the unsaved first.

By the way, upon My handmaidens and upon My servants we're included.

But there's a harvest, the field's are ripe and Jesus, Himself, is harvesting.

Matt 12:1 was the Shevat, the Sabbath, the 7th day. Jesus and the disciples were walking through the grain fields, they were hungry and plucked and began to eat. The fields are ripe unto harvest...how passionate are we for God right now?

The Lord told me 2 ½ years ago now, the finish line is in sight. You know what that means to me? Believe it or not I used to be a distance runner, I loved running distance races, marathons, when I knew there was a mile or two left to go, boy, I'd dig deep and go after it with everything. When He said the finish line's in sight, I knew exactly what He meant, go after it with all you've got.

Paul said, I'm more that willing to become poured out for you. Give it all you have right now.

That doesn't mean every body is called to stand up and preach...well wait a minute, does it? Matter of fact, it does.

Matt 10:7-8 as you go...wherever you're at, preach. I don't know how to preach...well here's seven words for the seventh day...the kingdom of heaven's at hand! He can memorize that sermon.. wouldn't work in Bible college it's not 3 points and a close, but that's okay.

Now He says, do the stuff. Heal the sick, cleanse the leper, raise the dead and cast out devils.

Freely you have received, that's the condition of the church; we're good at that; gimme, gimme, gimme, gimme, gimme gimme, He's saying freely give.

We just received an offering that we blessed, but let me tell you something about seed time and harvest.

The first application of seedtime and harvest has to do with spiritual things, not natural things.

If you want more anointing, give away what you have, if you want more revelation, share what you've got. Hello?

By the way, it will work for finances but let's not major on the minors, the work of God says He's going to take care of all your needs. Why worry about that stuff? Focus on Him. And the blessings of Abraham will overtake you, you can't even contain it.

Money, well I'll leave that alone for another day, too.

This is what's happening today; He is appearing to many throughout the earth. It's a sign.

The New Testament, quite often when they would write about this coming of the Lord, they would use the word parousia, but they never define it; I keep repeating it because I want you to get this. To presence Himself together with us.

Well, brother, He's already with me, He's in me, I'm saved. No, no, no, no.

The way I'm trying to define this is; it's the presencing of God together with you in such a way that He's tangible, it never leaves.

We've had the anointing and come and lift; blessings fall and then seasons of dryness. No, I'm talking about when He presences Himself together, He's there and you're going to know it. Matter of fact, you can see Him, touch Him, smell Him, taste and see that the Lord is good. Hear Him and go with Him.

Is that Biblical, yes, I wouldn't say it if it wasn't. You have to come tomorrow to see how that works.

Colossians 3:4 when Christ Who is our life shall appear, then shall you also appear with Him in glory; we've always equated that to the second coming of the Lord, but it's the Greek word parousia. Let's redefine that; when Christ Who is our life shall presence Himself together with us; we're going to be just like Him.

Look at that, when Christ Who is our life shall presence Himself together with us, then shall you also presence yourself together with Him in glory.

Now listen, we always think of glory as somewhere way out there. Is it possible for some body to be in 2 places at one time?

I don't mean, you know, bipolar, I'm beside myself...

You know, according to the word of God, you already are...you're seated together with Him right now in heavenly places, and you're here.

What you've failed to do is engage your spiritual senses so you can experience that the way you learn to engage your senses here.

By the way, you're there with Him and He's in you, so let me explain this. You're already seated in glory, and the glory is in you!

What does it mean then, to appear with Him in glory; or to presence ourselves together with Him in glory.

There's an application of moving into the realm of the Spirit where we not only touch or experience, but we abide.

If you have an awareness of the glory of God, and the God of glory, where you're seated, and Who is seated in you, and you walk with that awareness consistently, that will mess you up. What's more fun is that it messed people up around you.

I'll give you one example; I'll teach on this tomorrow.

We were sharing in Belfast with a couple there, I said, look it's going to be the norm, get used to the fact that when you as a believer walk down the street, demons will begin to manifest.

