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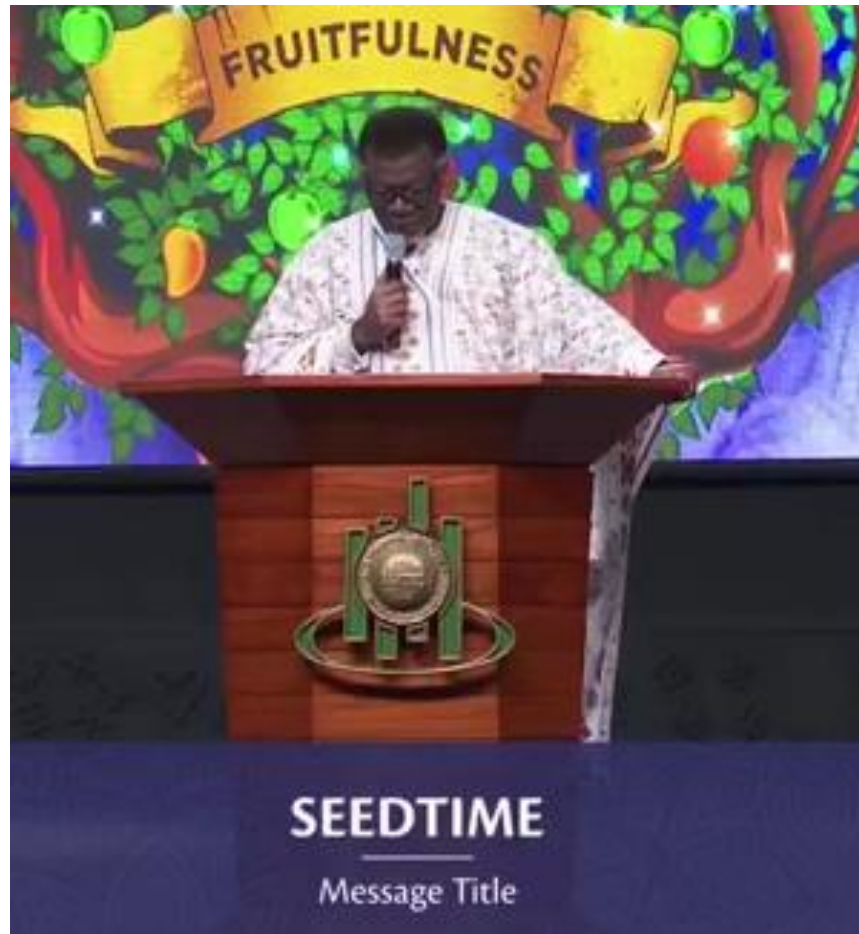
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21ST FEBRUARY, 2021 - TOPIC: SEEDTIME



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TEXT: GENESIS 8:22

AMEN! Let's rise up together, as we make our DECLARATION OF FRUITFULNESS in this Year of Fruitfulness:

Are you ready? Say with me:

The Eternal God is our refuge. He opens rivers in desolate Heights. The Lord makes the wilderness a Pool of water.

The LORD God is my Sun and Shield; The LORD gives Grace and Glory.

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Therefore, I delight myself in Him. Those who are Planted in the House of the LORD shall be fresh and flourishing.

Though the Earth be shaken; the Name of the Lord is my Strong Tower. By Faith I affirm that: In Christ alone is my Salvation. In Him I live, And move And have my being.

It is written: The Righteous are like trees Planted by the waters - bearing fruits in its Season.

So I boldly declare: As for me, my God has made me EXCEEDINGLY FRUITFUL;

In this Season, my Spirit bears fruits of Righteousness, my Talents make way for me. With my hands, I will Plant, I will Build, I will Harvest - Day by day, Step by step.

In Jesus' Name - Amen!

We are still in the Year of FRUITFULNESS. And my Message today is Titled SEEDTIME.

And my Opening Text is from Genesis 8:23.

And this is God speaking to Noah, after the flood. And He says:

“While the Earth remains, Seedtime and Harvest, Cold and Heat, Winter and Summer, And day and night Shall not cease.”

This is a statement God made to Noah, but He was not just Speaking to Noah. He was Speaking to the Earth, and He was speaking to all Humanity.

This is after the Flood - So much had changed, so much had been disrupted.

And God affirmed to Mankind that whilst the Earth remains, the Seasons of life will not cease. And He begins by talking about SEEDTIME and Harvest.

These Seasons did not originate after the Flood, they didn't start after the Flood - They were there before the Flood. But after the Flood God affirmed them, confirmed them to be so.

That while the Earth remains, there will be SEEDTIME and Harvest.

So today we are focusing on SEEDTIME.

WHAT IS SEEDTIME?

SEEDTIME is basically and simply time for sowing seeds.

Every Culture in the world (Ghana and Nigeria included) has a time on their Farming Calendar, when SEEDS are sown in expectation of the Harvest.

So, in Ghana or Nigeria for example, we have for our main grains and staples; we have two (2) main Seasons for Sowing SEEDS.

We sow seeds just before the Rain, in the first Raining Season - which is coming in a couple of Months! And then secondly, before the minor Raining Season - Which is around September/October.

These are Seasons for SEED sowing.

So, in Ghana or Nigeria; we have two (2) SEEDTIME Seasons!

In many Cultures, they have their own SEEDTIME Season - Some before Spring, and before Autumn. And different Countries go through their own Seasons.

But, there is always a time for sowing Seed. Because God says: "For as the Earth remains, Seedtime and Harvest time SHALL NOT CEASE."

So SEEDTIME is a universal concept.

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And God says two (2) Things about SEEDTIME that I want to bring to your Notice:

1. First, He says, SEEDTIME NEVER CEASES.

It shall not cease! - As long as the Earth remains, SEEDTIME WILL NOT CEASE.

The Time and the Season and the opportunity to sow seeds will not cease.

... That's the first (1st) thing God says.

2. Second (2nd) thing He says about SEEDTIME, is that: SEEDTIME LEADS TO HARVEST.

It's a Divine Law: "SEEDTIME LEADS TO HARVEST." So Seedtime is always related to Harvest.

Sometimes we call Seedtime and Harvest as 'SOWING and REAPING.' - Reaping is the HARVEST, Sowing is the SEEDTIME.

So, Seedtime requires SEED SOWING. And every Seedtime requires a SEED. R E W

So we need to define WHAT A SEED IS.

Because if there is a Seedtime, there has to be Seed Sowing!

AND WHAT IS A SEED?

And I will give you Three (3) Identities for SEED:

1. The first (1st) is that - THE SEED IS A SOURCE OR THE BEGINNING.

That is Place we begin from.

Everything has a beginning - Trees have their beginning, Animals have their beginning, Human Beings have their beginning. Products and Inventions all have their beginning!

The beginning is what is called the SEED. - Wherever it began from, that is the SEED - the Source!

2. Secondly, A SEED IS POTENTIAL - Undeveloped Capacity.

A SEED is what you are capable of becoming, but have not become yet!

A SEED is what you will be, which you are not NOW - Potential.

Seeds are usually not impressive until their Potential is fully manifested!

That is why it's very easy to ignore a Seed or despise it, or eat it.

A Seed is a Masterpiece which is just a Sketch.



For those of you who are Artist, you know that the greatest Painting or Artwork starts with a Sketch. And then it's developed from there!

And in other disciplines, it is so! That Sketch is the Seed of the Masterpiece.

A Seed is a Building that is now a Drawing Plan

A Seed is a King who is now working as a Servant

*A Seed is a Big Church which is now meeting in a Classroom (like we did thirty seven (37) Years ago)!

DMC NOTES: The ICGC Church was founded on the 26th of February, 1984 - Meaning that the Church is 37 Years Old this Year. From the entire Discovery Media Crew, we fondly rejoice with the Pastorate, Workers and Members on the 37th Year Anniversary of the Church.

A Seed is Factory which is now operating in a garage

A Seed is a Major Invention that is now an Experiment

So What do I mean by A Seed?

First, it is the SOURCE - The Beginning;

Second, it is POTENTIAL. It is something that can become something, but has not become it!

So when you hold in your hand, a grain of corn which is a Seed. It is a Corn Plantation!

Potentially, it can grow to become something Big; but it had not done so yet.

... A Seed is a Source, it is a Potential;

3. Thirdly, A SEED IS LIFE-GIVING - it's able to PRODUCE.

That's the most fascinating thing about a Seed! It is that it's alive, and it has capacity to give life.

A Seed may look DORMANT, but it is not DEAD. It may look DULL, but it carries Life within itself. It carries within itself the POWER to Perpetuate itself!

A Seed is able to overcome all odds; in the right environment it will survive all odds.

Normally, we Plant seeds in the ground. But they don't stay in the ground; they lift themselves up from the ground, break through the soil.

Sometimes they dislodge stones; sometimes they dislodge rocks. I have seen Seeds grow on Termacs with coal tar on them!

The Seed had got the Power to Produce life; and it has got the Power to rise no matter what is sitting on top of it.

So, when God says there is going to be a SEEDTIME, He is talking about, there is going to come a time when you are going to start something - A SOURCE!

You are going to start something that has POTENTIAL and something that is LIFE-GIVING.

So to Produce the Harvest, we must start with something - It may be small, but it is the beginning of the Process!

The Source of Mighty Rivers are usually a trickle - From a well or from a Spring.

Similarly, the Source of the Mighty Things God wants to do in your life is going to start very small - It may look like a trickle, it may look like insignificant but that is your Seed.

And when the SEEDTIME come, the tiny thing must be Planted.

The Source of Great Things can be a small thing: like a daily routine of Praying - One Minute every hour:

I. It could be a daily routine of reading a Chapter of the Bible everyday;

II. It could be a daily routine of Investing a small amount of money everyday;

III. It could be a daily routine of Faithfully Giving to the Lord.

Because a Seed is not a Big Thing; it's a small thing that is Planted.

... And I don't know what small thing you have in your hand

But that small thing in your hand has got the Power at Seedtime to Produce the Harvest.

