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TOPIC: DIVINE INTERVENTION AND IMPARTATION

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BIBLE TEXT: JOHN 2: 1-3

SONG

What a Mighty God we serve Hallelujah What a Mighty God we serve Hallelujah Heaven and Earth Adore Him Even Angels bow before Him What a Mighty God we serve.

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, King of Kings, Lord of Lords; the Ancient of Days, the All Sufficient God - We Worship You.

We Thank You for all what You have done for us since the Past eight (8) Years we met Last and Thank You for what You will do this Time around.

Father, accept our Thanks in Jesus Name.

Your Children are gathered together to You Today: Please Almighty God, show Yourself Mighty, meet all our Needs and let our Joy Overflow.

And Lord God Almighty, even before we leave here; let the Fire fall.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Well, let Someone shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah!

Shake hands with one (1) or two (2) People and say: Good Evening, God bless you!

And then, you may Please be seated.

I want you to know that we are highly delighted to be here with you today.

When we came last, we didn't know that it will take this long before we can come back.

But God has been answering your Prayers - The work has been expanding and so it is becoming a bit more difficult to visit as often as we will love to.

In more than 190 Nations of the world where the Church is now; there are many Nations that we have not visited once.

And so, those of you who has been visited several times; you should be your Brother's Keeper and allow those who have not even received a Single visit to receive their own.

And so, Thank God for this visit - I will appeal to you to make the most of it because only God knows when we will visit again.

John 2: <u>1-3</u> - Because by the time I read those Verses, then you will know the Story I have in Mind.

John 2:<u>1-3</u>:

- 1. And the third day there was a Marriage in Cana of Galilee; and the mother of Jesus was there:
- 2. And both Jesus was called, and his Disciples, to the Marriage.
- 3. And when they wanted wine, the mother of Jesus saith unto him, They have no wine.
- ... I'm sure that you know the Story by now!

And I Pray that you will listen with "Anointed Ears" - Amen!

The first thing that I want to talk about is that there are three (3) Categories of Failures.

My Prayer for you is that you will never fail again- Amen.

CATEGORY 1 OF FAILURE: This is when there is no Plan to Succeed.

In Matthew 25: 24-30; the Man who buried his Talents had no Plan to Succeed.

I mean: If Somebody has no Plan to Succeed, he is bound to fail.

The certain thing about those who fail is that they always have Excuses for their Failure,

Only Failures gives Excuses!

Why are you late? - Oh, I ran into a Go-Slow.

If you don't want to be late, you would have factored Go-Slow into your Planning.

When you read 1 Samuel 15: <u>1-24</u>, you discovered that when King Saul failed God, he looked for an excuse - "I feared the People".

But sir, you are the King - And so to say that it is because of the People that you failed is an excuse.

Oh, how come the work of God in this Part of the world has not reached the Level it should reach?

The Government - Thet made Laws and so some People left.

Successful People turn what would have been Excuses to Testimonies!

When you read Genesis 26: <u>1-14</u> - There was Famine in the Land but that was the time when Isaac became Very Great.

... What would have been an Excuse became a Testimony.

When you don't Plan to Succeed, you fail. And only Failures gives Excuses!

CATEGORY 2 OF FAILURE: This is when the Preparation for Success is Insufficient.

Oh, you want to Succeed - You Prepared but your Preparation is not Sufficient; then you fail.

In Matthew 25: 1-13; we have a Story of the ten (10) Virgins.

That those Girls were called Virgins means that they came from very Good Homes - They were well taught.

Their Parents told them - Preserve your Body. And they accepted the Teachings of their Parents.

They were Good Girls - They were Selected out of only God knows how many Virgins to go and receive the Bridegroom.

Special People - Like those of you Members of The Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG).

Convenant People that were well Trained:

- You are taught the Words of God from Genesis to Revelation.
- You believed the Whole Bible.
- You are not blown to the Left and Right by all manners of Doctrines.
- You believed in Holiness and the Bible.

But then, the Bridegroom delayed.

When they were leaving home, their Lamps were full of Oil but they didn't make Allowance for the Probability of the Bridegroom delaying.

This is the reason why five (5) went in while five (5) were shut out.

And do you know that the terrible thing is - When the five (5) Virgins that were shut out came back; after running helter-skelter for oil; the Bridegroom had come, the door had been shut, they came knocking but the Lord said: "I don't know you".

... They Prepared but their Preparations was not Sufficient!

Ephesians 6:13 says: After you have done all things; Stand! - Extra Preparations.

CATEGORY 3 OF FAILURE: This is Failure inspite of all Preparations and Efforts and the result is still a Failure.

... This is the One that can be very Painful - Most Painful.

When you read Luke 5: 1-5; Peter fished All-Night and still caught Nothing.

He was a Good Fisherman, he was ready to Succeed as he didn't just fished Half of the Night, he fished all the Night - And yet, he failed.

He was not a Lazy Man by any means:

- Lazy People don't work All-Night
- Lazy Pastors don't Pray All-Night.

- Lazy Choirs don't Practice All-Night.

But I'm your Coach and not just your father and I could tell you that the Choir is Good but they are far from being Perfect.

In this kind of Meeting, when your daddy is visiting you from another Nation; Majority of your Songs should not be in English at all - It should be Local Music.

There are some things that are not Appropriate - That's the truth of the matter.

Particularly when a Visitor like me is around - We want to hear the South African Songs.

It is like the Story we have where we took the Bible Text that I read to you in John 2: <u>1-3</u> - In the Wedding at Cana of Galilee.

When you Prepare for a Wedding, you Prepare very well.

I mean, they were so sure everything is well - Not only did they invite Jesus Christ Himself; they even invited His Disciples.

... These People were ready and sure that all is well and yet they failed.

Why? 1 Samuel 2:9 says: By Strength shall no Man Prevail,

That brings us to some three (3) Major Questions!

Because if you look at yourself now straightaway; you will know without being told that you are not where you are supposed to be.

You have Excuses - Many of them; but you are not where you ought to be at all.

I can't be deceiving my own children - You are far from where you are supposed to be.

The Second Place in the whole world where for example The Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) has a Camp outside Nigeria is here in South Africa and we have held a Convention there before.

Where is the Camp now? - Farmland!

Oh daddy, we applied to the Government, the Government told us that we can only use 10% of it for any Development and the remaining must be used for farm.

So what? That is an Excuse and a very lame one for that matter.

10% of Land? Glory be to God - They didn't say that you can't touch the Land at all.

Let's ask the Big Questions:

QUESTION NO 1: HAVE I DONE ALL I COULD?

I know that I'm not where I am supposed to be - The Question is: Have I done all I could?

You see, when you read Joshua 13:1 - You find a Scripture that will cause you to think again.

Joshua was Old and he was well Stricken in Age - According to Bible Scholars, he was well over <u>100</u> years Old.

Chosen by God, Specially Anointed - I mean the Bible said: Joshua, the son of Nun was full of the Spirit of Wisdom because Moses had laid hands on him (DMC NOTES: Deuteronomy 34:9).

... Meaning that he had everything to Succeed.

God said to Joshua - Joshua, you have failed me.

But the Testimony of God in that Joshua 13:1 was that: Joshua you are Old and well Stricken in Age and yet there is still much Land to Possess.

Joshua, when I called you, I told you that you are not only going to Possess all the Lands, you will distribute the Lands to the People.

But now, you are about to die and there is still a lot of Lands to Possess; talk less of distributing it,

When you ask a Student to mark his own Papers, he will score himself 100% because everything he wrote down, he wrote them down because he believed it was correct.

It is when you hand it over to the Teacher who will now take the Papers and say this is not exactly what is right. At times, he might not even score you well.

I mean I could remember very clearly when I was doing my Masters' Degree and my Supervidor gave me an Assignment. And I have written Pages upon Pages, thinking that when my Supervisor goes through this; he will say: Boy, surely you are ready for your Masters'.

And he called me and said: Totally Unacceptable!

I thought you will say: Well we should correct this or that; but He said: Totally Unacceptable.

Why? Because I made a mistake in Page 1 and every other things were built on that Faulty Foundation.

What is God Testimonial about you?

Will God look at you and say: Oga, look at how Old you are now?

When we are talking of Old Age, don't think that it is daddy that is 82 that is Old. We are all Old together.

When a Child is born and they want to ask his Parents the number of days the Child has spent; they will say: "How Old" and not "How Young".

Our days are Numbered, we are getting closer to die and so we can't afford to waste any Day or Hour.

I get uncomfortable when People are wasting Minutes because once Time is gone, you can't get it back again.

No matter how Anointed you are; you cannot bring back April 2024 back - It is gone forever!

You can't even bring back yesterday.

QUESTION NO 2: AM I DOING RIGHT NOW ALL I SHOULD DO?

... This is a more important Question.

Yes, I might have failed to measure up to Expectations in the Past but what about right now? Am I doing all that I should be doing?

You see because in Revelation 3: <u>15-18</u>; that is where God was talking to His Children and He told them: The Problem with you is that you believed that you are doing Great - You are rich, you don't need Money, you are doing fine.

And He said that when I take a look at you, I found out that you are Poor, you are Wretched and you are Blind - That could be very frightening.

And He said to them that the whole thing might have been better if you are not doing anything at all so that I will know that you are Cold.

Because it is either you are Cold - Real Cold or you are Boiling Hot.

He said but because you are Lukewarm, I will spue you out of my mouth - Revelation 3:16.

So, I believed that God is Challenging you to take a Closer look at yourself - Take a Close look at your Past and a Close look at your Present!

The Problem with Majority of us Christian is that we are Lukewarm - We are not doing the Best that we can.

I'm not talking of the Past; even in the Present - We will Part ourselves on the back and said that we are better than "Such Organisation".

God is not comparing you with Someone else.

He says it clearly in His Words that: Those who compare themselves with others, He said that they were not wise.

The Purpose of God for your Life is different from another Person - Do your Maximum Best!

Whether the People around you will rec<mark>ognize</mark> you or appreciate you doesn't matter - At the end of the day, the One who will decide the one who Succeeds or not is God.

QUESTION NO 3: AM I WILLING TO BEGIN TO DO THE MOST I COULD FROM NOW ON?

... This is the most Important Question of all.

Because if we are going to be very, very sincere; Majority of us we are not where we ought to be.

But are we willing to make this Day a New Beginning?

Are we willing to start afresh?

Are we willing to move at the Speed that will be required to redeemed the Time that has been Lost?

In 2 Kings 13: <u>14-20</u> - The Bible says when Elisha was sick of the sickness that would killed him. And King Joash came to him.

Elisha asked the King to take a bow, put his hands upon the King's hands, open the Window Eastwards and ask him to shoot for Victory over the Enemies.