They went. Yeah, okay...you know, they're kind of Irish...they didn't quite believe all that stuff.

Well, we were walking, this man passed us, brushed past, went into a phone booth, turned around with glazed over eyes, walked towards me and goes 'go home', they said what was that?

I said, it's just a demon. The man left, and God didn't tell me to do anything with that guy or I would have. You always ask God, don't just assume.

They looked at each other, we kinda giggled and laughed among ourselves because they're looking at each other...

We went another 40 yards, 2 young ladies were standing there speaking, when we got about this far away, straight up in the air, screaming; still in my mind's eye I see them in mid-air; I don't know how they did that.

They went, what's that?!

I said, it's just demons, get used to this.

Well now they believe. Is that biblical? Yes, it is, when Jesus walked into the house or wherever He was at and there were demons what happened?

They began to manifest...did You come before the time?!

That's Bible! How come we don't walk in that? Well we do.

I'll tell you this gets to be fun. You know what I did one time? I was in a church that didn't believe in the presence of the dark side.....(laughter)

So I said in the name of Jesus, I command every demon to manifest. Wham!!! They never invited me back. But they do believe now...(laughter)

That was in my younger days when I was a little more foolish. I'm not quite over that yet, either.

So when this phenomena of the parousia begins, we're going to appear with Him in glory. Now we know the word of God said He's coming to glorify His church prior to His coming with the last trump and the arc angels to receive His church, something is going to happen in us.

I John 3;2 says, beloved now are we the sons of God, but it does not yet appear what we shall be. Now are we the sons of God, but not yet as He presences Himself with us so that we become what we are called to be.

But...we know that we He shall presence Himself together with us, we're going to be like Him because we'll SEE HIM AS HE IS.

By the way the Greek work, see, means to gaze at with wide open eyes.

He's not talking about when we get caught up and are taken to heaven. He's saying that we don't know exactly what we shall be, but when He presences Himself together with us...a transformation begins to take place and we become like Him.

Another place in scripture says we look in a glass now darkly, but then face to face. But if we look into this mirror, this glass, we will be transformed from glory to glory...that's the process of this parousia being worked out in our lives so that the more we gaze at Him, the more we become like Him.

There's a pastor in Perth, Australia.

There's a principle that if you've been in the church for any length of time, you know that what you focus on you become.

We can say it another way, what you focus on you will connect with and after connection comes activation. That's why we look into that glass, because the more we look at Him, and see Him in us and see us in Him; something begins to change.

This family had grown up in the church all the way from kindergarten children had grown up. One day they began to notice a drastic change in the young man, who was in High School now. This was drastic, he began to change so much that even his demeanor, his face changed, he shaved off all of his hair, he began to wear dark clothes.

One day in Sunday service he got up from the back of the church and began to walk down the aisle and curse the pastor in fluent German, a language he had never learned. The pastor took authority over that spirit, saying, what's your name and you speak in English.

The spirit said I'm one of the 6000 demons who lived in Hitler; they were all there, they had to cast the legion out.

Here's what happened, during High School as they began to study the history or WWII That young man began to study the life of Adolph Hitler and read his writings, really became transfixed by that man. Put up a huge poster in his bedroom and just would gaze at that and worship and adoration till finally what

he was focused on, he connected with and when connections came, snap! Activation. He became possessed.

That's why the Bible talks so often about being careful about what you put your eyes on, what you listen to, and what you speak.

Because what you behold you become. That's why Job made a covenant with his eyes, he wasn't going to look at the wrong thing.

This is truth.

But if we do as the word says and we look into that mirror; gazing into that mirror and see Him; not ourselves. Mirrors reflect our own image but if we understand, He says, look in this mirror and you see Jesus, what is He saying? He's saying you're seeing Him in you and the more you learn to do that, something changes, you're changed from glory to glory until you connect and activation takes place. I'll show you what activation looks like.