Every groundwork that God does in our lives, starts from a Source, from a Seed.

Galatians 6:7, "Do not be DECEIVED, God is not MOCKED; for whatever a man SOWS, that he will also REAP."

God honours the Law of Sowing and Reaping - God honours that Law!

He's not mocked, He honours the Law of Sowing and Reaping.

HOW DO WE MOCK GOD?

We mock God when we have not Planted the Seed, but we are looking for the Harvest.

Or when we Plant a Particular Seed, but we are looking for a different harvest - That is mocking God!

Don't mock God, and don't deceive yourself.

... So that's the first thing!

2. Second thing you will note from this Passage (Genesis 8:22) is that:

The Law of Sowing and Reaping affects everything.

When God said to Noah: "As long as the Earth remains, Seedtime and Harvest shall not cease."

He was talking basically about Agriculture.

But when we look at Galatians 6:7, it says: "Whatever a man sows ..."

That means that same Principle that works in Agriculture, works with whatever!

So just like a Farmer takes a grain of Corn, Plants it and reaps a Harvest. In Ghana or Nigeria, we Plant it around April and reap a harvest in August!

It affects Agriculture, but it's not limited to Agriculture. Because Galatians says 'Whatever'.

This same Principle of Farming affects every areas of our lives - It affects our Marriages, it affects our Finances, it affects our Talents, it affects our Professions, it affects the way we Build Churches, it affects the way build Nations. It affects everything.

... Whatever a man sows (woman too)!

It's a Universal Principle. It affects every areas of our lives: Our Spiritual life, our Relationship, our Finances - Whatever!

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So in a Year when we are talking about FRUITFULNESS, we don't reap Fruits from the Air.

... We reap Fruits out of Seeds that have been sown.

So God says: As long as the Earth remains; as long as you and I are alive. He will always give us opportunity to sow Seed.

SEEDTIME will never end!

And He will give us opportunity to Harvest - Those Seasons will never end.

So if you miss it today, you will get it tomorrow - To sow Seed, there will always be a Season to sow Seed.

Psalms 126:5-6 says: "Those who sow in tears shall reap in Joy. He who continually goes forth weeping, bearing Seed for sowing, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, Bringing his sheaves with him."

There are FOUR (4) PRINCIPLES I want to touch on before we close - based on Psalms 126:5-6.

1. The first (1st) Principle we learn from that, concerning Seedtime is that: SOWING IS SACRIFICIAL.

"Those who sow in TEARS". Not sow in Joy, but sow in tears.

It's a time of TEARS when we are sowing Seed. It's not a Time of Joy.

When it's Seedtime, a Farmer works hard without any harvest.

If you go to any Farming Community; when it's Seedtime, the Farmers go to the farm everyday, and come with Nothing!

They go everyday and come with Nothing - They go to sow.

And most Seedtime are also Hunger times!

If you go to most Farming Communities, the Seedtime is a hunger time; it's a time when the little you have is sown in the Field.

In Ghana or Nigeria, Seedtime (by March/April) is hunger because the Harvest that came around December has been eaten.

And the Farmers in the Farming Communities Place what they have leftover for their Fruitfulness in the next Farming Season they have to choose whether to EAT it, or PLANT it.

So every time he goes out sowing, he comes hungrier because Seedtime is TEARS TIME.

Spiritually, when it is Seedtime, we Pray a lot without Answers. You are Investing Prayer, but you get no response.

Financially, when it is Seedtime, we invest without any Returns. Or we give Offerings without any Breakthrough.

In our Marriages, when it is Seedtime, we Sacrifice to much; make so much adjustment without any apparent benefits.

Sometimes you wonder: 'What am I gaining out of this?' I'm making all the Sacrifice, I'm making all the changes but nothing is coming out of it.

That is what SEEDTIME IS: You go forth with TEARS.

... EVERY SEEDTIME IS HARD TIME.

So that's the first thing you are going to recognize about your Seedtime.

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If you want quick Harvest, and you think eating your Seed is Harvest, you will never have a Fruitful Season.

A Seedtime is TEARS TIME!

2. The second (2nd) Principle you learn is that: SOWING MUST BE DONE CONTINUALLY.

"He who continually goes forth weeping, Bearing seed for sowing, Shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, Bringing his sheaves with him."

Our Natural inclination is that, when we do something Good, we want to see the result Instantly. We expect one act to give us the Harvest we desired.

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However, Seedtime must be done Continually - So the Farmer gets up, and goes the next day - Comes empty, goes the next day! Goes next day.

In our Spiritual Seedtime, we keep Praying, and Interceding - day in, day out without seeing anything.

If you are at that time when you are Praying and Nothing is coming out - You are sowing Seed. And you don't get discouraged when you are sowing Seed.

There will come a time of Joy, but the Seed sowing time is not the time of JOY. If you want Joy instantly, you will stop sowing Seed.

Sometimes even in Marriage People say: 'I have tried all the things that I can do but I can't see any Result.' - Keep Sowing!

I have been Kind, I have been Nice, I have been Generous. I smile, I smile, I smile - Keep Smiling!

I encourage, I encourage; nothing comes up - Keep Encouraging!

Because when it is SEEDTIME, you Continue!

3. Third (3rd) Principle of Seedtime: SEEDTIME REQUIRES COMMITMENT.

"He that GOES FORTH;" Not goes backward. Full Commitment!

You don't go backward because you can't see the fruit of your labour.

In a season Fruitfulness, remember we have a Seed, remember we are sowing the Seed. It must be done Continuously and there has to be Commitment.

4. And the fourth (4th) Principle is what we are all looking for. It's that: SOWING PRODUCES THE JOY OF THE HARVEST.

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The Passage (Psalms 126:5-6) says: "Shall doubtless come again with rejoicing,"

In other words, it is as Predictable as Day and Night; it is as Predictable as when you go to sleep at night, you know that morning will come!

If you sow the Seed, you will Harvest because it's a Divine Principle.

If you want to Harvest, you sow the Seed; if you sow the seed, you will Harvest!

In between sowing Seed and Continually going Forth, bearing Precious Seed, shall doubtless come again Rejoicing.

Now many of us want to sow today, and reap tomorrow - We see it in the way People live their lives! All of us make that same mistake.

So we hear something especially since last week was Valentine. People are getting all kinds of tips about how Marriages should work.

And People give all kind of advise: 'Oh, if you are a woman, your husband is not minding you; just do this, just do that; Cook this and Dress that way!'

... And you dress that way and you cook that way, and Nothing happened!

Because, between Seedtime and Harvest is - CONTINUALLY.

Or the husband heard all kind of tips: If you buy this, you help your wife and do that. And call her Sweetheart and Honey. You call her Honey, and the result you get back is not Honey.

Or you buy something and there is no appreciation - You say 'i bought this and there is no appreciation.'
- CONTINUALLY!

Or there are People in Church who say: 'I want a Breakthrough'; so they give a Big Offering. And hope that tomorrow there will be a Breakthrough - And then there is no Breakthrough!

I have heard People say: 'I Tithed there is nothing!'

And if you watch them - They are in between hardship. When life is Hard, they Tithe, they give their Firstfruit and whatever. And believesthat next week will be great.

No, No, No! - It is not how it works: He that Continually.

It's not ONE TOUCH - Result - It is CONTINUALLY.

You want to be Rich? You invest a little money; then you go and take out the money for a Funeral. Invest a little money, then you go and take it, you use it for a Party.

Yoi Invest a little money! There are People who Invest money, and every Year they take the money out and blow it.

Continually: That means there are Investments you will not touch for the next thirty (30) years.

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For all of you who have Providence Funds (Pension Funds); you must keep it at least for Thirty (30) years, before you start withdrawing.

... That is when your Harvest will come!

But you have to keep Giving and Saving, and Investing Continually. And you are crying - Sowing! Crying, Sowing; Dying, Sowing, Broke, Sowing.

Then one day, you come forth with Joy, with your Harvest - That is what the Bible teaches!

So, in a Year like this - When we say this is a Year of Fruitfulness. The Fruits you are reaping this year, would be from Seeds you sowed Ten (10) Years ago.

There is no Magic Fruitfulness happening oooo - Don't go and say 'Pastor Otabil says it's a year of FRUITFULNESS.

Getting Fruits from where? - GOD IS NOT MOCKED!

The only Fruit you reap this Year, is what you have sown in the Previous Years.

But the Good News is that: You can sow Seed for future Growth also.

There are results you are going to get this Year, based on TEARS from five (5) years ago.

You have been working and working. And then one of your Business blossoms.

And then the People say: 'All of a sudden the guy has Prospered.'

.. It's not 'all of a sudden'. Nothing happens all of a sudden.

It's almost like seeing a tree bear fruit and you say 'Oh, all of a sudden, the Mango is ripe'.

It's not all of a sudden: it was Planted some Years ago. It grew, it bore flowers but you didn't notice the flowers. When the Fruit was green you didn't notice it.

It was when it got ripen you saw it!

Because most People only recognize Harvest Time!

*That is when they go begging for other People's Harvest: 'Can you give me some of your Harvest?'

Yeah, I can share with you my Harvest of today - Which we should all do!

But my Harvest for today (which I shared with you) becomes your Seed for tomorrow.

Because I may be in my Harvest Season, but you are in your Seed Season.

So many times when People give you their Harvest, you must Plant it for your own Harvest.

"SEEDTIME and Harvest shall not CEASE." - This is Jehovah Almighty speaking!

As Predictable as there is DAY and NIGHT; Predictably, your efforts will yield Results - Amen.

The little steps you take, Potentially, will become Great - Amen!

The little efforts you Start, but never give up on them, Potentially, will become Great - Amen.

In every areas of your life - Whether it is in your Marriage - Everyday you say 'Thank you, Thank You, please.' It will Produce Results - Amen.

But for most People, what they start mistaking the Thank You after one week; they say "if you don't mind me, I won't mind you too" - CONTINUALLY!