Now, He said, take your arrows and smite the Ground - And he smote three times and stopped.

Ha, the Man of God said: You stopped? Who asked you to stop? You should have smitten five or six times and your Victory would have been Complete,

The amazing thing to me is that the King stood there Stupidly and did Nothing.

Ha, Elisha was still alive?

If I were him, he will be the one to stop me maybe when I'm striking the thirtieth (30th) time.

He will say "O ti to" - Meaning: That's enough!

Because we are hearing the Truth now, doesn't mean that it will bring out a Radical Change in you unless you remember what I'm telling you now - You may never hear a Sermon like this again!

Because this is not a Sermon but a Message from God to you!

But something a little Deeper: If you are willing to redeem Time; do everything you need to do.

There is still this Big Problem - How do I still know that I will end up a Success even if I Redeemed the Time, Restitute my ways and now begin to run my Christian Race like Nobody Business?

You see because in Romans 9: <u>14-16</u> - Where the Almighty God said that I will have Mercy on whom I will have Mercy, I will have Compansion on whom I will have Compansion.

He said that it is not of him that willeth nor of him that runneth but of God who shows Mercy.

You can be 100% Prepared and still run out of wine!

You see, in 1 Samuel 2:9; the Bible says: By Strength shall no Man Prevail.

You could Plan to Succeed, you could be more than Prepared to Succeed; you can do your "Very Best" but at the end of the day; it is not of him that willeth nor of him that runneth but of God that shows Merxy!

That means that you need "Divine Intervention".

In the Wedding in Cana of Galilee; if Jesus Christ had not intervened; that Marriage could have gone down in History as the Most Disastrous Marriage ever.

... If God does not intervene, you will fail!

I was telling my children of Someone who failed not because she wanted to fail.

And I think I remembered that it was in <u>1965</u> when we were Preparing for the first Nigerian University Games Association (NUGA) Games which took Place at the University of Ibadan <u>1966</u>. And when we came from The University of Nigeria Nsukka to Jos, we came as Representative of Sportsmen.

But in those days, when the University of Nigeria Nsukka are going out for that kind of Outing, we will check our chances to know where we will win Gold because we took Sports seriously and most of our Coaches came from America.

And there was this Girl - She was the fastest thing on the face of at least Nigeria at that time. We knew that she will win Gold and there was no doubt about it.

We got to the University of Ibadan for the Competition - In the Heat, she beat everybody far behind.

The Final Day came - On your Mark, Set, Go!

She was gone and left all the others behind.

I mean we used to joke that the others won't even see her back.

Some few distance to reach the Finishing Point (about 10 yards), she fell - She got up and fell, she got up and fell and then she began to crawl towards the Funishing Line.

But then now, the one who would had been 2nd had come 1st; the one who would have been 3rd, had become 2nd and the one who would have never had a Position had come 3rd.

Why did she fail? Nobody found out - Because it is not of him that willeth nor of him that runneth but of God that shows Mercy.

So, let me round up because it is a Sermon that you must remember!

In Conclusuon:

1. You must admit that you are the one who failed and not God.

You are where you are today because you failed and not God.

Because it is clearly written: I can do All Things through Christ that Strengthens me (DMC NOTES: Philippians 4:13)

2. You must be ready for a New Start now - I mean right now as I am speaking to you and not tomorrow Morning.

You must be ready for a New Start before you get out of this Building - You make up your Mind that things will never be the same again.

The way I serve my God will never be the same again!

3. You need the Strength that only God can Supply.

Because the Passage that I just quoted to you - Philippians 4:13 says: I can do All Things through Christ who Strengthens me.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

That is why the Holy Communion of tonight is very Special - It is not there for decoration or just the usual Holy Communion.

Because you see in 1 Kings 19;48; when Elijah looked at himself and he saw that he has failed:

- Oh, he had called down Fire from Heaven on Mount Carmel.
- He has Prayed and Rain had fallen.
- He has destroyed all the Prophets of Baal on the Earth.
- He had run faster than the Chariot of the King.

But down at the bottom of the Hill was Jezebel waiting.

Jezebel had told him - I'm coming for you and so he ran.

After three (3) days he became tired and wearied.

And he said to God: I am a Failure. If I am going to die, don't let that woman kill me - Kill me Yourself.

And God said that I don't bury my "Wounded Soldiers" but I feed them.

And after he had eaten, the Lord said: You are eating because the Journey is still far and so you need Strength.

South Africa; I hope that you are listening: You are going to come to this Table tonight to receive Strength!

It will be an "Ordinary Holy Communion Service" to you if you have not taken that Decision - That the way I serve my God will be different from now on!

When I sing, the way I sing to Him will be different from now on - I won't sing to Him as if He is begging me. He has Millions of Angels Praising Him!

I have said it several times at least in Nigeria - Even as few as we were here by comparison; if I ask everybody to shout Hallelujah and one fellow among us say that I am not going to shout and the rest of us shouted. Who will know that you didn't shout?

That is why I feel distressed when whoever is taking Offering say: Let Somebody shout Hallelujah and he has to say you can do better.

God is not begging you!

No, the Bible says that the Hallelujah in Heaven sounds like Thunder.

So, if all the Peoole in South Africa says that we are not shouting, is that going to make any difference?

So, if you have made up your Mind: The way I Praise Him, the way I dance for him, the way I Give - The way I will do everything will be different, then the Meal of tonight will Supply the Strength!

ANOINTING SERVICE

And then because He says that it is not by Power, not by Might but by my Spirit.

And He also said in Acts 1:8 that you will receive Power after the Holy Ghost has come upon you.

That is the reason for the Anointing Service!

So, when Mummy was speaking and she said that it is going to be a Power Night, that is where we are going.

- When we admit that we have failed.

- When we admit that it is not God who failed but ourselves.
- When we admit that we have no excuse None al all. Whatever has happened has happen to expose our Failure.
- And we say: Lord, we are sorry and we will Change now.
- And we eat the Holy Communion that will Strengthen us because the Bible says we are Strengthened in the Inner Man.
- And then the Anointing Service will expose us to the Power of God afresh.

And then we will be able to say: Devil, Watch Out, here we come!

I will give you 5 Minutes to go to God.

And Probably the most Important Prayer you have ever Prayed since you got Born Again: Ask God to Please forgive you.

I have failed You, have Mercy on me - And it is my fault: Not Yours at all, not the fault of Government and not the fault of any Rules and Regulations but mine.

Forgive me Lord for the Time that I had wasted - The Time I should be Praying but joking.

Forgive me for not Witnessing - For not bringing in the Locals into the Church.

Forgive me for not being Spent and Spending for You to the Maximum of my Ability.

Now, give me the Grace to Start afresh now and not tomorrow so that everything can become New in my Life as an Individual; New in my Life as a Worker in Your Church and New in my Life as one of Your Ministers.

Lord help me and have Mercy on me as I have wasted enough Time, Energy and Money.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

DADDY GO PRAYS

My Father and my God, I Stand before You today as a Representative of Your Children here to You and I Stand before them as Your Representative to them.

I Thank You for Your Word and I Thank You for the Power in Your Word.

And I am asking for Mercy for all of us:

We have failed You without any doubt in this Part of the world.

Please forgive us, have Mercy on us and let Your Blood wash us Clean again.

And Please Lord, as we Repent before You, as we Return to You wholeheartedly, give us a New Beginning.

As we come to Your Table tonight, Father feed us Yourself and give us Strength.

Then anoint us Lord and give us Power.

Before this Night is out, let all the Demons in South Africa know that there is a New Army arising.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

Praise the Lord - Hallelujah!

ADMINISTRATION OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

When you take the Bread tonight, all of you ask God for Strength.

Father, give me Strength in the Inner Man - The Strength to run the race for the rest of my Life; give me today!

When they serve you the Wine, hold on to it until we have all been served. And when it is time to drink, I will tell you how to Pray.

The Lord Jesus Christ; the very Night in which He was betrayed took the Bread and when He has given Thanks, He broke it saying: Take, Eat; this is my Body broken for you; do this in Remembrance of Me.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit - Amen!

When you drink the Wine tonight, you are going to call on the Almighty God to Baptise you not only with the Holy Spirit but with Fire so that from now on:

- You will be burning for the Almighty God.

- And you will be Winning Souls as if your very Life depends on it.
- You will be serving God with every Zeal that only the Holy Spirit can give.

After the same manner also; He took the Cup when He has sup, saying: This Cup is the New Testament in my Blood, Please do ye as oft as you drink it in Remembrance of Me.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit - Amen!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

We can remain seated in an Attitude of Worship.

You Pass the cups to the aisles so that the Ushers can collect them very quickly.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE ANOINTING SERVICE

You will come forward in a very orderly manner - And just go to any of the Ministers of God Standing Infront.

And as soon as they anoint you, you go back.

You continue to Pray in Tongues and left the Fire continue to do its Great work in you.

The Choir can continue to sing.

For 2 or 3 Minutes, I want you to lift your Voice to the Almighty God and cry unto Him - Almighty God, don't let Your Fire ever go out in my Life and let the Fire keep burning Mightily forever in my Life.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

THANKSGIVING

Now, it is accustomed to us to Thank the Almighty God after Holy Communion.

So, you will remain Standing, and take your Thanksgiving Offering.

You are going to raise it unto God, I am going to bless it and then Pray for you.

And then with Joy in your Heart, you will dance and give your Offering to God.

And your Life will never be the same again.

CLOSING PRAYER

Eternal Rock of Ages, we Stand to Worship You.

The Baptiser in the Holy Spirit and Fire, we Worship You.

Thank You for a New Beginning, Thank You for the Fire of Revival, Thank You that the devil is in trouble now.

Please, accept our Worship in Jesus Name.

Father, bless the Offerings of Your Children, Sanctify it, Use it for Your Glory and everything called Poverty in their lives, let Your Fire consume it.

The Fire of the Holy Spirit that started to burn in the Life of these Your Children, let the Fire burn forever.

My Lord and my Saviour, I Pray that before this time tomorrow, everyone here will have a Good Testimony.

Thank You Father, Glory be to Your Holy Name.

Revive Your Church Oh Lord and revive every Nations gathered here.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Well maybe for another 5 Mins, we can dance.

Please go ahead!!!

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Let Us Pray!

SONG

We give You all the Glory We give You Honour We give You all the Glory We give You Honour

OPENING PRAYER

Our Father and Our God we Worship You.

Ancient of Days we bow before You - Our Saviour, our Healer, our Supporter, our Deliverer, our All in All; we bless Your Name.

Father, Please accept our Worship in Jesus Name.

Your Children are gathered here together Lord God Almighty; coming to You - The One who had Called them into Ministry.