Mark 9:1 He said to them, truly I say unto you there will be some of you standing here which shall not taste of death until they have seen the kingdom come in power. What did He mean by that? Well, verse 2 says this, and after 6 days (what's after 6?) on the 7th day, Jesus took Peter, James and John and led them up to a high mountain apart by themselves and He was transfigured before them, and His raiment became shining exceedingly white as snow, so as no fuller on earth can white them, and there appeared Elijah, with Moses and they were talking with Jesus. Peter said to Jesus, Master it's good for us to be here, let us make 3 tabernacles, one for You, one for Moses and one for Elijah. Good ol' Peter. If we'd just learn to speak when spoken through, we'd stay out of so much trouble.

I got a question; how did Peter know it was Moses and Elijah? Were they wearing name badges? No, when you're in the presence of the glory, revelation knowledge is normal.

You're seated with Him; He's in you. Why do we always cry, Lord send You're glory? Hello...activate it, it's already yours.

Here's what I want you to see...the parousia. Jesus took them up and He said I want to show you what the kingdom of heaven coming in power looks like. This is a picture for you of what it's going to look like at the end of the age. I'll prove that to you. And from the inside out, the glory of God began to be manifest through Jesus so much so that it changes and transformed so much and it removed the veil between 2 realms so that He talked with Moses and Elijah face to face. What's that got to do with us? That is the parousia, watch.

There were only 3 apostles that ever talked about when Christ Whose our life shall presence together Himself with us, guess who it was...Peter, James and John; and they all referred back to that experience to that experience of the Mount of Transfiguration and said this is what it is. And we've been looking for this all of our lives, because we know when this happens, we're going to go home.

You got to understand something, Jesus was not in His resurrected body, He had a body like us. but something phenomenal takes place from the inside out is a release or a manifestation that begins to happen to a degree that not only are His clothes affected, but His whole body is affected. How do you know that? Further on in the chapter, when He came down off the mountain, the people ran to Him in astonishment, why? He was glowing, just like Moses did.

Do you know what's fun about this? I'll get into it more tomorrow. Jesus said, no man takes My life...why? Because He knew how to release that glory which became a canopy of defense.

We're going to release the glory, it will change your life.

We've heard testimonies of people that we've taught this to and I'm not going to say it messed them up, but it straightened them up, that they began to apply it in way...it was comical.

Here's the premise, anything that comes in contact with the glory which is immortal, there's a drastic transformation or spontaneous reaction that takes place, because death, decay and corruption cannot abide the glory.

When you pray for somebody to be healed, guess what? There's a transference or release in the glory, we sometimes call it anointing, but it's the very life of God that reverses the natural process of death, decay and corruption. Boom! Instant...or sometimes progressive.

So when the glory is there, death, decay, and corruption can't come.

Matter of fact when the glory is activated, well we understand how this works, when they try to put you in stocks and cane you, it won't touch you.

There's a whole village in northern Algiers that got saved in one night because Jesus appeared to all of them, exact same vision if they were awake or asleep, they all the same encounter.

A few weeks later, the authorities heard about it, sent out the military contingent, lined up the men and said, you guys renounce this, you're Muslim, you can't change your religion or we'll execute you. They said no, so they had a firing squad and had over 150 men lined up. Ready, aim, fire, boom! Nobody fell.

They checked their weapons, tried it again, boom! Nobody fell.

Third time, boom, nobody fell, the men all reached into their pocket and came out with 3 bullets and handed them to the soldiers, and they all got saved.

That's the glory that becomes your defense, it also becomes a veil. You know when they were going to throw Jesus off the cliff. He walked right out the middle of them. How could He do that? He was veiled.

That belongs to every believer if we just know how to walk in it.

Tomorrow.

Jesus had just said some would not see death until they see the kingdom of God come with power; what they were seeing at that moment was the kingdom of God coming with power. Where does it have reference into the New Testament at the end of the age when we will see the kingdom of God coming with power? It's called the parousia, the presences Himself together with us.

John was so over-awed by this experience that years later he wrote I John 3:2, beloved now are we the sons of God but it does not yet appear (parousia) what we shall be, but we know that when we shall presence Himself together with us we are going to be like Him.