Some People give an Offering: one-week, two-week - It is working - Continually!

"He who goes forth weeping, Bearing Seed for Sowing, Shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, Bringing his sheaves with him".

So, what am I saying?

It is Seed Time!

... It is time to start a fresh Seed that will give you results in the next Harvest Season - By the next ten (10) years. Something that will give your children the Results. Or your grandchildren, the results.

Because there are certain things you do, you never eat the fruit of it - Only your grandchildren would eat the fruitS.

You INVEST for them, you ACT for them, you PRAYED for them. You BELIEVE for them - That is the Seed you are sowing now.

And even if you would not be there to enjoy the fruits, you must sow the Seed so that Generations after you, would eat the fruits - Amen.

It is not too late to start sowing the Seed.

Let us Pray!

CLOSING PRAYER.



Heavenly Father we Thank You, that Your Word is alive and Strong in our hearts.

Your Word is the Seed that has been Planted in our hearts.

We Pray Father that everybody hearing these Words or reading now on the Label of DMC, would have something ignited in theirs Spirits.

That from now, You start a Process that would lead to a Harvest.

That You would cause Lord, to sow Seeds in our Spiritual life, in our Marriages, in our Relationships, in our Finances, in every areas of our lives;

That we will not be Mockers of God and Decievers of ourselves. Lord, we will be Planters of Seed, and Harvesters of Fruits.

May our efforts today, yield the Fruit that brings Glory to Your Name.

In Jesus'Name we Pray - AMEN!

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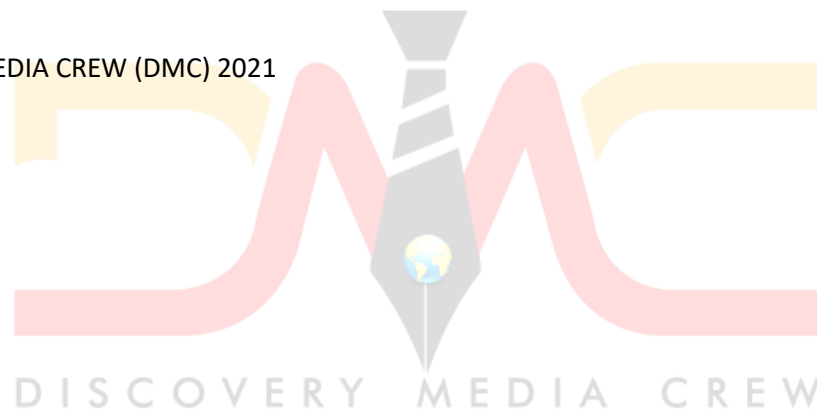
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7TH MARCH, 2021 - TOPIC: WAITING



TEXT: JAMES 5:7

Amen! Let's rise up together, as we make our DECLARATION OF FRUITFULNESS in this Year of Fruitfulness:

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Though the Earth be shaken; the Name of the Lord is my Strong Tower. By Faith I affirm that: In Christ alone is my Salvation. In Him I live, And move And have my being.

It is written: The Righteous are like trees Planted by the waters; bearing fruits in its Season.

So I boldly declare: As for me, my God has made me EXCEEDINGLY FRUITFUL.

In this Season, my Spirit bears fruits of Righteousness, my Talents make Way for me. With my hands, I will Plant, I will Build, I will Harvest - Day by day, Step by step.

In Jesus' Name - Amen!

Two (2) weeks ago I spoke on "SEEDTIME". And I'm continuing my Teaching along the line.

DMC NOTES: You can get to access the Full Text of the Message Titled SeedTime on this Link:

<https://discoverymediacrew.com/Seedtime-Pastor-Mensa-Otabil>

My Message today is Titled "WAITING".

So I will go back to the Verse I began with (2 weeks ago - 21st of February, 2021) - Genesis 8:22: "While the Earth remains, Seedtime and Harvest, Cold and heat, Winter and Summer, And Day and Night Shall not cease."

We are focussing mostly on the first Pair - That is: "SEEDTIME and HARVEST".

And we described SEEDTIME as a time for Sowing Seeds.

... It's clear enough!

And every Culture has a Seedtime - A season the Seeds are sown.

And Harvest is the time to reap what you have sown.

Now, when you read the statement, it talks about Seedtime and Harvest. And you get the impression (although mistaken): That immediately you sow a Seed, you will Harvest!

But in between Seedtime and Harvest, there is another season called "WAITING TIME".

So "WAITING TIME" is the time between Seedtime and Harvest.

When you have sown your Seed, when you have done the right thing and you are expecting a Good result; there is a "Waiting Time"!

And that is what I am focussing my Teaching on today!

James 5:7 will be my Anchor Scripture.

"Therefore be Patient, Brethren, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the Previous Fruit of the Earth, Waiting Patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain."

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Now, the immediate context of this Passage is related to the Coming of the Lord! And anytime I am dealing with a Scripture, I have to be true to the Scripture.

... You can't just take a Scripture and butcher it just anyhow.

So, you have to always Understand the Context within which a Passage of Scripture is declared.

The context is: THE COMING OF THE LORD.

The Apostle James is encouraging the Christians of his time (definitely, of our time as well): To Wait for the Coming of the Lord!

Now, in telling them to Wait for the Coming of the Lord.

James used an Analogy - The Analogy of a Farmer who has Planted his Seed, and is waiting for his Harvest.

This is how James puts it - He says: "See how the farmer waits for the Previous Fruit of the Earth, waiting Patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain."

So, what James is basically saying is: Just as a Farmer waits for the Fruits, we must also wait for the Lord.

However, for my Message today, I am not focusing on the Coming of the Lord - I am focusing on the Analogy James uses: "See how the farmer waits for the Previous Fruit of the Earth, waiting Patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain."

Now, if you read James' statement, in the context of Genesis 8:22, which says: "There is Seedtime and Harvest"

James is saying: between Seedtime and Harvest, there is WAITING.

So, whenever we sow a Seed (whatever that seed is); and we expect a Harvest from God; there is a Season (though not mentioned Present!)

And that Season is THE WAITING SEASON.

Many time People sow a Seed, and instantly, expects an Harvest.

And in the Passage in James, The Apostle James used the word 'WAIT' twice - He used it twice!

SO WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO WAIT?

He said we should wait Patiently!

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The Bible says we should Wait - What does it means?

I will give you two (2) Ideas;

1. First, it means: TO REMAIN WHERE YOU ARE.

When a Person is Waiting, they remain where they are.

- It can be Physically staying where you are.

- Mentally staying where you are.

- Spiritually staying where you are

Now, staying where you are is not an excuse to be lazy or doing Nothing and just hoping that everything would be fine - No!

It is about taking a Positive Steps in a direction; and remaining committed to the direction you are moving in.

So, when we say somebody is WAITING; it means that they are doing the same thing; they are committed to the same Process.

... Wait is remaining where you are!

2. Secondly, to Wait is to Look Forward to something.

- To have a sense of Expectation.

- To be in Preparation for something to happen.

- To have Hope.

A Farmer has hope for a Harvest. And if he has no hope for a Harvest, they will give up on their Harvest.

Similarly, if we have no hope that Jesus is Coming again, we will give up on Him!

And when you sow any Seed, if you have no hope that God will give you Fruits, you will give up on the Seed.

So Waiting is to remain where you are, and to look forward to something.

Now, with that in mind: we know what Waiting is; we know where we are, and we are looking Forward to something!

With that in mind, I will read the Passage again from James 5:7.

And it says: "See how the farmer waits for the Precious fruit of the Earth, waiting Patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain"

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So here, he is talking about the Farmer. And you can just put yourself in that Position that you are the Farmer.

A Farmer is the Person who is sowing the seed.

That's the Farmer!

And there are two (2) mentions of Wait:

1. First, the Farmer is Waiting for the Precious Fruit of the Earth.

That is waiting for The Result. Or waiting for The Harvest.

After Planting the Seed, he Waits for the Fruit.

When we sow something, for example - Giving of First Fruits, Payment of Tithes, etc but they have to Wait!

WHAT ARE THEY WAITING FOR?

They are Waiting for the Harvest, they are Waiting for the Blessing, they are Waiting for God to give result to what they have done!

... But that is not the only 'WAIT' the Farmer is waiting for!

The first Wait, he is waiting for the Precious Fruit of the Earth.

But then, there is the Second Wait:

2. He is Waiting Patiently to Receive the Early and the Latter Rain.

The Early and the Latter Rain is Process: Waiting for the Process to be completed, so that you can receive your Harvest.

So, what we learned from the Passage is: We Wait both for the Fruit and the Process that will Produce the Fruit.

If I have sown a Seed, I expect God to give me the Harvest between the time I sow the seed and the time I receive the Harvest - I MUST WAIT!

What am I Waiting for? - I am Waiting for the Harvest!

But that is not all I am waiting for because the harvest doesn't just happen!

For the Harvest to happen, there had to be Rain. It has to be watered, it has to be developed, it has to grow.

So I am waiting for the Harvest, but I am also waiting for the Process that will Produce the Harvest.

If you don't know how to wait for both the Harvest and the Process, you will abandon your Harvest.

So, James is saying 'the Farmer, he Waits for the Harvest. But whilst waiting for the Harvest, he is also waiting for the Rain.

It's almost like when you are going to Plant Corn. Let's say somewhere in March, you Plant Corn. The moment you Plant Corn, you start thinking of June, July, August; when you are going to reap your Harvest.

... Maybe you have even budgeted for your Harvest.

So that's your first waiting: you are waiting that what you have Planted would Produce Fruit.

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But what you have Planted would not just Produce Fruit; there has to be Rain.

So you must also learn; not only to wait for the Harvest, but also for the Rain!

The Rain is the System - The process that God puts into Motion, so that your Harvest will come.

James says that the Husbandman or the Farmer waits both for the Harvest and the Rain that Produces the Harvest.

To explain that concept further, we read from Galatians 6:9:

"And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due Season we shall reap if we do not lose heart."