And I'm asking, Please Lord even as Your Words will be going forth; let it bring Healings to everyone of them.

Let it bring Healings to their Ministries, let it bring Healings to their Families and let all just be well with them.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Praise the Lord - Hallelujah!

Please shake hands with one (1) or two (2) People and tell them: God is going to bless you Mightily today - Amen!

2 Kings 2:<u>9-15</u>:

- 9. And it came to pass, when they were gone over, that Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I Pray thee, let a Double Portion of thy Spirit be upon me.
- 10. And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing: nevertheless, if thou see me when I am taken from thee, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so.
- 11. And it came to pass, as they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a Chariot of fire, and Horses of fire, and Parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a Whirlwind into Heaven.
- 12. And Elisha saw it, and he cried, My father, my father, the Chariot of Israel, and the Horsemen thereof. And he saw him no more: and he took hold of his own clothes, and rent them in two pieces.
- 13. He took up also the Mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and went back, and stood by the bank of Jordan;
- 14. And he took the Mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the LORD God of Elijah? and when he also had smitten the waters, they parted hither and thither: and Elisha went over.
- 15. And when the Sons of the Prophets which were to view at Jericho saw him, they said, The Spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha. And they came to meet him, and bowed themselves to the Ground before him.

Ministers of God are in two (2) basic Spectrums!

When you bring the Ministers of God together, you can actually divide them into two (2) separate Groups,

- 1. We have the Group that is very Imparttful.
- 2. And then we have the Group that is not very Impartful.

For Example, if I ask anyone of you now to mention the twelve (12) names of the Apostles that Jesus Christ choose; many of us will have a Problem remembering all of them.

But there is no way you cannot remember Peter and John - The rest, maybe James.

If I say who is the next one, Someone may say Thomas - The Doubter.

If I say go on, who else? That is the Question we leave to the children in Sunday School.

DMC NOTES: The Bible teaches us that the Original Apostles of Jesus were Peter; James; John; Andrew; Philip; Judas Iscariot; Matthew; Thomas; James, the son of Alpheus; Bartholomew; Judas Thaddeus; and Simon Zelotes.

And I have always related to my People an incident that happened when one of my little grandchildren came to me and say: Daddy, you know the Bible? I said Yes I do.

Then she said, Then do you know Prochorus? I said Prochorus? I said I didn't know him.

She said you know Nicanor? Nicanor? I don't know Nicanor.

You know Timon? I said you mean Simon? She said No, Timon! I said I don't know Timon.

But you said that you know the Bible? I said I do. She said these are the names of the Original seven (7) Deacons.

Ha! I know Stephen, I know Philip - God have Mercy on Nicanor!

DMC NOTES: So the names of the seven (7) Men chosen to be the Original Deacons are: Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, and Pumbaa (no, that's Parmenas) and Nicolaus.

Ministers are in two (2) separate Spectrums:

- Those whose names you can never forget.
- And those who are just among the others.

When you read Acts 5: <u>12-16</u>; the Bible tells us that by the hands of the Apostles were many Miracles, Signs and Wonders Performed.

But it ended up by saying that but in case of Peter, his Shadow was healing the Sick.

Oh, all the others Performed Miracles - They did Signs and Wonders but they Singled Out Peter.

Then when you continued your Studies of the Scriptures, you will later on begin to hear Peter and John:

- I. On the way to the Temple, Peter and John raised up that Man that was born Lame.
- II. Oh, when Miracles were happening in Samaria, they sent Peter and John.

This afternoon, I will want to concentrate on the Impartful Spectrum!

Because I know that you are all Great Ministers of God and you didn't come here or reading now on the Label of DMC because I'm sure God brought you here or made you come across this Message so that your Ministry can become very Imparttful - Amen!

When we now move to that Spectrum - The Spectrum of the Imparttful Ministers; you will discovered that there are three (3) Categories of them.

And I will share briefly on these three (3) and then we will Pray!

- 1. Category 1 of Impartful Ministers They are those who can bring Revival to a City.
- 2. Category 2 of Impartful Ministers They are those who can bring Revival to a Nation.
- 3. Category 3 of Impartful Ministers They are those who can determine the Future of their Nation.

Let's take it one by one so that by the end of this Meeting, you will decide which Category you want to belong to.

1. CATEGORY 1 OF IMPARTTFUL MINISTERS - Those who can bring Revival to a City.

We have Straightaway the Example in Acts 8: <u>5-8</u> - That tells us the Story of Philip who went to Samaria and within a Short Period of Time, the Bible says that there was Great Joy in the City..

His Ministry was so Powerful that within a short Period of Time, the entire City was full of Joy.

How wonderful will it be if each of us here can just go to any City in our Great Nation and within weeks, bring Revival to the City.

Because the Bible says that even as he was Preaching Christ, Demons were Screaming and getting out - What a Powerful Ministry.

But then we need to take some Notes about Somebody who is going to have that kind of Ministry by taking a Closer look at Philip.

You will remember in Acts 6: <u>1-6</u> - That when the Church began to grow and some People were grumbling because they are not getting adequate Supply of the food.

Now, the Apostle decided to Select seven (7) boys of Good Report and Full of the Holy Spirit to become Waiters and serving food - We call them Deacons.

1. So, the very first thing that you must know about the one who is going to have a Ministry that will impact a City is that he/she must have a Servant Spirit.

In Marks 9:35; the Lord Himself made it clear - You want to be the Greatest, you must be ready to be a Servant of all.

To lead is to serve!

In the Olden Days, when they call you a Minister, it means "The Servant":

- It means the one who will wash the Clothes of his Master.
- He is the one who cleans the Toilet for the Master.

The world took the word Minister from the Church and it turned it to a "Big Name" - In the Olden Days, it wasn't a big name.

So that now when the Minister of the Government is coming, everybody is running up and down - It suppose to be a Servant.

Based on that, the President is supposed to be the Servant of everybody else.

But of course, you know the Story all over the world now - When they are looking for Power, if you ask them to roll on the Ground for you, they will. But the moment they get there, when they want to Pass, you must Park your Vehicle aside.

If you are going to have a Ministry that will be of Impact, you must learn to be a Servant!

It is embarrassing that many Ministers now cannot even be reached by their Congregation - They are "Too Big" to be spoken to:

- Who are you that you want to come and talk to the General Overseer?
- How Rich are you?
- How Influncier are you?

Whereas God sent you to Minister - To be a Servant to all.

2. Another thing that you Note about Philip is that he is a Man under Authority.

In Acts 8: <u>14-16</u>; the Bible tells us that when the News reached Jerusalem that a Revival had broken out in Samaria; they sent Peter and John.

As soon as they came, Philip Surrendered to them - They came and just took over.

He didn't tell them that this is my Revival - Whatever you see, I did it.

No! The one who is going to have an Impartful Ministry, must be under Authority.

That is why we have so many General Overseers now without any Anointing.

Why? Maybe we should read Luke 7: 1-10.

There was this Centurium whose Servant was sick and they came to Jesus that He is a Good Man; help him. And Jesus said sure - Let's go to his house.

And the Centurium met him on the way and said: Ha, you don't have to come to my house.

Jesus said: Why not? He said I also I am a Man under Authority.

He said that the Influence I have in this Place is because I'm under the Authority of Caesar - That is why I said to this Soldier go and he goes; this Soldier come and he comes because they know that I'm under the Authority of Caesar.

He said, Lord Jesus; I know You - You are also under the Authority of Your Father and that's why you say to Demons get out and they obey.

He said: Just speak a Word!

The reason many of us spend a whole Night trying to cast out a Demon is because the Demon knows that you are not under Authority!

You read Acts 19: <u>11-17</u>; the Bible tells us that God Performs Special Miracles by the hands of Paul so that even his Handkerchiefs when Demons see it cimimg, they run.

And it shows us why?

Seven (7) sons of sceva saw a Mad Man full of Demons. And they said in the Name of Jesus that Paul Preaches, we Command you to get out!

The devil said: Jesus I know that He is the Lord of Hosts - If He asks me to get out, I won't hesitate. Paul I know that He is under the Authority of Jesus. Who are you?

Many of us wants to Perform Miracles:

- We want to heal the Sick.
- We want to cast out Demons
- We want to do Mighty Things.

But who is your Head? Who is your Cover? Who is your father-in-the-Lord? To whom do you answer?

Where I come from, many People when they want to Pray, when they find themselves in very critical situations; some of you will be hearing some of them "Unbelievable Testimonies".

They say that they cry to God - Oh God of Adeboye; I need help now?

And some of my Colleagues challenged me - Look at the way they are shouting your name? Ask them to shut up.

I said that they are not mentoring my name - They are not Praying to me but to my God.

They know that I am under the Authority of the Most High and they know that He will answer them.

I know that some of us won't like that because we want to be our own Boss - You can be your Boss and won't be able to heal Headaches!

2. CATEGORY 2 OF IMPARTTFUL MINISTERS - They are those who can bring Revival to a Whole Nation.

In 1 Kings 18: <u>36-39</u>; when Elijah Prayed on Mount Carmel and Fire fell, a whole Nation fell on her face and said that Jehovah is Lord.

... He brought Revival to a whole Nation!

And when you look at the Prayer he Prayed, the Prayer was approximately 2 Minutes - Hear me Oh Lord, hear me. Let this People know that I have done all these things in Your Name and thou has sent me.

That's all the Prayer he Prayed and Fire fell down.

How wonderful will it be if you can just Pray for 2 Minutes and Miracles happened?

One of my sons was sharing a Testiminy - He said daddy, the Last Time you are here, you asked us what we want and we said that we wanted Expansion. And then you said to me that as far as your eyes can see.

He said that just like you said, that is how it happened.

Won't it be beautiful if when the Barren comes to you and said I am barren. You turn to the Fellow and say okay, what kind of child do you want - Boy or Girl? Or you want a Set of Twins?

And it is done - That will be a Great Thing to happen.

But will you be willing to Pay the Price?

Because I remembered very clearly the Testimony of a couple - They came like that: Daddy, we have been married for so many years and barren. Could you Please Pray for us?

I said okay - How do you want your child? The husband said a boy and the wife said a girl. I then said in that case, maybe we should ask God for a Set of Twins and they said Amen.

A year later they came - The husband was carrying the boy and the wife was carrying the girl.

May I take this opportunity to decree that from now on, when you utter a decree, it shall be established - Amen!

But what kind of Man was Elijah? - What kind of Minister is going to bring a Revival to a Nation?

I Studied Elijah for 3 years because I love him.

When I became a Christian, I looked through the Scriptures and I found that I like Elijah - Because you mess around with him, he will just call down Fire from Heaven and burn you off.