They were looking for this, He said it hasn't happened yet, that He's presenced Himself together with us in this way that we would be able to radiate the glory and become like Him. But when it happens, we're going to be like Him, sounds like a mature son to me because Jesus was the only manifestation of a mature Son of God up to that point. And the word of God said He's the firstborn or many brethren, well if He's the first born among many, then at some point along this journey then somebody has got to come to the point of maturity, why not us?! that's a good thought. The biggest hindrance in your life is you! Not the devil he's already defeated. It's you agreeing with God.. that's why you feel so beat up sometimes, you're fighting yourself, and you're winning.

So John was talking about this experience, he said when Jesus shall appear, we shall be like what happened on that mountain, because we will see Him as He truly is.

Peter was also on the mountain, many years later 2 Peter 1:16 for we have not followed cunningly devised fables, when we made know unto you the power and parousia, presencing of Himself together with us, the coming of our Lord, Jesus Christ, because we were eye witnesses of that majesty. He's saying he didn't make it up, we saw it! we know what it looks like!

Are you getting this?

Remember, this is an ever increasing, we're already well into the process of this increasing in our lives. How do I know that? Because He's been appearing to millions of people around the earth. Countless numbers have had dreams, 10 years ago if you'd said you'd had a prophetic dream, they'd have said, you're nuts.

15 years ago if you said you saw the Lord, they would have locked you up and thrown away the key...well that's the religious folks of course, the world would have believed it.

Anyway, the truth is...this is more than norm now, than the exception, do you know that? Everywhere we travel, everywhere we travel, we meet large numbers of people that are having face to face encounters with Jesus, dreams, visions, experiences.

Why? Because He's presencing Himself together with us in a unique way. It's the end of the age and this is only going to increase.

John 5:19 Jesus said, I only do what I SEE the Father doing...how would you like to operate in that type of ministry, only do what you see. Some of us would never move, but we can.

Do you know what seeing in the realm of the spirit really it? the voice of God. A picture paints a thousand...oh, and if you read the Bible they would have visions and dreams; they would come out and say God said to me, seeing is an aspect of His voice. The Bible says My sheep know My...voice!

Oh! So then it should be normal that we...yes! That's what I'm trying to say; this is not hard. Its His voice, God says you know His voice. You know what's happened? Your reason has overridden His voice most of the time.

Well that's just my imagination. Oh that's just me.

No, you're not that bright.

We've got to learn how God speaks to us.

My language with God is different than your language, because I'm a unique individual, can you tell?

So He's tailored His voice to who I am and what I understand; and I communicate with God regularly. In the same way God speaks to you differently than He speaks to me.

We all have one standard that we adhere to, the word, God speaks through the word, we've got to start somewhere. But let God develop your language.

Some people have really funny language, I've met people who say, well, this car went by with this number on it, and this truck came by with that sign and they put it all together, God was speaking, I went what?! But it works for them, so if that's how God talks to them, great! I can't say it's not God because obviously it's working for them.

You see, we're unique, what we have to learn to do is to explain what God is speaking to us in a manner that we can all receive.

So both Peter and John had it fixed in their heart that they were waiting for this particular event to happen.

Matt. 13:43 says, then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father, he who has ears to hear, let him hear. That's not figurative, it's literal; then when? when this parousia begins, we're going to begin to shine forth as the sun, and people will run to us in astonishment and go, why are you glowing?! They're going to see this in our lives. As a matter of fact we've already had some people already comment on this as we've ministered; come up and say, man! They've...yeah! First few times I heard that it kind of threw me off, freaked me out a little bit. What are you a New Ager or something?...but no, they're spiritually sensitive. It's going to become more the norm.

Two people appeared with Jesus on the mountain, Moses and Elijah...why? I believe what was happening, Jesus was demonstrating what the kingdom was going to look like at the end of the age. How's that? The power and the glory, Moses and Elijah.