In Galatians 6:7; he had said: "Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap"

Now if you only look at Verse 7 (of Galatians 6), it just tells you that whatever a man sows, that he will reap!

But when you now come to Galatians 6:9, between Sowing and Reaping, there is something.

What is that? It says "Don't be weary while doing Good; for in Due Season we shall reap, if we do not lose Heart."

So, you don't just sow a Seed and reap; you reap in a Season that Galatians calls 'THE DUE SEASON.'

WHAT IS THE DUE SEASON?

The Due Season clarifies the Principle of Sowing and Reaping.

So whatever we sow, we reap in Due Season.

Have you ever seen Somebody sow something very bad; somebody does something bad and People say 'You will reap what you have sown?'

... Have you had such Experience?

Or as they say in our Part of the world: "God will Salary you (Laughter)!"

So, somebody does something, we say: You will reap!

And sometimes the Person does something bad and you expect that immediately, something bad will happen for him to see that what he sowed is what he has reaped.

But have you also noticed that, the People do something bad and judgement doesn't come instantly?

And sometime you get disappointed! You say Ha, he has sown, he must reap!

It is because in between Sowing and Reaping; there is a Waiting Period.

And what are you waiting for? - For the DUE SEASON!

In the same way, Somebody does something very Good, and expect that next week, Good Thing will happen!

And then next week, Nothing Good happens and then you wonder 'but I did Good last week.'

It is because you don't just sow and reap. When you sow, you reap in Due Season.

One of the things that bothers a lot of Christians when they Give; especially when they Give an Offering.

Because we use the language: "Sow a seed." they believed that if they GIVE this Month, they will Prosper this Month!

Or somebody say, trust the Lord and Give - The Lord will bless you abundantly. And the moment you Give, you are expecting a Harvest.

But in between the Sowing and the Season of Harvest; there is Waiting.

... And Reaping takes Place in Due Season.

WHAT IS A DUE SEASON?

I'm going to give you THREE (3) DEFINITIONS of a Due Season:

1. A Due Season first, is the Right Season.

The Opportuned Time! The season when things happen.

For Example, when I sow Corn at the begining of a Planting Season, I will Reap at the Harvest Season.

If I sow Corn in March, I'm not going to reap it in December; because that's not the Due Season. I'm going to reap it around June or July; because that is the Due Season - The Right Time!

Similarly, God also has Appointed Times and Seasons, for things to happen.

Let's say for example; a child who is Nine (9) years: and Jesus says those children have more Faith than adults.

And a child comes in and say "Oh God, our help in Ages Past. God, give me a car." And he has all the Faith.

... Will God give him a Car? - No!

Why? - Because it's not the Due Season for him to have a Car! He doesn't have the Maturity to handle a car - Although he has asked for the Right thing, God will answer that Prayer in Due Season.

When is the Due Season? - When the Right Time comes!

When is the Right Time? - When he reaches maturity!

So, there are things you Pray for now, you would not received; because there is a Season for you to be ready for the answer.

And until you are ready for the answer; God holds on to your Harvest in Due Season.

... So the Due Season is the Right Time!

2. Secondly, the Due Season is the Fullness of Time.

Fullness of Time is a very interesting concept. Let me use the Agricultural Example:

You sow Corn (since I started with Corn, I might as well, continue with Corn). And you sow them all on the same day.

Do they all mature the same day? - No!

So, although all are sown the same day, the Fullness of Time differs!

You go to your Farm, you realised some of them are mature, then you go next week, others have mature. In fact, some mature a Month after!

But they were all Planted the same time - Because their Fullness of Time is not the same.

Let me use another analogy: PREGNANCY.

Two (2) women - married (not girl friends); become Pregnant on the same day not by the same man!

By their husbands on the same day! Are you going to say that because they became Pregnant on the same day, they will give birth on the same day? - No!

... Because the Fullness of Time is not the same.

A group of People go to School, they all graduated on the same day. Are they going to find job the same day? - No!

Why? - Because there is something called the Fullness of Time.

And the Fullness of Time for me is not the Fullness of Time for you!

The Bible says, when I sow Seed, God is going to give me my reward in Due Season. And the Due Season is my Fullness of Time.

So, I cannot say: "We started at the same time, we must end at the same time. It doesn't work that way!"

There are People you go to school with, they will have an early Fullness of Time before your own Fullness of Time.

And that is why the Bible says: 'We don't get weary whilst waiting.'

Why? - Because the Due Season is not the same for everybody.

The Due Season is the Right Time. And the Right Time is the Fullness of Time.

3. Thirdly, the Due Season is the Complete Process.

... That's a very important one!

It means that all the Processes must go through.

For Example, if I Planted a Seed, but it didn't germinate; I will not have a Harvest.

For me to have a Harvest: the Seed must go through germination, it must grow at certain rate. And go through that Process.

And it is when I have gone through all the Process, that I get my Harvest.

Paul puts it this way: "I have Planted, Apollos watered; but God gave the increase." - 1 Corinthians 3:6

There are different Processes - He does something, something else happened and then the Harvest comes!

Many times there is a Process our Seed must go through - If I Plant a Seed, I must water it. I must remove the weeds. I must make sure that birds do not come to eat my fruit before it's time.

I must Protect my Seed. If I don't Protect it, in Due Season, I would not have completed the Process and there will be no Harvest for me.

Is it possible for a Person to do the Right Thing, and not have to Harvest? - YES!

... Because the Farmer didn't endure to go through the Complete Process.

That is why we don't get weary, we don't get tired, we don't give up! We don't surrender. We don't say, oh, I have waited and waited, this thing is not happening. I give up!

If you give up, there will be no Harvest.

So what does it mean?

It means that between the Time you start the Process and the Time Harvest shows up; you do not lose heart while Waiting for the Due Season. - You don't lose heart!

And every Seed we Plant has a Due Season for Maturity.

It could be a Business Seed, it could be a Financial Seed, it could be even in a Relationship - Maybe a Marriage.

You are having Problem with your husband, somebody tells you: 'Go home, before your husband gets home, dress this way, put on that Perfume; the Marriage will be fine and the Problem will be solved!'

And you go home, you dress nicely, you put on your Perfume. Your husband comes, he doesn't notice it (laughter)!

... Then you say: Ha, that thing doesn't work.

But if you believed, you have hope of a Harvest; the next day you are going to do the same thing. And the next day, you are going to do the same thing!

Why? - Because the Due Season requires a Process.

So you started a Business and you believed "God will bless it, God will Prosper me."

And then you start the Business, you are struggling and struggling!

There is a DUE SEASON! - So you don't give up through your Struggles; you stay on course!

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You are Giving Financially, and you trust God to bless you. You believed God will bless you next Month.

But next Month comes, there is no Breaking, and there is no Through.

What do you do? Do you give up? - No! There is a Due Season.

And what do you do? - You keep on with what you are doing, until your Due Season comes!

When we started our Church, we went through a whole Process of frustration; being kicked, being sacked from one Meeting Place to the other.

We were sacked so much, I became an Expert at looking for Meeting Places. I knew every nook and Cranny of Accra - Looking for Places!

Sometimes we Meet in a Place, the next week we are sacked.

Did God call us? - Yes! Were we in God's Will? - Yes!

What were we doing? - We were Sowing.*

When are you going to reap? - In Due Season!

But what must you do before the Due Season? - Don't Faint!

And some of you are Fainting - You have abandoned the Process. 'The WAITING is too much!'

It's like somebody who goes to an Office to meet somebody. And he is given an Appointment at 1 O'clock. He gets their at 9 O'clock, he was giving a chair to wait on.

And he starts waiting from 9 O'clock up till 12 O'clock. And finally, he says "I'm fed up! I'm leaving!"

And 5 minutes after he left, the door opens! All the three (3) hours of waiting is wasted.

Jesus gave a Banquet, the ten (10) Virgins couldn't wait (they all fell asleep). Five (5) didn't Prepare for the Bridegroom and they couldn't go with Him!

I don't know what you are going through. We are not 'Virgins'; but are we Foolish?

Are you a Foolish husband? Are you a Foolish Wife? Or a Foolish Businessman? Are you a Foolish Pastor?
Are you a Foolish Person?

AND WHY DID HE CALL THEM FOOLISH?

Because they didn't anticipate the Wait!

They expected that when they got there, the door will open.

May I just let you know: The doors don't open; they wait and they open in Due Season.

And if you start the Process, you are going to stay through to the Due Season and the door will be Opened!

One of these days when you have no expectation, something will hit you 'BOOM!'

Then you will wonder 'WHY DID IT HAPPEN?!' You have been Planning for it for the last twenty (20) Years.

And today was your Due Season!

One of these days you will be working somewhere and a door that has been locked for so many years 'BOOM!' Opens!!!

And you ask: 'What did I do? I haven't done anything.' You have been doing something for Five (5) years.

But this is the Due Season for it to Open.

There is a Waiting Time between the Seedtime and the Harvest

And we must not be weary in the Waiting Season!

... Next week I will talk about the HARVEST TIME.

SEEDTIME, WAITING TIME and HARVEST TIME - That's how it works!

Thank you so much for staying all through to read.



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TEXT: GENESIS 8:22

Amen! Let's rise up together, as we make our DECLARATION OF FRUITFULNESS in this Year of Fruitfulness:

Are you ready? Say with me:

The Eternal God is our refuge. He opens Rivers in desolate Heights. The Lord makes the wilderness a Pool of water.

The LORD God is my Sun and Shield; The LORD gives Grace and Glory.

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Therefore, I delight myself in Him. Those who are Planted in the House of the LORD shall be fresh and flourishing.

Though the Earth be shaken; the Name of the Lord is my Strong Tower. By Faith I affirm that: In Christ alone is my Salvation. In Him I live, And move And have my being.

It is written: The Righteous are like trees Planted by the waters; bearing fruits in its Season.

So I boldly declare: As for me, my God has made me EXCEEDINGLY FRUITFUL.