And then in those days, living in a Dangerous Nation and I have no money to hire Bodyguards and I travel the Country Day and Night; I needed a Power that if anybody tries to stop me on the way, I will just say: Fire!

I discovered the Secret of Elijah.

1. Elijah is what you will call "God's Yes Man".

Whatever God says "Yes Lord" - Read 1 Kings 17: 1-end.

I. Go and talk to the King - Yes Lord.

He got there, spoke to the King - He said that I am closing the Heavens over you and there won't be Rain until I ask for it.

II. Then he got out of the King's Palace and God said: Go and Hide - Yes Lord.

Ha, I thought that you have just given me a "Palace Ministry" but God says "Go and Hide" and birds will be bringing you food .

Birds? I have not seen that before in the Bible.

But God says: Go to this Place and he said "Yes Lord".

And he sat down there and his entire Congregation was made up of Ravens - With all those Big Anointing, God said Minister to Birds for some time.

III. And then the Brook dried up and God said: Now, I want you to go to the house of a Widow and she is the One who will be feeding you now.

And I have told my children - Of all the other Instructions God gave Elijah, that is the one I found most difficult to obey.

You want me to go and be living in the house of a Widow - The one that has just one little boy living with him?

So that Somebody comes early in the Morning to visit the Widow and they see me coming out? They said Prophet, this is early Morning Visitation? And I said, No I live here?

Okay o! Next time, we want to watch you Preach about Holiness.

But Elijah said "Yes Lord".

You know, the Bibles says that Jesus made Himself of no Reputation.

IV. And then in 1 Kings 18: 1-2; God says: Now, I want you to go and show yourself to Ahab.

Ha, Lord have You forgotten that this woman is looking for me? And she has searched all the Land looking for me?

Which is why Probably God said: Go and stay with the Widow - Nobody will expect a Prophet to be there!

Elijah did not argue when God says all these - "It is Yes Lord".

You want to bring Revival to a Nation? You must stop arguing with God!

- Some of you has become so intelligent now that we don't even know who is wiser now between you and God.
- Some of you know Greeks, you know Hebrews and you know all the Languages of the Bible.

The unfortunate thing is that in the Process, you don't even know God anymore!

Peter said that I am a Fisherman and I am not as intelligent as Paul because Paul is a Professor and knows quite a lot.

Peter said many of the things he (Paul) said, I can't even understand.

He said but I know one thing - God says: Be Holy, for I am Holy.

He said that is enough for a Fisherman.

What is Holiness? Obey God - That's all.

- I. Don't Defraud Yes Lord.
- II. Don't Fornicate Yes Lord.
- III. Pay your Tithe Yes Lord

But there are some who will tell you that some of these things are Old Testament and not in the New Testament - Who told you?

Jesus said in Matthew 23:23 - He said that you are to Pay your Tithe.

Oh, you said that one? He was speaking to the Jews - All those things are meant for the children of Abraham.

But it is also in the New Testament that if you belong to Christ, you are Abraham's Seed.

There are those of you who are so Clever now - Whenever they find anything inconvenient in the Old Testament, they say that is in the Old Testament.

- I. You shall be the Head and not the Tail Is that in the New Testament?
- II. No Weapon fashioned against you will Prosper Is that in Colossians?
- III. The Lord Prepare a Table before me in the Presence of my Enemies Is that in the Book of Thessalonians?
- ... They take that which is Good and Convenient.

But whenever they find one that is not convenient, they say that we are in the Dispensation of Grace.

I'm not arguing as I don't know much - I am a Mathematician and I never went to a Bible College as God didn't give me that Luxury. He grabbed me very early and Pushed me into it - I learnt along the way.

You know what? I have discovered long ago - If I can just say "Yes Lord"; He will handle the rest.

- 2. And of course, if you want to be one of those who will bring Revival to your Nation; you must be a Prayer Warrior.
- 1 Kings 18: <u>41-45</u>; Elijah heard from God God Himself said: Go and appear unto Ahab and I will send Rain.

And in 1 Kings 18:41, he announced that he has heard the Sound of Abundance of Rain. And yet no Cloud was appearing.

He went into Prayers - He Prayed seven (7) times before the smallest Cloud appear.

There are many of us Ministers of God - We have received Prophesies about our Ministry becoming Great.

When God called us, He told us Mighty Things that He will do through us and we are not seeing any Results yet.

Has God lied? No, once He has spoken, it is done. He is waiting for you to Pray!

And you will have to cry to Him to bring to Pass what He Promised!

Why should we do that? If He knows that He wasn't going to do it, why did He bother to tell me?

Who are you talking to? Is God your Househelp? He is the Almighty and He does as He Pleases in the Kingdom of Heaven.

By the Grace of God, I have related with some Head of State all over the world - The President says he will see you by 11am. Of course, if you know the Protocol that means you should be seated at least by 10.45am.

And if you are a very Important Personality, if he says that he will see you by 11am, he will Probably see you by 1pm - If you like, go away.

The Almighty God says that I will see you and then you said that He didn't come by 11am? - Who are you anyway? You are dealing with the One who is the Owner of the Earth and the Fullness thereof.

... Elijah Prayed and then God moved!

There are many of us who take Prayer for granted - You must learn to Pray, you must be a Prayer Warrior and you must Pray until the Revival comes!

The Revival is on the way - There is Nothing that can stop it!

The Question is: Will you be Part of those who will bring the Revival?

I'm believing God for those of us who are here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - That everything God has Promised you, He will bring it to Pass soon (Amen).

1979 when we went to Kenneth Hagin's Camp Meeting - We had a Wonderful Time.

The Program goes on from Monday to Saturday and so on Sunday, we have to look for one of the Churches around to go and Fellowship.

So, we went to this Church with my father-in-the-Lord and four (4) other People. And because we were Visitors, they sat us infront.

And the Preacher was Preaching - And you know the America Style of Preaching; going up and down.

And all of a sudden, he came down from the Altar and stood infront of my father-in-the-Lord and said: Thus saith the Lord, that which I Promise you is about to come to Pass. And then, he went back to the Pulpit and began to Preach.

Now, my father-in-the-Lord didn't understand English Language and so I was the one interpreting and he asked me what he said? I said that I will tell you later.

Then we got home and I said to my father-in-the-Lord - What is it that God Promised you? He said why are you asking?

I said because God said: Whatever is it that He Promised you concerning your Church is about to come to Pass.

God Promised him in <u>1952</u> that the Church He was starting through him will go throughout the whole world.

The Old Man was almost on the road to Heaven and Nothing had happened until that day when the Man of God came down.

A year later, my father-in-the-Lord had gone.

But the Promise of God in 1952 is now fulfilled.

I believed that God is asking me to take this little time on this because there are many of us here or reading now on the Label of DMC; who are becoming discouraged and thinking that God is not going to come through!

Ha! He will come through - Amen. He is just waiting for you to Pray!

And when you are desperate enough, He will move!

1975, I have been Born Again for 2 years and I was riding a car - I have never been to an Airport.

I was Preparing for an Evening Program and Praying; when all of a sudden, God said to me: Son, I'm going to give you three (3) Jets.

Three (3) Jets? I have never seen the inside of an Aeroplane - Just seen it flying ahead and I didn't know which is which.

Well He said: I will give you three (3) Jets - Yes Lord!

... That's not what I'm Praying for but the Service of that Evening.

Years Past, I never Prayed about it - That I could even get Money to travel by Economy Class was a Miracle enough.

But then an incident happened - I needed to go to Cameroon for a Program and I need to come back very quickly for a very important Wedding in Lagos.

And Somebody Paid for a Private Jet to take me to Cameroon with the understanding that when I needed to be back, that Private Jet will come and Pick me back.

I got to Cameroon, and finished what I was doing.

By the time that Jet was to return to pick me; I Phoned and they told me: Oh, we are coming but we are still in Abuja.

But somehow, I managed to get to Nigeria and arrived just before they finished the Wedding.

That Day, I reminded God - You Promised!

Has God Promised you anything?

Will you like to remind Him about it today? - Yes for The DMC Family Members!

Will you be willing to Pray until He answers? - Yes for The DMC Family Members

3. CATEGORY 3 OF IMPARTTFUL MINISTERS - The one who can determine the Future of a Nation.

It is my Prayer that the Election in this Nation will be extremely Peaceful - Amen!

There will be no Violence and everything will go so smoothly and everybody will know that this is God - Amen!

But you see: You can be a Minister of God and you can determine the Future of your Nation.

In 2 Kings 7: 1-end; you find a Young Man called Elijah.

His Nation was under a Siege - There was no food, women were eating their children and he decreed that within 24 hours, Nobody will be buying food. He decreed and the Siege was lifted,

Just one Person here in South Africa can cry to the Almighty God that the evil Name that the world had given us - Calling us a Nation of Murderers, and a Nation of Crime can end.

... One fellow can decree it.

In 2 Kings 13: <u>14-19</u>; Elisha was about to die - He was on his death bed.

The King came to him - Ha, my father, my father; you are about to die?

The Chariot of Israel and the Horseman thereof - In other words, the Defender of Israel, you are about to die. What am I going to do?

And he told him - Alright, let us do this:

Shoot the arrow - He said that is okay; Victory! He then said, let's smite the Ground with the arrow.

You know the Story - He was dying and he was decreeing the Future of a Nation.

I told you earlier that I used 3 years Studying Elijah but all of a sudden, I realised - Wait a minute, Elisha was Superior:

I. His father (Elijah) Performed seven (7) Miracles but that Young Man (Elisha) Performed fourteen (14) Miracles - Even when he was dead, his bones were still raising the dead.

II. His father (Elijah) was always fighting Kings but in his own case (Elisha); Kings are calling him Daddy.

... I said that I like this boy - He is cool.

What must be the Characteristics of the Minister that will be able to decree the Future of his Nation?

1. Total Surrender.

In 1 Kings 19: <u>19-21</u>; the day Elijah threw his Mantle on Elisha; that was the day he was a Farmer last - He just left everything to follow him.

2. He (Elisha) served his Master/Spiritual Father (Elijah) beyond the Call

In 2 Kings 3:11; the Bible tells us that he was Pouring water on the hand of Elijah.

He won't just Prepare the food and say: The Table is Set sir, go and eat. No, he will Supervise the washing of the hands.

Several People has come to me saying: Daddy, we want a Double Portion of your Spirit.

I say: I see, it's no Problem. I can Pray but it is up to God to decide whether He will answer.

I have always told them the Story of a day I was comimg home from United Kingdom.

I was traveling Economy and when you are traveling Economy, the number of Luggages you can carry is Limited, the Weight is Limited and I have a lot of books I want to bring home.

Because they don't weigh Hand Luggages, so I Packed the books into two (2) Hand Luggages and they were very heavy.