You see Moses in function walked in an apostolic authority and mantling. Elijah was a prophet. I believe that what we're seeing there is at the end of the age, at the parousia increases in our life, one of the signs is that we will be an apostolic prophetic people that functions in some manner or level or degree of apostolic or prophetic ministry. That doesn't mean you are all apostles or prophets, but we know in the church that this has been restored and there is operation in these realms. It's an end time picture for us. Apostolic, prophetic; power and glory.

Historians tell us that John the Baptist brought over a million to the baptism of repentance and was yet sat to have the mantle of Elijah the prophet.

So, look...John the Baptist came with the anointing of the mantling of Elijah before Jesus came the first time. The final harvest is going to be reaped by those with an Elijah mantling; prophetic, apostolic, Moses prophetic, get that in your heart.

It's not an individual; it's a body!

Do you know the statistics say that there are over one million people a day being saved? That's great, but it's not good. Because at that rate it's still going to take over 100 years to reach 6 billion people, and by then there will be 8 billion. Do you understand that's not fast enough? Something's got to shift so this thing gets done. What's He going to do? How's He going to do that? We're going to step into who we are. We're going to become everything He says we are. He's doing a quick work at the end of the age. A quick work!

For the last 9 out of 10 years I've had a visitation of the Lord on Rosh Hashanah. When the Lord visited me the first time, He said, this is not about you, this is what I am releasing to the church corporately in this hour.

So over the years, the Lord has shown me through visitation what He's releasing to the church; and I've begun to see most of this come to pass.

A year ago, this Rosh Hashanah, we were in Perth, I was standing there in a morning session; we had been going for weeks, I was wiped out and empty. I said, Lord, I got nothing for Your people, I'm not even going to go up there, I'm not going to put on the flesh and wow the spectators, that's not who I am. Not only that, because remember 9 out of 10 years He appeared, the 8th year He didn't, it was a new beginning. I said not only that, Lord, You didn't show up last Rosh Hashanah; what's up with that? That's my language.

And immediately, Jesus stood in front of me. And He had in His hand a helmet; He was holding a helmet. I used to be in the military, in the Army, the last piece of equipment you put on before you go into battle is your helmet. Immediately word of knowledge, He placed it on my head, I was the good

soldier, and said Lord we're not ready. He said, I've already given you for life and victory; He said now go and enforce the victory.

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He didn't say when, and I knew why He's already won. He said go and enforce it. I said, oh, my! We have been shadow boxing for so long, trying to re-win and trying to take ground that's already been won. And we get worn out in the process. We're an occupying army, we've won! When we speak, they have to jump...changed my life...then He said this...tell My people I come shortly now.

Well that stuck with me, He's never said that, I've heard, He's coming soon, sooner than you think, it's imminent; but 'shortly', now that was different language. It's resonated in my spirit, everyday I wake up and say, we're going home today, this is it.

So Lord, what are You saying?

As I've looked at the progression over the last 10 years, you know what God showed me? That He's been releasing to the church? Maturity...maturity. Coming of age, son-ship. And over that progression, we have watched this parousia increase, year by year.

As people become more and more, I love it as we travel now, we see many children that are so connected with God and walk in the supernatural regularly, that it's just, whoa, that's one of the greatest signs, there's a Josiah generation, says a little child shall lead them; here they are.

I met a young man; one of the rare trips, Reshma didn't get to come with me. I was in [Kuala Lumpur](#); and I had an unusual experience where Jesus, physically; we'd prayed, as He said, ask of Me a sign, I said I want Jesus to step into the room where everybody sees Him. I didn't say recognize, that was my fault. Jesus showed up physically in a conference of 800 people, they all saw Him then He vanished. That's when we realized Who it was.

But at the same time, there was this young boy, understand in Malaysia, there is a large Chinese population, they're not Malaysian born, even though they've been there for generations, there is great prejudice. And so they really pressure the Chinese children to study and be the best at everything so that they can progress in life because they can be straight A students, but the Malaysian government can say, no your going to be a garbage collector; but this failing Malaysian student can go on to be a doctor, lawyer or whatever because he's Malaysian. So they have to study hard so they can get scholarships outside of the country to do what they want to do.