In this Season, my Spirit bears Fruits of Righteousness, my Talents make Way for me. With my hands, I will Plant, I will Build, I will Harvest - Day by day, Step by step.

In Jesus' Name - Amen!

Well, we have talked about "SEED TIME", and we have talked about "WAITING TIME".

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And today, I'm talking about HARVEST TIME - PART 1 because I will cover the subject of "HARVEST TIME" in two (2) Parts.

... I will start today and then I will conclude Next Week (God's Willing).

So let's get to our Foundational Text in Genesis 8:22 (NKJV). And it reads:

"While the Earth remains, Seedtime and Harvest, Cold and Heat, Winter and Summer, And day and night Shall not cease."

There is "SEEDTIME" (the Passage says) and there is "HARVEST". But, we also considered that HARVEST does not immediately follow SEEDTIME.

That after the Seedtime, there is a time (though not spoken of in the Passage): There is a "WAITING TIME" before the Harvest.

And if you miss the "WAITING TIME", the Harvest may not be alright for you!

... But today, we will focus on the HARVEST.

SO, WHAT IS A HARVEST?

What does that mean when we say it is Time for you to HARVEST?

Remember it's the Agriculturally Terms which has other Applications - Spiritual Application as well.

WHAT IS A HARVEST?

... A Harvest is:

1. The result or outcome of an Action or Effort.

And this is related to the effort of Sowing Seed and the result or outcome that comes from the action.

2. A Harvest is the Season when Ripened Crops are gathered.

This is related to Timing; there is always a Timing, regarding Harvest.

Harvest Time does not just occur at anytime; there is a time for it!

3. A Harvest is the Process of gathering Crops.

This is related to activities we undertake in a time of Harvest.

Now, if you look at the three (3) Definitions, there are three (3) words that I want you to pay attention to:

- RESULT
- SEASON, and
- PROCESS.

So a Harvest is a RESULT, a Harvest is a SEASON and a Harvest is a PROCESS.

And for today, I will focus on RESULT and SEASON.

... And Next Week I will focus on the Harvest as PROCESS.

But today, we will look at the Harvest as a RESULT and a SEASON.

We have already considered Galatians 6:7-8, that says:

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"Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life."

A Harvest can be a Prize for something Good we have done (a Reward); or it can be a Retribution.

... It can be a Punishment for a wrong action.

So, depending on what you sowed, your Harvest may be Good or it may not be Good!

God, sometimes gives us a Harvest for things we have not done or Seeds we have not sown.

In other words, you can reap a Harvest that is not a result of your own seed;

I. It could be the result of a Previous Generation Seeds, efforts they made that benefits you!

II. It could be Prayers your Parents made, Investments your Parents made, or other People have made that Benefits you!

Sometimes you enter an "Easy Harvest Field", because those ahead of you Ploughed it for it!

And then sometimes you enter a "Hard Field", because those ahead of you, left it Fallow.

So, what People do for others or ahead of others would determine whether the Field they were Ploughing in is a Tough one or an Easy one!

So, the Field you are Sowing in today may be a Hard and a Dry Field and that will affect the Harvest that you have.

... And you will get it a bit better, as we go on!

Luke 10:2, Jesus speak to them and the Bible says: "The Harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; therefore Pray the Lord of the Harvest to send out laborers into His Harvest."

I always like to stay with a Context and explain it. Because I am going to apply this in a different way.

In this Context of this Passage, Jesus is applying the Principle of Harvest to Soul Winning.

Because the Principle of Harvest, as I have said over and over again; is an Agricultural Principle. But it applies to different aspects of our lives.

And Jesus is applying it to Winning Souls; I am applying it to getting Results in your life.

... I hope you understand that

So, the Principle is the same, Application is different!

Jesus says: "The Harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; therefore Pray the LORD of the Harvest to send out laborers into His Harvest."

I want you to note the Phrase: "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST".

So, God is THE LORD OF THE HARVEST. He Superintense over the Process of the Harvest.

When I sow a Seed: whether it's a Financial Seed or an Action I have taken, or Investment I have made; or whatever Process I start the Seed level to Produce a Harvest;

There is One Who rules the Harvest. And that is the LORD - "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST".

... God is "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST."

Now, if God is "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST"; WHAT DOES HE DO AS "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST?"

I will give you three (3) Things that God does as "THE LORD OF THE HARVEST?"

1. He determines the size of the Harvest.

... This is so critical.

In 1 Corinthians 3:6-7, Apostle Paul speaking he says:

"I Planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase.

So, then neither he who Plants is anything, nor he who waters, but God who gives the increase."

... GOD IS THE ONE WHO GIVES THE INCREASE.

The word 'INCREASE' in this Context means, the extent of Growth.

In the Parable of the Sower, Jesus indicated that a Harvest can be thirty (30) folds, sixty (60) folds or hundred (100) folds.

Not all Harvest are the same! - We don't get the same outcomes from the Lord.

So, we can all sow, but the Lord of the Harvest, determines the size of the Harvest.

Just like in the Parable of the Talent; the Lord determines who gets one (1) Talent, Two (2) Talents, Five (5) Talents!

God blesses each one of us; our Fields and our Harvest are not the same.

God blesses all of us; but the Size of our blessing is not all the same.

The Lord of the Harvest determines the size of the Harvest.

That is why, if you go comparing what God has blessed you with, with another Person; you vexed your Soul.

Because, although we put in all efforts, the Lord of the Harvest determines the Harvest!

Let's say my effort is 2 Kilograms of efforts. And you also put in 2 Kilograms of efforts. It doesn't mean we will all get a Harvest of 20 Kilograms.

The Lord of the Harvest may determine: I get 5 Kilograms of Harvest, and you get a 100 Kilograms of Harvest!

WHY? Because He is the LORD of the Harvest!

It is not so much of your Seed alone, but there is One Who determines the Outcome.

So He determines the Size of the Harvest!

2. He appoints the Times of the Harvest.

Jeremiah 5:23-24; But these People has a defiant and rebellious heart; They have revolted and departed.

... Forget about that - You haven't revolted and departed!

They do not say in their heart, "Let us now fear the Lord our God, Who gives rain, both the former and the latter, in its Season. He reserves for us the Appointed Weeks of the Harvest."

....God reserves for us the Appointed Weeks of the Harvest.

In the Harvest, God appoints the Season of Harvest!

Let's say for us, the Season of Harvest (just for the Purposes of illustration) is June and August. That's the Season.

... But God appoints the Weeks.

Whether my Harvest comes First Week, Second Week, Third Week, Fourth Week, Fifth Week!

So, not only does He determines the Size of the Harvest; He determines the Weeks of the Harvest.

Some People's Harvest come earlier than other People; and the Size differs.

3. The Lord of the Harvest Prepares People for the Harvest.

He is the One Who sends People to the Harvest Field. He gets us ready to Harvest what He has Prepared for us.

When the Lord ready the Harvest for me, He will already ready me for the Harvest.

When God sends me to my Harvest - and it is mine; you cannot take it from me!

"My Harvest is my Harvest, your Harvest is your Harvest; you cannot take my Harvest."

When God Prepares and sends me to the Field; He equips me for a Particular Harvest and I receive it!

And you may find People competing with you in your Harvest Field; but Harvest Field that has been Prepared for you is yours!

They may fight you, they may resist you, they may contend with you, they may undermine you;

But the Harvest Field has been Appointed by the Weeks (by the Lord of the Harvest), to your Credit and it is yours.

And that is why you don't get scared because People are fighting over you, over something that God has given to you!

Because, God is the Lord of the Harvest: He Appoints the Size of the Harvest, the Weeks of the Harvest and the Labourers of the Harvest.

And if it is my Field, and He Appoints me the Labourer for that Field; you can go to Hell and back, you can talk to everybody you know in the Universe; and the Harvest is still mine.

WHY? Because there is the LORD OF THE HARVEST!

And He has Appointed me as a Labourer on this Harvest Field; and you can't take it from me!

When God gets a Harvest ready, He also gets a People ready for the Harvest.

In Matthew 13, Jesus indicated in a Parable - The Parable that we normally call 'The Parable of the Wheat and the Tares' - Matthew 13:24 downwards.

Jesus told a Parable, and the essence of the Parable is to indicate that a Harvest Field can be mixed.

Because a man sowed Wheat in his Field; and an enemy sowed Tares in his Field and created confusion in the Harvest Field.

In Matthew 13:30, this is what the Lord of the Harvest says:

Let both grow together until the Harvest, and at the time of Harvest I will say to the reapers, "First gather together the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them, but gather the wheat into my barn."

This is so important (I don't want you to miss is): In your Harvest Field, the enemy can misdirect a Harvest.

You say, 'Pastor, what do you mean by that?' Sometimes as we wait for the Lord to give us what we have desired of Him:

The enemy can Present something that looks like a Miracle.

It looks like - This is what I have been Praying for. It may be a Business Opportunity, a Career Opportunity, a Relationship Opportunity.

It looks like it, but it is Tares!

And if you don't have the Patience to wait, you are going to Harvest something that is not your Harvest!

*And each one of us have had those experiences: We thought the Lord has given us something. We took it, we even Testified about it!

And realised the thing was just misery. It wasn't from the Lord! - It wasn't Wheat, it was Tares.

So you have to be very careful; in every Harvest Field, we require Discernment.

Not everything that looks like your Miracle is a Miracle.

... It happens in every way!

You are Praying for a Business Opportunity and a door opens! And you rush into it and you realise, it didn't lead to a Good Place; it led to a Bad Place!

You Prayed 'Lord, give me a husband.' "Something" shows up (Laughter) and you grabbed it!

'Something' shows up! It looks like the answer to your Prayer, but it is not.

Because the enemy can confuse your Field of Harvest!

HOW DO YOU KNOW THE ENEMY IS CONFUSING YOU?

Anything that puts a Spirit of "HASTE" in you; that doesn't allow you to Pray about and Wait - BE CAREFUL OF IT!

Because the Spirit of the Believer is not a 'Hasty Spirit.'