As I was walking towards the Boarding Point, I saw two (2) of my children:

Ha, Daddy Good Morning sir and I said Good Morning

And one of them ran to me and took the Hand Luggages from me and so I said to him: God Bless You!

The first one said: Daddy, you didn't tell me God Bless You?

I said for what? You greeted me Good Morning and I said Good Morning. This other one greeted me and helped me. And so because he helped me, it Provoked the God Bless You.

You want a Double Portion of the Anointing of a Man of God - Have you served him?

3. Elisha was Loyal to his Master (Elijah) till the end.

2 Kings 2: <u>1-8</u>; three (3) times the Master said that you have done enough, you can stop here.

He (Elisha) said No, we are in this together till the end.

4. Elisha loved the Spiritual more than the Physical and Material.

That was why he was able to let go everything to follow the Man of God!

5. But Probably the most important Point is that if you are going to be the one who will dictate the Future of your Nation; you must be what I called "A Hard Asker".

That is Somebody who can ask for a Hard Thing from God!

Because in the Bible Text that I read to you at the very beginning (DMC NOTES: 2 Kings 2: 19-15) - When Elijah was about to go and he turned to Elisha and said: What do you want?

The boy said that I want a Double Portion of your Spirit.

The Master said that you have asked for a Hard Thing.

You see in 1 Corinthians 12:31; we found one Place in the Bible where God says: You are free to

be Covetous - And that is when it comes to the Best Gifts (The Gifts of the Holy Spirit). God said that you are free to be Covetous.

My children knew as I have told them the Story before:

The day that I read in 1 Corinthians 12:31 that I can be Covetous when it comes to Spiritual Gifts; I asked God for something Hard.

I told Him that I want Double Portion of the Spirit on Elijah, with that on Elisha, with that on Peter, with that on Paul plus the one on the Lord Jesus Christ while He was here on Earth; add everything together and then double it again.

And God Himself told me loud and clear - Son, you have asked for a Hard Thing. He said that because if I give it to you, they won't let you rest.

I say that I don't Mind - I should have been Wiser.

I should have said: Well, Your Grace will be Sufficient.

That is why I am 82 and they are not allowing me to rest.

When you go through the Scriptures, you will find out that the Choice is actually yours - What Category of Minister you will be, is up to you!

And God is not Putting a Limit on you at all!

In Psalms 2;8; He said: Ask of me, I wil, give you the Heathens for an Inheritance; ask of me, I will give you the Uttermost Part of the Earth for thy Possession.

The day that I first visited our Church in Papua New Guinea; I understand the Uttermost Part of the Earth.

Because if you are traveling from Nigeria, to get to Papua New Guinea, you need a couple of days to get to Australia. And when you get to Australia, you still have to travel 6½ hours by Air.

I'm telling you Brothers/Sisters, that Place is far.

But by the Grace of God, the Church of God is thriving there - The work of God is going on well that I said that I must come back.

The Almighty God that we are talking about - Bringing Revival to a City/Nation; He says that you can have the whole world!

What is wrong with a Ministry that will spread throughout the Earth?

... The Earth is the Lord's and the Fullness thereof.

It is up to you!

So, I'm going to give you 10 Minutes to ask God for Hard Things.

After that, I will join my "Little Faith" with yours and ask my Father in Heaven to grant your Requests.

I will tell you one more Story before I release you to Pray because the Prayer I might Pray for you might be "Too Brief" in your own Estimation.

It is not the Length of the one I Prayed here that matters - The Battery has been Charged at home!

A daughter of mine was going to attend a Visa Interview in an American Embassy. So, she came to me and said that she is going for Interview. And I said God will go with you et cetera et cetera.

She left, then she came back - Daddy, they didn't give me the visa. She said that I knew they won't give me. I said but I Prayed!

She said that after you Prayed, you didn't say thar "It is done" - Okay sorry o!

When they refused you visa like that, they will give you a Form to fill to appeal if you want to.

So I said: Go back now. This time, it is done.

She went back - She was sent back to the one who refused her the first time.

She went back with the same Set of Papers and the Fellow looked at it and said: You mean we refused you? She said Yes you did.

And she said sorry - 2 Years Multiple Entries!

So, the reason that I will ask you to Pray for 10 Minutes - As you are Praying, I will be Praying.

At the end of it all; all I will say is: "IT IS DONE".

And we will hear your Testimonies!

You will be cheating yourself if you ask God for small things today.

And you know why? Because only God can tell if I will ever come back to South Africa.

You know the reason why? I have visited South Africa again and again. There are many Nations where The Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) is that I have not visited once.

You have to be your Brother's Keeper now.

But with God, all things are Possible - If He asks me to come back Next Year, I will come back.

But at least, you have this opportunity - Today we are together.

For the next 10 Minutes, go to the Almighty God and cry to Him - Ask for something Big and something Hard!

The Choice is yours!

This is not the kind of Prayer you Pray quietly like Ladies and Gentlemen.

This is an opportunity of a Lifetime!

Go ahead and cry unto Him!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

CLOSING FINAL DECREES

The Almighty God will grant your Requests.

Everything that you have asked of Him, He will do it for you.

He will Pour Fresh Oil on you and that Anointing that He is releasing on you will never run dry.

He will make you Great, He will Empower you and your Ministries will become Mighty.

Through you, He will bring Mighty Revivals to this Nation (South Africa).

It shall be well with you.

And in the Name that is above every other names, it is done!

So shall it be!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

God Bless you!

You can go ahead and just Worship the Lord and bless His Holy Name - Give Him all the Glory, Honor and Adoration!!!



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GENERAL PRAYERS

1. Why don't you lift up your hands to the Almighty God and bless His Holy Name.

Just go ahead and Worship Him - Worship the King of Kings, the Lord of Lords and the Ancient of Days.

Give Him Glory, give Him Honour, give Him Adoration - He is Worthy to be Praised and Magnified. There is no one like Him.

Thank You Father!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Worshipped - Amen!

2. I want you to lift up your Voice to the Almighty God loud and clear and say: Father, if You are Blessing only three (3) People here tonight; Please let me be one of them - Open your mouth and cry to Him.

Thank You Father.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

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What a Mighty God we serve Hallelujah What a Mighty God we serve Hallelujah Heaven and Earth Adore Him Even Angels bow before Him What a Mighty God we serve.

OPENING PRAYER

Our Father and our God, King of Kings and Lord of Lords, the Ancient of Days, the All Sufficient God - We Worship You.

We give You all Glory, all Honour, all Adoration and we say: Please, accept our Worship in Jesus Name.

Lord God Almighty, all we are asking You to do tonight is: "Let there be Light".

In South Africa, let there be Light; in all the Nations represented here, let there be Light; in our lives, let there be Light; in our Homes, let there be Light; in our Churches, let there be Light; in our Businesses, let there be Light.

At the end of everything, let Your Name be Glorified.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Well, let Someone shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah!

I want you to turn to two (2) or three (3) People and say: Neighbour, I love you but tonight my Miracle(s) will be better than yours.

And then, you may Please be seated.

I'm delighted to be with you here tonight - Its being 8 years since I came to South Africa last. And I'm Trusting God that He will allow me to come back again.

John 1:<u>1-5</u>:

- 1. In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.
- 2. The same was in the beginning with God.
- 3. All things were made by him (That means including you); and without him was not any thing made that was made.
- 4. In him was Life; and the Life was the Light of men.
- 5. And the Light shineth in Darkness; and the Darkness comprehended it not.

When Light collides with Darkness; Darkness must give way!

So, everything representing Darkness in the Life of Someone will vanish tonight - Amen!

Because in Genesis 1: 1-3; the moment God said: Let there be Light; Darkness gave way.

I don't know for whom God organised this Particular Meeting, but before you get out of this Hall or finished reading now on the Label of DMC; everything associated with Darkness in your Life will be gone - Amen!

I am going to use as case Study for my brief Message tonight - The Story of a Man in John 5: <u>2-</u>9.

This is a Story you know very well:

There is a Pool at a Place called Bethesda. A lot of People with Hopeless cases - Blind, Lame, Dumb, Withered; they gathered by that Pool. Because once in a year, an Angel will come down and stir the water in the Pool. The first fellow to jump in will be healed and the rest will have to wait till another year.

Then one day, the One who is called the Light of the world - That is Jesus Christ Himself; walked into the Place, He saw the Multitudes but He was interested in only one Person. That Fellow had been there for 38 years.

He walked to the Fellow; the fellow didn't know who was coming to him - Just as Somebody is here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC; you don't know what is even about to happen to you.

Jesus Christ got to him and said: Will you be made whole?

What a Question? I am here because I want to be made whole.

But that was not what he said - The Man began to tell a long Story: I have been here for 38 years, I have no one to help me. And when I am going to the Pool, before I could get there; Somebody else has gotten in and then I will have to crawl back to my Place and wait.

And Jesus said to him: Your Problems are over!

In the Name of the One who sent me to South Africa - There is Somebody here or reading now on the Label of DMC; your Problems are over (Amen).

You know the rest of the Story - The Man just discovered that I can get up. He looked around and all the Problems disappeared.

I want to tell you some of the Problems that could disappear when the Light of God comes:

1. When Light collides with Sickness; Sickness must give way.

Because the One who is called the Light is also the One who is called "The Great Physician".

Exodus 15:26 - He said that I am the Lord that healeth thee.

... The Original Physician!

In Malachi 4:2; the Bible says unto them that feared the Lord, the Sun of Righteousness arise with Healings in His Wings.

And the One who is called the Sun of Righteousness is the Lord Jesus Christ.

In 1 Peter 2:24; He is also the One with the Healing Stripes.

The Bible tells us that by His Stripes we were Healed.

... Not going to be healed but we were Healed.

More than 2,000 years ago, your Healings has been Paid for and you will collect it tonight - Amen!

He has the Ability to heal even those who are Incurable.

In Matthew 8: 1-3; the Bible tells us of a Leper.

In those days, a Leper is Somebody with Stage 4 Cancer - There is Nothing anybody could do for him.

He came to Jesus - The One with Healings in His Wings and immediately he was made whole.

I cannot begin to tell you how many People that has been condemned to die who came to Jesus Christ and are made whole.

But all that I can tell you is simply this - When Light Shines tonight your Sickness must give way!

2. When Jesus Christ said to the Man - Will you be made whole? The first thing that he said is: I am a lonely Man.

When Light Shines, Loneliness must disappear!

Why? Because the Light hates Loneliness.

He is the One who said in Genesis 2:18 - It is not Good that a Man should be alone.

... It came from God.

So, it is not in the Plan of God for you to be of Marriageable Age and remain Single - God says that it is not Good.