But, this little boy, for whatever reason, something had happened and he began to fail in school. And he became very depressed; he used to love to read the Bible and go to church, he stopped doing that.

Do you know in Malaysia they take children from 4 years old up to teenagers, they go on week-end retreats, they are fasting and prayer retreats. Not little Bible school, let's go have fun and games retreats. They're fasting and praying, do you know who they're fasting and praying for?...You! I kid you not! They're praying for America; they're weeping for America.

This little boy went because his parents made him go. He was very sad and dejected and as he's laying on his face praying, or trying to pray...wham! He's caught up into the 3rd heaven for over an hour.

He has an experience with God that radically changed and transformed his life so much so that he came back from that week-end; in those schools over there you test out of every grade it's a national thing. He took his test and was the 3rd highest in all the schools. It's not that he didn't study, whatever came on him, he just wasn't retaining...but God...he came back and can quote the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. He preaches like nobody you've ever known.

He's just a kid, you can play and have fun, but when you start talking about God it's like this mantle of the wisdom of the ages comes on him. He said this, He's coming back sooner than you think. Every one of those little kids we've ever heard about has this same theme, no matter what their experience, He's coming back sooner than you think. It's the parousia. It's a sign to us, this ever increasing presence of God that shortly now, it's finished.

And you have a destiny in God. You have a profound destiny. You're destiny is not blessed assurance, this seat is mine, of what a foretaste of death on the vine.

When I was in school and in sports I never liked to sit on the bench, put me in the game! Why do Christians act like, no, put me on the bench, I'll watch.

No, get in the game, you have a destiny in God.

Well, anyway, I'm rambling, but I'm having fun.

So when the parousia increases as this continues as this continues to increase, God's people will begin to experience transfiguration and a continuous application of the glory of God upon their lives. Continuous.

One of the things the Lord has challenged me with in this hour is translation by faith. Let me explain translation by faith. I'm talking about geographic translocation. Can a man be translated by faith?

Yes, the word of God says we can, in Hebrews 11:5, by faith Enoch was transferred. As we press into this season with God understanding this is a divine kairos moment in the kingdom. As we're changed from glory to glory, we can begin to step into the office and the authority of what a mature son walks in. Ladies, you're sons, men, you're brides. I knew you were weird, but anyway.

Jesus said, what I do, you can do. He said, the works that I DO. Say DO.

Notice He didn't say, did. The works that I... DO, you can do. Continual present tense.

So the question we need to be asking is, Lord, what are You doing today?

Well, He's going from there to here, from here back to there. Ohh, that's a good place to start, cause if He did it, I can do it. If He's doing it, I can do it. Oh brother, you're getting....I just believe God. It's the word.

Some of you are looking at me like you've been in church too long.

You know what's fun?

I can go to other cultures, Native Americans that have walked in a lot of this stuff, though it wasn't necessarily redeemed, though they have an understanding of spiritual things. I love hanging out with those people because, hey, this is real.

We've had some friends that are Native American that are redeemed, then the church says, put that down, that's of the devil. I want to slap some people. Now the application, the way that it was being used, perhaps, but the principle is truth. So when we've had a chance to talk and share and pray, they get so excited, wow! We can do...yeah...just make sure it's redeemed, sanctified, knock yourselves out and teach us how to walk like that!

The Aboriginals in Australia, the same thing, the Pastor down there we met, he was...yeah, well I say, come on!

I'm telling you there's much change taking place in the church, we'd better be a people that know how to discern however, we'd better know the word.

Okay, one more...I'd better jump ahead.

I used up my hour didn't I? sorry.

One last one, James 5:7 be patient therefore, brethren, unto the presencing of the Lord together with us...parousia...behold the husbandman waits for precious fruit of the earth and has long patience for it until it receives the early and the latter rain; you also be patient, establish your hearts, for the presencing of the Lord draws near.