"He that Believes in the Lord shall not make Haste" - Isaiah 28:16

Any opportunity that opens and says: "Hey, if you don't take it right now, you will miss it forever!" - BE CAREFUL, CAREFUL, CAREFUL! It may be Tares! And you will Harvest something that will hurt you.

People have Testified of Miracles that were not Miracles; People have Testified of Breakthroughs that were not Breakthroughs; People have Testified of God's Favour, and it wasn't God's Favour - It was all Tares in their Harvest Field.

And the reason why they couldn't discern is because they had a "Hasty Spirit".

The Lord of the Harvest told the Labourers - Wait! Because the true nature would show very soon.

... Wait! Because the true nature would show very soon.

Then you can separate the tares from your true Harvest.

When God blesses you with something, He doesn't give you Hastiness about it.

It doesn't mean: Be slow or don't be quick; but anything that makes you feel like you have to do some Extra Quick to get something; otherwise it would not be there!

Be careful about it! It will Pierce you with sorrows and hurt you so bad because it looks like wheat, it is Tares.

It takes Patience, Discernment and Waiting on the Lord to see the Right Harvest.

STAGES OF A HARVEST.

A Harvest goes through severally Stages - four (4) of them:

So let's say, you are a Christian, you have been Sowing Seed, you have been Giving, you are Tithing Faithfully, you are Giving your Offering, you are Praying, you are Fasting.

Those are all Seeds you are Sowing.

You are Sowing Seeds of Prayer, Seeds of Fasting, Financial Seeds. You are Serving in the House of the Lord. You are being kind to People!

Those are all Seeds! All of these Good Things you are doing. And then you are Waiting because God says He will Reward you. And, He starts Rewarding you.

There are four (4) Stages of the Reward that we are going to discuss today.

And it's based on a Parable Jesus told. And the conclusion of the Parable is in Mark 4:28-29.

You have worked hard, you are intelligent and what you have worked for is beginning to show results.

Previously, He talked about a man who had sown in his Field. And this one is talking about how the Harvest starts.

Mark 4:28-29; "For the Earth yields crops by itself: first the blade, then the head, after that the full grain in the head. But when the grain ripens, immediately he puts in the sickle, because the Harvest has come."

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So here is a Person who has sown in his Field; there is a blade, there is the head, there is the full grain in the head and there is the ripened grain.

But I want you to note at what Point He says: 'The Harvest has come!'

... He doesn't say it at the beginning; He says it at the end!

So let's Walk through the four (4) Stages:

1. First (1st) is the Blade.

The Blade is a Sign of Possibility.

What does the Blade mean by the Blade?

... Definitely, it doesn't mean the Blade that we cut with.

The Blade is the blade of Grass. Anyone who has sown corn can easily Understand this!

As a kid, and as most children of my age at that time, I had a Corn Farm.' You sow the corn of two (2) grains into the ground.

And normally, after three (3) days, the Blade shows up. The Blade - That's the first indication that your Seed is working. Your effort is Producing Result.

But it's a Blade. It's not a Harvest.

And when you see the Blade, it just tells you - 'Your effort is working.' And there is a Possibility, it will be Successful.

You Rejoice to see the Blade, but you don't Harvest the Blade.

Neither do you go round, bragging to everyone about the great things God is doing in your life if all you are seeing is a Blade.

Because there are People who share 'Premature Testimonies.'

They only saw a Blade and rejoiced: Oh, God has done it.

It's a Blade!

And if you don't manage that Process well, you can introduce enemies to consume your Blade.

Rejoice in your heart! But Wait because God is not finished with you yet.

The Blade is simply an indication that what God gives you is going to work!

... Just to illustrate it a little further:

It's like in a Marriage Relationship. It's like when a Gentleman tells a Lady: "You are the most beautiful woman I have ever met." You are the sugar in my tea! You are the butter for my bread.

Or Vice Versa - tohe Lady tells the man (though it doesn't happen often)!

But Ladies, Gentlemen; when somebody tells you that, it's a Blade; it's not a Marriage!

The Harvest has not come! Don't go Singing: "THE THING I DIDN'T EXPECT HAS HAPPENED." - NO! Don't go telling everybody 'Oh, God has done it!'

.... He will do it! But it is a Blade.

Don't Testify Prematurely when God has not completed The Process.

So that's the first level - The Blade.

You go out there, you put your Contract out. Somebody gives you a Promise; and say: "Oh, young man I'm going to help you. Young Lady, this Contract will go through." It's a Blade!

2. Second (2nd) Stage: "THE HEAD".

The Head represents Structure without Substance.

It's better than the Blade - It has Structure.

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If you have grown corn before, you can understand this - It's when the cornhead had grown on the side of the Plant.

It has Nice Golden hair coming out of it - Like a blonde Person! It looks beautiful. Sometimes it looks bulky.

But, if you Harvest and open, it will be empty. There will be not even one grain on it. It's just a head with hair and Nothing else.

So Jesus is saying: there is a Blade. Then you begin to see the thing growing and taking structure.

In a Marriage Relationship, it can be likened to the man saying: "I Love you!"

Now, he is not saying, you are sugar in Cocoa or Tea. But he says: 'Oh, I love you with all my heart.

... It's Good to hear that! But it's not a Harvest.

And all of you who rush ahead to declare a Harvest; you know that sometimes you can be solely disappointed.

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Because you may find that, that statement doesn't have more deeper meaning to the Person as it is to you.

3. Third (3) Stage: "THE FULL GRAIN in the Head".

This is when the Blade had now become a Stock: it has Produced the Head. Now the Head has Substance - There is corn on it. It's not just a Promise, it's not just a Structure. It is Substance.

In a Marriage Relationship, it can be likened to an Engagement. It is very close, but it is not a Harvest.

4. And then the Fourth (4th) Stage: "The RIPEN GRAIN".

That is the Harvest that is ready! It is Growth that is Full, the Season is right.

But when the Grain ripens, immediately, it's put in the sickle because the Harvest has come!

The "Blade" was not a Harvest; the "Head" was not a Harvest; the "Full Grain" of Corn on the Head was not a Harvest - They were all Processes leading to the Harvest.

It is only when the corn has ripened on the Head that Jesus says, He puts in the sickle.

WHY? - Because the Harvest has come.

When God starts to Bless you, we must allow the Blessing to Mature.

You don't Harvest the Blade, You don't Harvest the Head, You don't even Harvest the Head with Corn on it - You Harvest at the right time, when the Process has completed.

WHAT DOES THIS TELL US?

I have tried to apply it to Marriage. But it applies to every other areas of our lives.

1. If you are a Pastor, you go through that: The Blade, the Head, the Grain and the Ripe Harvest.
2. If you are a Businessman - You go through that. You start Well, you make an Investment, you start working so hard and you see things beginning to Flourish.

It's not your Harvest - You have to Protect the Blade. You have to keep the wild birds away from the Blade.

And you work Hard; that is not the time to start living Good. When you get the Head, that is not the time to go flex! When you see Substance, that is not the time to flex.

There will come a time to flex! There will come a time for you to shout. But you don't shout ahead of Time!

Because one of the things People do when God starts blessing them; they attract enemies they can't fight.

And sometimes you Testify to People who would destroy you! You open your secret to People who have no interest in your Harvest.

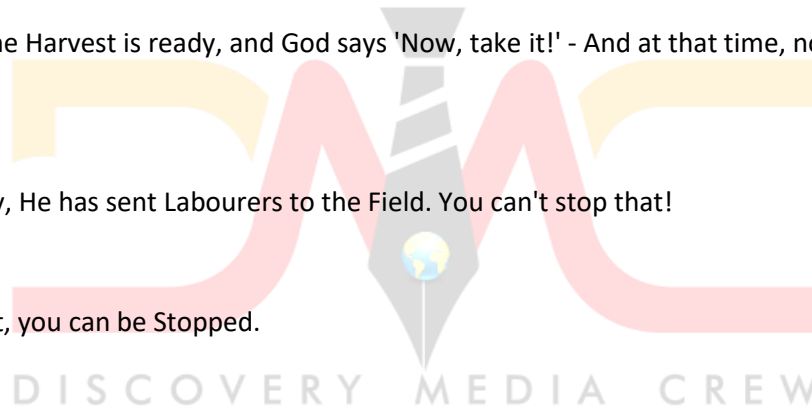
... Because you have no idea who wants to steal your Harvest.

You Testify ahead of Time, they will steal the Field from you.

So you Wait till the Harvest is ready, and God says 'Now, take it!' - And at that time, no one can Stop you.

The Field is Ready, He has sent Labourers to the Field. You can't stop that!

... But before that, you can be Stopped.



So, where are you in your Harvest Season?

- Are you at your Blade Level?

- Are you at the Head Level?

- Are you at the Full Grain Level?

- Are you at the Full Mature Stage Level?

Next Week, I'm going to talk about: "HOW TO HARVEST WHAT GOD HAS GIVEN TO YOU."

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Let us Pray!

CLOSING PRAYER

Father we Thank You that You are the Lord of the Harvest.

For every areas of our life, there is a Process and You watch over the Harvest.

You determine the Size of our Harvest; You determine the Size of our Blessing.

You determine Lord, the Weeks of our Harvest.

You also determine the Stages - You give us Wisdom, not to Harvest Tares with Wheat.

May you grant Oh God, every child of Yours, that has served You Faithfully, whose heart is right towards You; never to miss the Harvest Time; never to Harvest Tares instead of Wheat; never to Harvest a Blade, instead of the Ripe Grain.

And grant us Oh God, a Patient Spirit; not

A "Hasty Heart"; that we can Wait until the Harvest has fully come.

So that we can put in the sickle to reap that which You have Prepared for us.

In Jesus' Name we Pray - Amen!

God Bless you!

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21ST MARCH, 2021 - TOPIC: HARVEST TIME - PART 2.