And if it is not Good, then God will take care of it.

In Hebrews 13:5; the One called the Light of the world made a Promise - He says that I will never leave you, I will never forsake you.

In other words, it means that I will see to it that you are not Lonely.

In John 13:1; the Bible said that if He loves His People, He loves them to the very End.

There is Someone who is a friend to the friendless - And when He loves you, He doesn't love you halfway and jilt you but He will love you forever.

I have Good News for those of you who are of Marriage Age, but who are not yet married - In the Name of the One who sent me, your Wedding Bell will soon ring (Amen).

Mark my word for it - There will be many Marriage Celebrations (Amen).

3. The Man said: I have failed for 38 years everytime that I made an effort.

Because you can imagine at what happened at that Pool - As soon as they see the Angel stirring the water, everybody begins to run to be able to get in.

This Man said that I have tried for 38 years and I have failed 38 times.

When Light Shines, Failure must disappear!

Because according to Jeremiah 32:27; the One who is called the Light is also the One who can never fail.

He said that I am the God of all flesh, is there anything "Too Hard" for me?

In Psalms 46:1; the Bible calls Him the Ever Present Help in the times of Trouble.

That Man said that I have no Helper - But there is Someone who can help.

I Thank God for the Testimony of my son - He said that for 5 years. He has even use Contacts in Big Places but they failed.

But there is Somebody who never fails - And He is coming to your Life tonight (Amen).

When you read Luke 5: <u>1-7</u>; it tells you the Story of Peter who had fished All-Night and caught Nothing.

You know that when we talk about Success, there are many People who believed that People who are considered Failures are People who are lazy - That's not true, you can work very hard and still fail.

Many atimes, when a Student failed his exams, there are People who will believe that he didn't Study hard - That's not true.

You can Study very hard and get to the Examination and blank out - I have been there and it has happened to me before.

You know that I Studied Mathematics and in Mathematics, it is either you know it or you don't know it - There is no Guesswork and that is why People feared it as you can't Pretend.

I was in the University and I was Good in my Subjects - What you will call an Honour Student.

There was one Particular Subject that I was the best in the Class - My Classmates will come to me for explanations.

But then, the day of Exam came and in those days, they will ask you to answer five (5) Questions out of eight (8).

I read Question No 1 - I couldn't understand, I went to Question No 2 - Blank, Question No 3 - No Head or Tail, by now I was sweating. Question Nos 5, 6, 7 and 8 - No idea.

So, I was about to get up because if you fail that time, they will allow you to come back and repeat that one - They call it resit in our own days.

I was about to get up as I said: Well, Nothing is working today; I will come back and do a resit.

There was an "Invincible Hand" that kept me down - You know God has been helping me before I knew Him. And He will help you tonight - Amen.

After about 15 Minutes, everybody was writing; I decided to read the Questions again - Question

No 1, this is so so Equation; No 2, this is so so Formula. Ha, I know everything here.

I answered all the eight (8) Questions - And as a Young Man that is a bit rascally, I wrote at the Top of the Answer Sheet, mark any five (5)

I decree to Somebody here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC - You will never fail again (Amen)

4. The Man said that I didn't just failed, I was defeated.

You see, as I was going to the Pool, before I could get in; Somebody got in before me - Somebody robbed me of Victory.

When Light comes, no more defeat!

PROPHESY:

Thank You Lord!

The Lord asked me to tell Someone - He said that the Fellow will understand.

He said: Tell Sarah your Isaac is on the way" - Amen!

Why? Because the One who is called the Light of the world is also called "The Man of War".

Exodus 15:3 says: The Lord is a Man of War.

Whether you believe it or not, our God is not a Civilian - He is a Warrior.

As a matter of fact, if you read Psalms 24: 7-10; the Biblle calls Him the Lord of Host.

When I was a Younger Christian, I used to think when they say the Lord of Host; I thought they are saying that He is the Lord of all the Angels.

But I have seen learnt that He is the Lord of all the Host in Heaven, of all the Host of Earth and all the Host underneath the Earth.

Because the Bible says that at the Name of Jesus, every knees must bow; of things in Heaven, of things on Earth, of things underneath the Earth.

I have discovered that even the devil must get Permission from Him - If you don't believe me, read the Book of Job Chapters 1 and 2.

And I have Good News for those of you who are truly His Own and those of you will will truly become His Own - He is not going to give the devil Permission to trouble you (Amen).

And when we talk about Him; maybe I need to emphasis this a little bit:

When you are talking about a Warrior - A True General, he will tell you that the Greatest Headache of a Warrior is what to do with the bodies of the Enemies that they killed in Battle? They don't want to do the unpleasant job of burying those dead bodies.

And yet, if they leave the dead bodies around unburied, they will rot and that could lead to an Epidemic.

So, what does my Father do?

I. When He is fighting His Enemies by Land, He will ask the Land to open and swallow them.

He will not just kill but do the burying at the same time.

II. When he is fighting by Sea, He will just ask the sea to open - The Enemies goes in, the sea close and the fish will finish the rest of the job.

III. And in case you don't know; my Father is the first to throw Bombs.

And if you don't believe where that one is; when you get home, go and read Joshua 10: 1-11.

The Bible said that when the Enemies of the children of Israel were running away, it was God who was sending down Bombs - Big Stones.

The Bible said that those who are killed by the Stones were more than those killed by the sword.

The Good News is simply this:

- I. If your Enemies are those that are flying in the Air, my Father will bomb them Amen!
- II. If your Enemies are those that are in the oceans/water/Marine Spirits; tonight my Father will finish them Amen!

III. And when He want to show how Mighty He can be, when He wants to deal with the Enemies on the Land; instead of wiping them out, He could just Paralysed them.

You know that He says in His Words - Thou Preparest a Table before me in the Presence of my Enemies.

Occasionally, He doesn't want to finish all the Enemies, He wants them to watch you while you enjoy.

I have Good News for Somebody here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC - You will never be defeated again (Amen).

5. That Man said: I go forward and then I go backward - I have been Stagnant for 38 years and just going round in cycles with Nothing to show for all my efforts.

There is no Promotion at all - If there is any, maybe "Chief of Sick People".

But when the Light shone on him, the one who has been lying on the floor suddenly got up.

If you read the Story to the end, you will discovered that for the first time in 38 years, he showed up in the Church because that was where the Lord met him the Second Time.

When the People in the Church saw him, they couldn't even recognise him - He has been gone for 38 years. But Promotion came finally.

When Light Shines, Stagnation comes to an end.

Why? Because the One who is called the Light is also the Great Promoter.

Psalms 75: 5-7; the Bible tells us that Promotion doesn't come from the East, nor from the West, nor from the South but God is the Promoter.

And in 1 Samuel 2: <u>7-7</u>; the Bible tells us that He can even pick a Beggar from the dunghill and Promote him until he begin to dine with Kings.

May I Prophesy to Someone here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - Because you came, long before you die, you will be dining with Presidents (Amen).

He can Pick you from no where and just keep on Promoting you until Presidents will be looking for you!

You said: What are you talking about Pastor?

I mean there are certain things that just don't happen - I agree with you. But you can't question Experience.

I was born by a Man who was so Poor that all the Poor People around call him Poor.

So, if I am to use the Language of Mathematics, I will say that the Poverty of my father is

Poverty Squared. And yet God picked me up.

And the Man Standing before you; for the first 18 years of his Life didn't have a Pair of Shoes.

When you are talking about Somebody who is Nothing, I have a rough idea.

If you want to have a rough idea of how Poor my background is, the day my father bought an umbrella, we Celebrated it - Some Chickens lost their lives.

But just to give one occasion to give you a rough idea of what God is about to do in your Life tonight.

I was visiting a Nation and I said that I will love to meet the President so that I can Pray with him for his Nation. And he agreed to see me. But they told me that he has only 15 Minutes for you - Ha, that's fine.

Then I got there and we started talking - He was the one doing the talking and you can't ask him to stop.

After 2 hours, I had to Politely said: Your Excellency sir, your People are waiting at the Stadium for me.

He said, Let them wait. He said that they have People they can talk to but I have no one I can tell the Secrets of my heart to.

He said that I have heard about you - Let me take the advantage of you being around; I have many Problems.

When finally he allowed me to go, I was talking to my wife - I said, look at us now! We were Nothing and now the President doesn't want us to leave.

... He can pick a Beggar from the dunghill and Promote him to a Level where he will be dinning with Kings!

In the Name that is above every other names; you will not die Unknown - Amen!

6. And then, it became clear from looking at this Story that when Light Shines, Barrenness will come to an end.

You say: What do you mean by that?

A Man who is sick for 38 years can't be talking of getting married - If he had a wife at all, the wife would have abandoned him.

... He said: I have Nobody!

So, it is automatic that this Man never had a Child.

But I am sure that after God raised him up, when People say what happened to you and he began to share the Testimony; he became the talk of the Town:

- I'm sure that it wasn't long after that he got married.
- I'm sure that it is not long after that he began to have children.

And do you know that another meaning of Barrenness is Fruitless Efforts.

When husband and wife has been doing what they are supposed to do and there is Nothing coming out of it.

But when the Light Shines, Barrenness and Fruitless Efforts will come to and end.

Why? Because the One who is called the Light is also "The Father".

In Matthew 6:9; when the Lord was teaching the Disciples how to Pray, He said that this is how you must Pray: "Our Father",

A father is different from a man - A father is someone who has at least a Child.

And when the One who is the Father of all fathers pays you a visit; your Barrenness must end.

PROPHESY

The Lord asked me to tell Someone here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC:

He said: "I will visit your Family this Month" - Amen.

In Genesis 18: <u>9-14</u>; God visited Abraham and his wife at a time when everything Scientifically reasonably says: Forget it.

Sarah was already 90 years Old, Abraham was <u>100</u> years Old - That's why when God said to Abraham that within a year, your wife will come forth with a son; the Bible said that Sarah laughed.

God said, why did Sarah laughed?

She said I didn't laugh - Why should I laugh? I mean what you said is not funny at all.

But you know the Story - I wasn't there o but that night in the Tent, Abraham turned to Sarah and said: How now?

Sarah said: What is wrong with you Old Man? And the Old Man said my Body feel somehow after that Visitor said what He said.

And before you know it, Sarah became Pregnant. And the People who saw the Pregnancy thought that she must have eaten extra but she was laughing.

She kept laughing until the baby came - That's why they named the baby "Isaac".

In the Name that is above every other names, your Fruitless Efforts end tonight - Amen!

7. When Light Shines, your History will Change.

It doesn't matter how long you have been suffering, in a Single moment; God can Change your Story!

When you go through the Scriptures; you will discovered from our Bible Text - In the Beginning was the Word.