When is the early and the latter rain? It's on the 3rd day, early in the morning on the 3rd day. Early in the morning on the 3rd day, and on the 7th day Jesus took us up onto a high mountain and was transfigured before us. The parousia, the presencing of God.

That season is now. This is going to increase in the church corporately but it can increase in you individually.

If you go to the word and agree with the word. Let me explain agreeing with the word; you don't have to understand all of it. Faith always proceeds understanding, it's the biblical pattern.

We've messed this thing up by trying to have to logically reason and figure everything out. That's why we've become so ineffective in our spiritual walk.

If you just believe God, by faith saying, be it done unto me according to Your word, Lord. Guess what? Understanding comes.

Luke 1: Mary and Gabriel, you're pregnant with child, how can this be? She didn't ask for a sign, she just said how can this be? And be it done unto me according to your word. 9 months later she understood.

Faith comes before understanding. Throwing yourself out there and saying, okay Lord I believe You! Have fun! He's your daddy, He's not going to let you hit the dirt, He's going to catch you.

Well, brother, don't test God. You know what? You're not big enough to test God.

Let's rethink this thing, don't challenge God, don't argue with God, but you can't test Him if you're in faith saying, Lord I really want You, bid me come. And then go swimming. Understand? Go for it! Just go for it.

Stay in the word, let the word abide in you, guess what? You're going to make mistakes. Who cares? You already have! And you're going to again. And don't worry about looking foolish to one another, you already do! You do look foolish to somebody. Just like I'm doing right now.

Just go for it; just abandon yourselves to God, there's never been a day like this. Amen or oh no? Hallelujah or hold on?

Father, what are You saying?

Sir, what's your name? Henry. Oh, Henry. There has been an angel standing behind you Henry, this whole night. He is a warring angel that has been well tested. As you've taken him into some places he probably would never have chosen to go. But the truth is all throughout your life God has assigned to you guardian angle that has kept you from perishing. When you've had opportunity quite a few times. And the reason the devil has tried so long and so hard to destroy you is because the destiny of God in your life. There has been a prophetic seed within you an ability to discern times and seasons and know things that were going to happen before they did, that's been with you since you were born. I mean, people didn't understand it, family didn't understand it, you didn't understand it. You've tried to use it for the worldly things and it didn't work, because God wouldn't let it work the way you knew it could. But the devil tried to take that gift and you are that gift.

God has redeemed you and you have purpose and destiny. What I have been speaking today has been ringing in your spirit, you can't quite quantify or identify but there's something that's going yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah. That's because you have a part to play in this hour.

Your life is not wasted. You have no past, it's under the blood, but what you have is a glorious future. Now the Lord wants you to yield that gift to Him, now as you never have before and you will become a voice in the body of Christ and no longer an echo in the world.

It's time.

There has been much devastation in your life, in the family around you and different things. And your heart has been broken time and time and time again through that. But God says He will restore to you everything the enemy has stolen. He's been found out.

You read 1 Sam. 30. David and his men came back to Ziklag and the enemy had burned the city and taken everything, their families, possessions, everything. And they grieved; and you've gone through that, and that's where you stopped.

But then, David did something, he called for the priests, he said give me the ephod, the sensor that lifts up incense to God and he fell on his face and he inquired of God and got a strategy. That's where you're at right now. God wants to give you a strategy.

David said, Lord, shall I pursue and overtake? What's the strategy? And the Lord said, you pursue and overtake for without fail, that's what you're looking at right now. Those years of failure are gone, as you turn to God and get a strategy it will be without fail.

You've been told all your life you're no good, you'll never amount to anything, you're a failure. God says, without fail. To Him, you're not a failure, you've just been in process, a broken and a contrite spirit He doesn't despise. You are now ready. A vessel of honor.

I want to encourage you, it's been a long and arduous road, but you're on a path of destiny and you're about to break through and the promise of God and the potential of God for your life.

There's been something that's been stirring in your heart just recently too. A desire that's just started to come forth...that's God calling you, that's God.

Rise up, oh man of God, just rise up, it's time. Praise God.