TEXT: JOHN 4:35

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Amen! Let's rise up together, as we make our DECLARATION OF FRUITFULNESS in this Year of Fruitfulness:

Are you ready? Say with me:

The Eternal God is our refuge. He opens Rivers in desolate Heights. The Lord makes the wilderness a Pool of water.

The LORD God is my Sun and Shield; The LORD gives Grace and Glory.

Therefore, I delight myself in Him. Those who are Planted in the House of the LORD shall be fresh and flourishing.

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Though the Earth be shaken; the Name of the Lord is my Strong Tower. By Faith I affirm that: In Christ alone is my Salvation. In Him I live, And move And have my being.

It is written: The Righteous are like trees Planted by the waters; bearing fruits in its Season.

So I boldly declare: As for me, my God has made me EXCEEDINGLY FRUITFUL.

In this Season, my Spirit bears Fruits of Righteousness, my Talents make Way for me. With my hands, I will Plant, I will Build, I will Harvest - Day by day, Step by step.

In Jesus' Name - Amen!

Today is exactly one (1) Year of going Virtual due to the LOCKDOWN.

So, in a Season when it seems like everything is dark, God still does Wonders!

That simply tells you, that God's Harvest Time can sometimes come in an unexpected way - When something seems to be disrupting you, it may be the Harvest Time for you!

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Because God is able to use situations that were designed for our disadvantage to work to our Advantage.

So today, I'm doing HARVEST TIME - PART 2.

We have been talking about SEEDTIME, WAITING, HARVEST - PART 1. And this is the second Part of HARVEST TIME.

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John 4:35 (NKJV):

Do you not say, 'There are still four Months and then comes the Harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for Harvest

Jesus is speaking to His Disciples about Harvest. And in this situation, He is talking about: "THE HARVEST OF SOULS."

And Jesus says: You think it is about four (4) Months more, for the Harvest!

And when he says: "Four (4) Months more, for the Harvest;" He meant the normal Harvest Season - The Agricultural Harvest Season.

But then He says, "LOOK, because the Harvest has come!"

So Jesus is Contrasting the Normal Season of Harvest with this New Season of Harvest.

We learn from this Passage that:

1. WE MUST RECOGNISE OUR HARVEST SEASON.

There is a time for Sowing, there is a time for Watering, there is a time for Waiting. And then there is a time for Harvest.

... And we must recognise when that Season comes!

And then we learn from this Passage that:

2. WE MUST NOT PROCRASTINATE, IN THE SEASON OF HARVEST.

It's not in the next four (4) Months. It's not in the next four (4) Years.

When God opens a door or Harvest, we must SEIZE the moment.

I don't know about you, but when I was Young, I used to say (and I think must of you used to say it too);
"When I grow up I will be So and So;"

"When I grow up, I will be a Farmer, when I grow up, I will be a Doctor. Or when I grow up, I will be a Policeman!"

Now, it's Good for you to say that, when you are twelve (12) years old!

But when you are Forty (40) years old, and you still say: "When I grow up, I will be a Farmer, when I grow up, I will be a Doctor. Or when I grow up, I will be a Policeman" you definitely have missed your Harvest.

Because there is a time to expect something to happens; and there is a time for you to live in those things happening.

So when it is Harvest Time, we don't Procrastinate!

We don't say things like: "When God gives me opportunity, if God opens the door." - He has opened the door. You have to go in and Harvest!

Harvest Time sometimes will appear at the time you don't expect: You have to lift up your eyes and see that the Harvest is ready.

Luke 10:2-3, Jesus speaking, He said to them: "The Harvest truly is great, but the Labourers are few; therefore Pray the Lord of the Harvest to send out Labourers into His harvest. Go your way; behold, I send you out as Lambs among wolves."

Jesus used the Analogy of Harvesting to teach about Soul Winning in the Kingdom of God.

He used the Natural Process to teach a Spiritual Truth.

But what Jesus taught about Harvesting is not limited only to Preaching to win souls; it also has application to how we reap the Seed we have sown into our barns.

And in this Passage, Jesus showed His Disciples how to reap a Harvest; and He taught something very interesting. He stated: The Harvest is Great.

When there is a Harvest Time, God opens great opportunities for us.

That Phrase: "THE HARVEST IS GREAT" - means the Harvest is READY. It is available, it is open. It offers you Opportunities.

"THE HARVEST IS GREAT" also means - the Harvest is RIPE. It is ripe, it is mature: it has gone through all the circles of Maturation.

... It is in its FULLNESS.

And "THE HARVEST IS GREAT" means the Harvest is rich. It's in Abundance; huge Rewards.

When God brings us to a Harvest, He brings us to a Harvest that is ready, that is ripe, that is rich.

But like I said: It may not have come at a time when you were hoping it would come.

Because sometimes you Pray and Pray for something to happen; and then when it happens; you find, you are not ready!

Because that is exactly what Jesus is talking about: ""THE HARVEST IS GREAT."

And then He talks about Challenge: "The Labourers are few."

... Great opportunity, but Challenge!

God opens the door, but we don't have what it takes - "The Labourers are few!"

Isn't it interesting that in the midst of GREAT, we are dealing with few? - Great opportunity, few Labourers.

It's like being in a room with a high Shelf that you cannot reach. You can see it, but you can't get to it.

"The Harvest is Great, but the Labourers are few.

And then He talks about CHALLENGE: "the Labourers are FEW."

...GREAT opportunity, but CHALLENGE.

God opens the door, but we don't have what it takes - "the Labourers are few!"

Isn't it interesting that in the midst of GREAT, we are dealing with FEW? GREAT opportunity, few LABOURERS.

It's like being in a room full of Gold sitting on a high Shelf that you cannot reach - you can SEE it, but you can't get to it.

"The Harvest is GREAT, but the LABOURERS are few."

What does that mean "The LABOURERS are FEW?" It means:

1. YOU DON'T HAVE THE RIGHT PEOPLE.

A Harvest will put Pressure on you and your Staff - More People are required at Harvest than at Sowing.

Why is that so? - Only one (1) Person can sow a Field; but that one (1) Person cannot reap the Harvest of the Field.

So, if you have, let say five (5) Acre land, and you are Sowing corn on it. One (1) Person can sow on all the Field.

He can go out there and Plant because all he needs to do is make a hole and drops couple of Seeds in there - And that's it!

But when Harvest comes, the three (3) Seeds of corn has now become a thousand on each Stock.

And so, what is required to Harvest, is greater than what is required to Sow.

And that is why Jesus says: "The Harvest is Plentiful, but the Labourers are few."

It means that many times in life, you may be the one that Planted the Seed (God used you alone); but when your Harvest comes; you are not going to do it alone.

The danger with a lot of People is, they say: "Well, I was here, I Planted the Seed. I was here from the beginning."

And when it is Harvest Time, they want to do it all by themselves! They don't want to bring in other hands; they don't want to bring in other People!

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Your Harvest Time will require that you reach out to other People to come and help you to Harvest.

... The Harvest is GREAT, but the LABOURERS are few!

Don't be Narrow-minded at Harvest Time! You need to be Broad-minded.

2. Secondly, it means: YOU DON'T HAVE THE RIGHT EXPERIENCE.

A Harvest will put Pressure on what you know; when the Harvest requires Sophistication.

Let's say, when you start on your own; you know, you do very well. You sow Seeds, God brings increase.

And then your Harvest Time brings you into a totally new world. Where things like the way you communicate becomes important. Even your dinner table manners is important.

At the time when you were Sowing, that was not important. But when greatness comes, you are exposed to a New world, and you need better Experience.

So "the Harvest is great, the Labourers are few": you need more People, you need to grow your experience.

3. And thirdly, YOU NEED TO GROW YOUR TOOLS.

You don't have the needed Tools - A Harvest will put Pressure on your Resources.

The tools required to Harvest corn is not the same thing needed to Harvest coconut. When the Harvest requires different tools, you go for different tools.

When the Harvest requires bigger Vessels, you must go for bigger Vessels.

One of the things we learned last Year, when there was a shutdown was: "How do you do Church when there is nobody Present?"

All my life I have Preached before a congregation - That's what I have done!

I have done that for about Forty (40) years.

As a matter of fact I will say that, in the most Part of my life; I have always Preached before a large congregation - Worldwide, everywhere, thousands of People gather to hear me.

... That's my experience! Those were the Tools I had.

And I'm used to Preaching and watching People because every Preacher, when there is a communication between you and the People; you can tell when they understand you and when they don't understand you. And so you can simplify something you are saying.

So People will get you better because it tells from People's eyes.

... Those are skills I have used for decades.

And then all of a sudden, I have to Preach to a larger Audience (by the way)!

Larger than the ones I have Physically. Larger but I can't see their faces.

And I have to determine whether they are listening or not; whether they are understanding or not; whether I am making sense or not and be able to reach out to them effectively.

That is a harvest! But, the Labourers are few.

The skill is not the same: what I used to do differently has changed.

And a lot of Pastors were very, very destabilised by that.

I felt, whether you are ready or not, the Harvest has come!

And I had to learn to Preach to the Camera. And do it in such a way that People can get what I'm saying when I have never done that before!

You can complain about the Harvest; you can complain about the difficulty but every Harvest Time has a Timeframe.

And when the time Passes, you can't Harvest again.

And many of us here, God has opened big doors for us, but we don't know how to work with People - Everybody you work with, you sack, you fire.

God has given you a big Harvest, but you can't work with People, you can't work with Labourers - And everybody you work with, you mistreat.

If you are going to enter your Harvest, you have to learn to work with People, live with People, treat them well, Pay them well, make them a Part of your Team.

You have have to learn New Tools, New Technology; you have to acquire New Experiences.

Why? - Because the Harvest of Great. God has opened big doors, you can't go in with a small mind - You can't!

If the door is large, your brain, your thinking, your capacity must also be large.

You cannot act in your Harvest Season as you were in your Sowing Season.

But Jesus then introduces another Problem in the Harvest Season. He says: "I send you as Lambs among wolves."

Sometimes when Jesus speaks, you wonder - Why did Jesus say that?