The Beginning of all beginnings is the One called the Light.

The Bible tells us that before the Mountains were brought forth, He is God.

So, it doesn't matter how Big your Mountain is, it is not Older than God!

And if He knows the beginning of your Mountain, He can uproot it out from the very beginning.

PROPHESIES

1. I want to say Amen to this one before I tell you - Amen!

Because the Lord says that there is Someone here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC:

He said the "Biggest Breakthrough" in your Life thus far; the door of it will open soon - Amen!

2. Oh Lord, Thank You very much - I believed that God loved us in South Africa..

Because He asked me to tell Someone:

He said: "I will make you Comprehensively Victorious" - Amen!

When you go through the Scriptures:

I. You will find in Mark 5: <u>25-34</u>; that was the Story of the woman with the Issue of Blood - Her Problem lasted for 12 years.

II. In Luke 13: <u>10-13</u>; the Bible talked about a woman who was bent double and no matter how hard she tried, she couldn't Straightened Up - Her Problem lasted 18 years.

III. In John 9: <u>1-7</u>; the Bible spoke about a Man who was born Blind - His Problem even started from the Womb.

But it doesn't matter how long your Problem had been; there is Somebody that is before every Problem and He can solve every Problems - And He is the One who is called the Light!

The Bible says that He Shines in Darkness and Darkness cannot overcome it.

So, when the Light Shines tonight, all your Problems will be over - Amen!

But the Big Problem is: Will you allow the Light to Shine?

You see because God said in Revelation 3:20 - He said: Behold, I Stand by the door and I knock. If you hear my voice and you open then door; then I will come in.

You know that it is Possible for you to shut the door, shut the windows and pull the curtains - While the Sun is Shinning Brighter outside, the room can be in complete darkness.

God will not force Himself upon you!

Oh, some People said that if He said He Stand by the door and knock; if He is the Almighty, why doesn't He force open the door.

My God is not an Armed Robber - He is a Gentleman. He will knock at the door; if you like you open the door to Him and if you like keep the door shut. After some time, if He keeps knocking and you don't open to Him, He goes away.

But He has another reason why He will not force the door open - It is because He knows that He has His own door that if you don't open the door to Him here on Earth, on the Last Day; you will knock at His own door too and He won't open.

Remember what the Bishop told you - The moment Noah and all his family Members got in, who shut the door? God!

And once God has shut the door, no Man can open it.

All God can do for Light to Shine into your Life; He has already done.

He sent me all the way from Nigeria to come and be with you tonight.

You have the opportunity to Surrender, you have the opportunity to open the door of your Heart and Life and said: Let Light come in.

You can grab the opportunity or you can ignore it.

But let me tell you the Truth - Before you dare open the door of your Heart to Him, I must tell you that once He comes in, He takes over. He won't come in and become your Tenant.

- Once He comes in, He becomes the Landlord.
- Once He comes in, He will become the One Calling the shot and will be the One dictating to you what you must do and what you must not do.
- Once you open the door to Him, you can't live like you used to live again.

That is why the Bible says: Therefore if any Man be in Christ, He is a New Creature; Old Things has Passed away, all things has become New.

So, if you are not ready for a New Life, don't open the door - Stay in your Darkness, continue to enjoy the devil and all the Sorrows, and all the Problems he can bring.

But if you want to say to the Lord Jesus Christ - From now on, come into my Life and take over.

Once Light comes in:

- Sickness will go out.
- Loneliness will go out
- Failure will go out
- Defeat will go out
- Stagnation will go out
- History will Change

ALTAR CALL

So, I'm giving you an opportunity now - If you truly, truly want to say: Oh Lord God Almighty,

let there be Light, come into my Life, come and take over.

I will count from one (1) to ten (10) - Before I sat ten (10); you must run forward and come and Stand Stand before this Altar so that I can Pray with you for the Salvation of your Soul.

Now, those of you who has come forward and those of you who are still on the way; I want you to cry to God in your own Language (Mother Tongue).

Say: Lord Jesus, have Mercy on me, save my Soul. I opened my heart wide open to you, Please come in - Come and take over Lord. Forgive all my sins Lord and let me have a Brand New Beginning.

And the rest of us - Will you Please Stretch out your hands to your Brothers and Sisters and Intercede for them:

Pray that the One who save your Souls will save their own Souls also; Pray that they will obtain Mercy from the Lord today.

Thank You Father.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

PRAYER FOR SALVATION

My Father and my God, I want to bless Your Holy Name.

I want to Thank You for Your Words and I want to Thank for these Your Children who has come forward now.

Please Father, receive them, have Mercy on them, save their Souls, let Your Blood wash away their sins. Please write their names in the Book of Life and receive them into the Family of God.

And Lord, from now on; anytime they cry to You, answer them by Fire.

And Please Lord, don't let them backslide.

From now on, I Pray that they too will be serving You all the days of their lives.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Praise the Lord - Hallelujah!

If you have your Smart Phone, take it out and put it on Torch Light.

We are going to use this "Little Light" as a Point of Contact with God as an act of Faith.

SPECIAL PRAYER POINTS

1. You are going to lift up your Voice to the Almighty God loud and clear and say: Father, let there be Light in my Life, Home, Village, Province and Nation.

Thank You Father.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

2. Then you are going to Pray another Prayer loud and clear and say: Father, for the rest of my Life; don't let my Light go out.

Go ahead and cry to the Lord.

Thank You Father.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

3. Now, the next Prayer you are going to Pray; you are going to Pray it by Faith and you will Pray as if you are really, really angry.

You are going to say: In the Mighty Name of Jesus, I Command you satan: Now I have the Light of God; Satan get out your dirty hands off me.

Thank You Father.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Now I will Pray for you and after that, you will Pray one more Prayer and then I will hand you over to the Organiser!

FINAL FATHER'S DECREES

My Father and my God; Thank You for sending me to South Africa and Thank You for all the People who are gathered here.

These are very Special People because many People are Called but these are the few People that You choose.

And because You choose them, today let Your Light Shine.

Let Your Light Shine into their lives, Shine into their homes, Shine into their Business, Shine into their Provinces, Shine into their Nation and don't let the Light ever go out.

And Father in Your Name, I Command satan - Satan, never come near these People again.

I Command you satan in the Name that is above other names, take your dirty hands off these People and never come near them again.

And Father, in the Mighty Name of Jesus, I hereby decree that the Light that You have shone into the Life of these People will never go out.

I Pray that they will serve You till the End.

And in Your Kingdom, they won't be missing.

Thank You Almighty God.

In Jesus Mighty Name I have decreed - Amen.

Now, if you believe that you received your own, wave your Light - Glory be to God!

Now, begin to Pray to God now and say:

Lord, for the rest of my Life, let me Shine for You wherever I go!

Keep on Praying now!!!

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BIBLE TEXT: MARK 8: <u>22-25</u>

Well, lift your hands to the Most High God and bless His Holy Name.

Give Him Glory, give Him Honour, give Him Adoration and bless Him.

Thank Him for all He has done for you.

Give Him Glory and Honour that He has kept you alive till this moment - He is Worthy to be Praised!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Worshipped - Amen!

SONG

We give You all the Glory We give You Honour We give You all the Glory We give You Honour

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God: The Owner of Heaven and Earth and the Owner of South Africa - We Worship You.

We give You all the Glory, and we give You all the Honour for all You have done for us thus far.

We Your Children are all together saying: "Good Morning Lord".

Thank You for another Day - It is of Your Mercy that we are not Consumed and Thank You because that Mercy is renewed everyday.

Please, accept our Worship in Jesus Name.

Thank You for what You did here on Friday (DMC NOTES: During the Light Up South Africa Crusade 2024) and Thank You for what You are about to do here again today - Please, accept our Worship in Jesus Name.

Daddy once again, we are committing South Africa into Your Hands; Oh Lord, Please take over here.

Take Absolute Control of this Nation - Let the Elections be Peaceful and let Your Perfect Will be done.

As for Your Children who are Gathered here again this Morning, Inclusive those reading now on the Label of DMC - Father whatever may be the Needs of Your Children, that are yet to be met; meet those Needs this Morning.

Whatever You have to do to make their Joy Perfect; Please do it this Morning.

Bless everyone of us and Glorify Your Holy Name.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

Well, let Someone shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah!

Well, shake hands with one (1) or two (2) People and say: "Neighbour, God Bless You richly".

And you may Please be seated.

I want to say once again that we Thank the Almighty God for making it Possible to be with you this Past few days (DMC NOTES: From Tuesday 14th May to Sunday 19th May, 2024).

My wife and I have really feel a bit reluctant to go - We have enjoyed our stay and you have made everything Pleasant.

And in Particular, I want to say Thank You very much to my Lord Bishop - You have shown Extraordinary Love. Thank You to leave your Church on Sunday to come and Fellowship with us - That is Extraordinary Love!

DMC NOTES: The Lord Bishop under reference is: Bishop Titus Sithole - Senior Pastor; Charity and Faith Mission, City of Johannesburg, Gauteng, South Africa.

Mark 8:22-25:

- 22. And he cometh to Bethsaida; and they bring a blind man unto him, and besought him to touch him.
- 23. And he took the blind man by the hand, and led him out of the town; and when he had spit on his eyes, and put his hands upon him, he asked him if he saw ought.
- 24. And he looked up, and said, I see men as trees, walking.
- 25. After that he put his hands again upon his eyes, and made him look up: and he was restored, and saw every man clearly.

I want to talk to you for few Minutes because I have a Flight to Catch on the Topic: "THE SECOND TOUCH".

They brought a Man to the Lord Jesus Christ - He was blind and Jesus took him by the hand.

Oh, I Pray that today; Jesus will just come to you and take you by the hand - Amen!

And then he led him aside away from the crowd.

You see, there are some Miracles that you get that are for you alone.

When God wants to do something Extraordinary for you, He takes you aside.

When you read 2 Kings 4: 1-7 - The Man of God told the Widow of Zarephath. He said: The Miracle that you are about to get is for you and you alone. Shut the door and keep Outsiders away.

There are some Miracles that you don't want Neighbours to see until it is Completed because they could interfere.

And there are some Miracles that are just for you and you alone!

That Special Miracle that God will say: Hey my son/daughter, this is for you and you alone. Receive it this Morning - Amen!

He (Jesus) took him aside and He did something very unusual - He spat on his eyes.

Ha, I'm blind and you are spitting on my eyes; what do you mean?

When God wants to Perform a Miracle, don't limit Him - Don't tell Him the Method He should use.