Because the normal thing is, you don't send Lambs among wolves. It's almost like a death sentence.

Jesus says, it's your Harvest Time - The Harvest is great, the Labourers are few. But to complicate it further, "you are Lambs going to wolves".

What does that mean? - It means your Harvest Season will expose you to Enemies.

Your Harvest Season will expose you to Hostility, to Competition, to Enemies. Because if you know anything about wolves and Lambs, one eats the other!

And Jesus says: You are the Lamb, and you are going to be endangered in your Harvest Time.

Because when your Harvest Time comes, and you start harvesting big things - That's when big wolves also appear.

When you are doing small things, the wolves have no interest in you. But when you tried doing something big, enemies you haven't seen for years would pop up!

You are going to deal with enemies you never imagined; you are going to deal (depending on your Harvest) with enemies of High Places - Global Level Enemies; Governmental Enemies.

I'm not talking about that little witch - that's an easy one.

I'm talking about Conspiracies at High Levels.

When your Harvest is so great, the People feel threatened and are going to do everything to knock you off.

That's what Jesus says: "If you want a Harvest, get ready for wolves."

That's why a lot of People leave their Harvest untouched. God opens the door for them, and they say woow: Too many enemies.

As for me, I don't want too many enemies oooo. I don't want People to hate me.

... Then you will be a Permanent Sower, who never reaps.

Permanently sowing, but never reap because anytime it's a Harvest Time, wolves are going to show up.

People are going to try to sabotage you.

And let me talk to most of you who are Business People, and doing Business at the High Level:

Sabotage is normal; don't come and say: 'People are sabotaging me.'

Go and read what your Master said! - I didn't write the Bible. This is Gentle Jesus Meek and Mild.

Jesus Christ the Son of God says in your Harvest Time, I'm going to release you as Lambs (not as wolves) - to wolves.

How can a Lamb survive against a Wolf? - Very few!

Wolves hunt in the Night; Lambs eat in the Light.

In other words, the Weapon of the wolves is Darkness. The Defense of the Lambs is the Light.

So, when you are a Christian, and you are out there competing with wolves; shun the works of darkness and stay in the Light.

And when you stay in the Light, you will be Protected. No matter how voracious the wolf is; the Light of the Power of God and His Words will deliver you.

Wolves are Territorial - They mark their territory: They eat in territories, they attack in territories.

Lambs, they don't have territories - The territory of the Lamb is the territory of the Shepherd.

Wherever the Shepherd take the Lamb, that is where they are going to feed.

So, whilst your enemy is territorial and trying to fight you over this and that; just watch your Shepherd because He is going to move you from territory to territory; from Place to Place!

In your Harvest Time, People may try to stop you, but the Lord is Good to lead you from Victory unto Victory; from Territory unto Territory and give you Strength.

That's why He says: "I sent you as Lambs among wolves." It's not a disadvantage. It's a totally New Way of operating.

Because sometimes People may be fighting with you over one Territory; but all that you should do is just watch your Shepherd.

He navigates you to another Green Pastures that the wolves have never seen before.

And whilst they are fighting over that, and destroying one another, you are here in your Open Fields enjoying the abundance of your Lord.

In your Harvest Time, you keep your eyes on your Shepherd. He is leading you as your Shepherd; and you keep your eyes on Him.

For some of you, you are fighting a Territorial Battle. But if you would paused for a minute and pay Attention; you will just see God is Pointing you to another field.

Sometimes, if you are not careful, you will be stuck fighting battles with People who are going nowhere!

... But the Shepherd will take you somewhere.

In your Harvest Time, the Harvest will be great. The Labourers will be few. You need to bring in Labourers: you need to work with People, you need to bring in People, you need to coordinate well.

You need to expand your experience, you need to seize the moment and you need to trust the Shepherd to lead you in the Light; into New Territories.

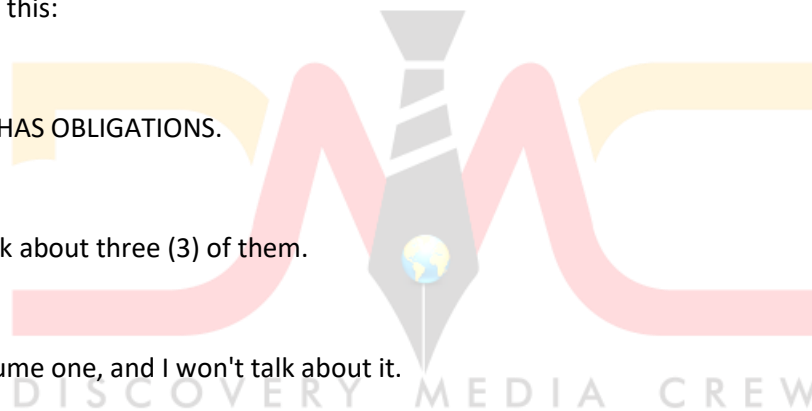
The wolves would be there, but they cannot stop you!

Let me close with this:

"YOUR HARVEST HAS OBLIGATIONS.

... I'm going to talk about three (3) of them.

I am going to assume one, and I won't talk about it.



But I'm going to talk about three (3) things that are important obligations during your Harvest Time.

What I assume (which I won't talk much about) is that: "Every Harvest Time will Favour you."

It will benefit you!

When you harvest during your Harvest Time, it benefits you.

So, you sow a Seed, God blesses you, it's going to impact you. You are going to eat of the fruit of your Labour - That's normal.

But, Three (3) Obligations I want to bring your attention to:

1. In your Harvest Time, First, you have to learn to give to the Lord.

Many times, during Harvest Time People are so overwhelmed by what they are grabbing, that they forget God.

Leviticus 23:9-10; And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying, "Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: 'When you come into the Land which I give to you, and reap its Harvest, then you shall bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your Harvest to the Priest.

God is saying, when He has blessed you with a Harvest, remember to honour Him with what He has blessed you with.

Don't be so overwhelmed with what God is giving to you in a Harvest Season that all you do is to expend it on yourself.

2. Second, in your Harvest Season you Give to the Poor.

Leviticus 23:22; When you reap the Harvest of your Land, you shall not wholly reap the corners of your field when you reap, nor shall you gather any gleaning from your harvest. You shall leave them for the Poor and for the stranger: I am the Lord your God."

What God told Israel to do is: During Harvest Time (when they went to Harvest their Field), the corners of their Field; you don't reap them.

You reap Part of the middle and you leave the corners because that is what the Poor (who have nothing) would come and benefit and take something.

That is what Ruth was doing in the Farm of Boaz and ended up with other Fringe Benefits.

But there has to be gleanings.

And the Principle is simple: That whatever God blesses you with, the Poor (People who don't have) must benefit from it.

So, as you honour God for what He has blessed you with; remember also the Poor - People who don't have, People who are disadvantaged, and help them.

And I will say: Help the Poor in such a way that you wouldn't need to help them again the Next Year.

In other words, help them in a way that gives them Independence.

Not dependence on you everyday coming to you for money. But help them in such a way that they can now build their own lives, generate their own income and don't need gleanings again from you the next time.

Because if all that happens is: 'Every Year the Poor comes to you'; you are not helping them how to sow and reap themselves - They have to learn how to sow and reap!

3. So, give to the Lord, give to the Poor. And the next one is very important: You start Sowing all over Again.

Whatever you gave to the Harvest, you have to go back and start the Process. Reinvesting - Starting the Process all over again because it's a circle.

"As long as the Earth remain, Seedtime and Harvest shall not cease."

So, you don't reap and Stop; You reap and Sow for the next Season because the Circle must continue.

Every Harvest Season gives us Seed to start all over again.

Alright! Before I close today, I just want to encourage everybody who believes that they have entered their Harvest Season.

Maybe you feel that there are too many wolves in this Harvest Season and so you are afraid.

Some of you have abandoned the Harvest God gave you and some of you, you see the opportunities are great, but you don't even have the Staff, you don't have the Technology, you don't have the ability, you don't have what it takes to take hold of your Harvest.

I just want to stand in agreement with you in Prayer. If you are in that situation, you say:

I have come to my Harvest, but there are too many wolves.

I have come to my Harvest, but I don't even have the Personnel.

I don't even have the Technology.

The opportunity is there, but I don't have what it takes (the Resources) to take hold of this Harvest.

I believe the Lord of the Harvest is also able to appoint Labourers for you!

And so I just want to stand in Prayer with you and stand in agreement with you.

For everybody who believes they have come to their Harvest Field and they feel like there are too many wolves, or they don't have what it takes:

Just stand with me wherever you are reading this Message on the Label of DMC, as we Pray.

I don't know what door God has opened for you. But I stand today by the Authority of the Lord Jesus Christ, who said there will be wolves, and I Pray with you.

So just put your hands on your heart as we Pray in Agreement:

CLOSING PRAYER

Father, for every child of Yours who has entered their Harvest Field but who is faced with wolves; be their Shepherd, be their Protector, be their Deliverer, be their Helper, in the Name of Jesus.

I Pray Father, that Your Children will not be eaten by wolves.

Though the Enemies may be voracious; You the Lord You are Mighty in War!

So Father, Arise on behalf of Your Children, and Push away every wolf from their Harvest Field.

And Father, teach them to trust You and to stay in the Light and Walk in the Light.

And Father, show them the vast opportunities that You are giving to them. Not to be discouraged by the Battles they are fighting.

I Pray for you in the Name of Jesus that the Lord of Host will fight your Battles for you and give you the Victory and cause His honour to be Established in your life!

May the Lord give you Wisdom in your Harvest Season, to bring in the Labourers that God is sending your way.

To learn the New Experiences, to bring in the People, the New Technology.

And may the Lord introduce you to People, to Connections, to People in High Places, that will link you to Resources so that your Harvest will be fully taken.

May the Lord honour His Name in your life; and in this Your Season of Harvest may you Experience Supernatural Help, beyond anything you have imagined.

In Jesus'Name - Amen and Amen!

If you believe that, say Amen - AMEN!

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