You remembered the Story of Naaman very well:

Naaman, you are a Leper, you came to a Man of God to help you:

- The Man of God said that you should go and wash for seven (7) times in River Jordan.
- And he got angry.
- He said: Ha, what is wrong with him? There are Cleaner Rivers in my Nation. Why don't I wash in them and be Clean.
- He said that I thought that he will come out, Strike his hands on the Leprosy and then call on his God.
- ... You are teaching God how to do Things Laughter!

Is there anybody here today who will say: Whatever Method you want to use, just give me my Miracle? - Yes for The DMC Family Members!

After He spat on his eyes, He then touched him - He gave him the First Touch.

Just one Touch is enough to Solve any Problem - One Touch from the Most High, can take care of every Problems.

One of these days, if God will allow us to come back; we will talk about how a Single Touch is enough!

When you take Somebody like the Leper in Matthew 8: 1-3 - He was a Leper and:

- I. Because he was a Leper, he is automatically Poor.
- II. Because he was a Leper, he was banished from the Gathering of Multitudes.

But just one Touch Changed everything!

I Pray for Someone here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - The Almighty God will touch you (Amen).

And then He said to him - Now that I have touched you; can you see anything? - Oh, he said that I can see Men walking like trees.

That tells you that this Man has been able to see before - He knew trees and he knows when Men are around.

Bit then, something went wrong and now he couldn't differentiate between trees and Man until that Touch came.

But the Section that I was to discuss for the little time that I have is that - Jesus Christ gave him a Second Touch!

I believed very, very firmly that all of us who came here on Friday (Light Up South Africa Crusade 2024) - We got a Touch from God!

I know that and I know that God did something Last Friday that some of us for the Next year or two years, we will still be reaping the Fruits - Amen.

But then, occasionally God needs to Touch you a Second Time - That is the Purpose of this Meeting!

God wants to Perfect whatever He has done in your Life - Amen!

Now, when we talk about a Second Touch - I will just give you some Examples and then we will Pray!

The First Touch is Good but the Second Touch is Better!

1. Let's take the Example of Israel.

In Exodus 12: <u>30-36</u>; when Israel got the first Touch; their Problems of about <u>430</u> years came to an end immediately.

When they got that first Touch, the Pharaoh who has been holding them Captive, who has said who is God? I don't know Him and I won't let Israel go; came begging saying: Please go quickly and bless me also.

A Single Touch and your Number One Enemy will come begging!

One Single Touch and all the Salaries that they have owed Generations of Israel for more than <u>430</u> years they Paid in one day.

They were so anxious for them to leave that whatever they asked for, they got them.

I have Good News for Someone - Whatever the devil has stolen from you, must be restored (Amen).

But then, by the time you get to Exodus Chapter 14; what do we see - Suddenly, the Enemies

gathered themselves together and say: Let us Pursue them.

- We will Catch Up with them and bring them back into Bondage.
- We will bring them back, take all the Money they have taken from us and reduce them to Square One.

Then God gave them a Second Touch:

- The Red Sea opened.
- The Children of Israel Passed through on Dry Ground.
- The Enemy followed them and the Sea closed on them.

Something happened that Moses Prophesised - He said that the Enemies you have seen today, you will never see them again.

A Second Touch Seals your Victory!

A Second Touch means that if you have been Sick and you are healed on Friday (During The Light Up South Africa Crusade 2024); you will never be Sick again - Amen!

My children have asked me - If you will never be sick again, how are you going to die? You don't have to be sick to die.

And may I decree to Somebody here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - For the rest of your Life, you will know no Sickness (Amen).

A Second Touch will make sure that everything you have taken back from satan; satan will not be able to Steal it again!

2. Another Example can be found in Daniel 3: 1-end in the Life of Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego.

They threw Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego into a Fiery Furnace and God gave then a Touch.

How? Because the Son of God Himself was there in the Fire with them.

So, they made contact with Him and suddenly:

- The Fire that was supposed to kill then became like Air-conditioned Room.

- The ropes binding them was completely destroyed.
- The People who threw them in were killed.

A Single Touch can put to an end your Yokes!

A Single Touch can humiliate your Enemy!

Even King Nebuchadnezzar got up and said: I thought that we threw three (3) Men in, but now I can see four (4).

Hey, Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego come out immediately from the Fiery Furnace - That was the First Touch and that was beautiful.

But if you read the Story to the end; you will see that they got a Second Touch.

Because the King now said that I Promote you.

They were Ordinary Slaves when they threw them in, but with the Second Touch, Nobody ever bothered Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego again!

I have Good News for Somebody here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - The Witches and Wizards and the Forces of Darkness in every Parts of your Life; not only have they been Silenced on Friday but today I decree to you that they will never come near you again (Amen).

3. Let me take David and Goliath as an Example

When you read the Story of David and Goliath in 1 Samuel 17: 1-end; you will find something interesting there if you Pay attention to the Story.

The Bible said that David slew Goliath with that Rock - He just took one rock, send it fly, hit Goliath on the forehead and Goliath fell down.

And the Bible said that David killed Goliath - That is the First Touch.

But the Story didn't end there - The Bible said that there was no sword in the hand of Goliath and so he went, took the sword of the enemy and cut off his head - That was a Second Touch.

You see because God was saying: Yes, Goliath is down but if you don't take off his head, what if he ressurrects? What if he revives?

Not only will the Goliath in your Life fall down and die; because of the Second Touch that you are going to get this Morning, his head will be cut off - Amen!

In Nigeria, there is a Proverb - "Stay away from a Snake whose head has not been cut off".

The Elders will say that: Wait till the head of the snake is cut off before you can really, really begin to rejoice.

And every snake in your home, every snake in your Place of work, every snake in your Church; their heads will be cut off this Morning - Amen.

The Second Touch Perfects your Miracles!

The Bible says in Psalms 138:8 - It said that God will Perfect that which concerns me.

The meaning of Perfect is that: Without anything left - That is 100% Good!

It is Good to be healed but if you have no money to feed, hunger will kill you.

Perfection means: Not only will God heal you; He will Provide you with enough money to enjoy the rest of your Life!

In the Story of the woman that I referred to earlier in 2 Kimgs 4: 1-7 - Not only was her debt Paid, she had enough money to live on for the rest of her Life.

I decree that anybody here or reading now on the Label of DMC that is owing; in a way that you can't explain; God will Pay the debt - Amen!

And then, God will now bring you to a Lavel where you will never borrow again - Amen!

I tell you a Story because I believed that God is talking to Somebody Particularly.

We are having a Program like this and there was this my daughter who was in a very, very serious trouble.

The husband died and left her with a huge amount of debt and about seventeen (17) People to look after.

Suddenly God spoke to me and said that there is Someone here - I am going to give you a Breakthrough and you are to bring the Breakthrough to me. And God said after that, I will take care of your situation.

About a week later, the woman came and brought a huge amount of Money - At least by our Standard in those days and said that this is what God did.

I said so what? She said that God said He will give me a Breakthrough, I should bring that to Him and then He will bring my own.

Because I knew the situation, I said Mama, God said Someone here and I'm not quite sure it is you that He is talking about. I can't this as I know the kind of Problems you are - Big as that Money is, it is just a drop in the bucket.

She said: So you want to block the way of the Second Miracle? I said No and so I took the Money but just kept it in one corner.

Then God moved!

God is going to move for you today - Amen!

And she got a Letter from London because the huge debt that she had has to do with some Money the husband borrowed in the UK.

They said that we have discovered that we made a mistake - Your husband is not owing us but we are the one owing him.

I mean it doesn't make sense - They don't make that kind of mistake in London.

So, come and see us so that we can give you what we owed your husband.

That wiped out the debt - Number one and now she became so Wealthy that she became a Member of the Board of the Bank she was owing.

I decree to Somebody here today or reading now on the Label of DMC - Whatever you are owing; God will Pay and He will bless you so that that you will never borrow again - Amen!

4. When we talk of making Perfect that which concerns you; a very Classical Examination will be Daniel Chapter 6.

You know the Story - Daniel was rapidly Promoted until he became one of the three Rulers in the Kingdom.

And because of the Excellent Spirit on him, he was going to be made No 1.

Then the Enemies ganged up against him and they got the King to Sign a decree that anybody who Prays to any other God aside the King should be thrown to the Den of Lions - They knew that Daniel will Pray as you can do whatever you like.

So, when they got Daniel into the Den of Lions - Daniel got the first Touch.

The Almighty God came, shut the mouth of the Lions and the following Morning, Daniel was brought out alive - That was a Great Miracle.

And everyone of you that might be in any Den of Lions, you will come out - Amen!

And the Perfection of the Story was that the King now said - All those who has been troubling Daniel come and don't come alone; come with your wife and children.

And when they arrived, the King said to them - Do you recognise this Man? Oh yes, this is Daniel.

What happened to Daniel yesterday? Well, we got him thrown into the Den of Lions.

Have you ever seen a Man spent a Night in the Den of Lions and come out alive? They said No.

Something must have happened to my Lions - So, I want you and your family to go down there, find out what is it for me that happened to my Lions.

You know the rest of the Story - Before they got to the bottom of the Den, the Lions finished them.

Only God knows when next I will be in South Africa - I have been Praying and if He says come back tomorrow; I will be back.

But I want to use this Last Service just in case we don't meet on this Side of Eternity again.

I want to use this Last Service to say to you:

- 1. To decree in the Name that is above every other names that anybody who tries to throw you into the Den of Lions will replace you there Amen.
- 2. I want to use this opportunity to decree that everything in your Life that needs to be Perfected will be Perfected this Morning Amen,
- 3. I want to use this opportunity to decree that whatever is not allowing your Joy to be Full; the Almighty God will wipe it out this Morning Amen.
- 4. I want to use this opportunity to decree that my Father in Heaven will give you a Miracle "So Big" that your Joy will Overflow Amen.

So shall it be in Jesus Name - Amen!

5. When we talk about God making everything Perfect, the Last Example I will give you is that of Lazarus.

Lazarus died, and he decomposed.

By the time the Lord came, the Sisters said that he is now Stinking - A case beyond Help!

But the Lord reversed the Irreversible - Which He will do for you (Amen).

And He called Lazarus out of the Tomb.

And God knows my Heart - That everything that had died and every Glory that is supposed to the "Lost Forever" in your Life and in the whole of South Africa; the God who can reverse the Irreversible will reverse it - Amen.

But Jesus Christ didn't just bring Lazarus out of the Tomb; He Commanded: Loose him and let him go - That was the Second Touch and the Touch of Perfection.

I have come here this Morning to decree in the Name that is above every other names that from now on; you will go for Jesus - Amen.

That everything that has not allowed you to serve God the way you should serve Him; the Almighty God will consume this Morning - Amen.

It shall be well with you - Amen!

So in Conclusion:

They brought this Man to Jesus:

- I. Jesus took him by the hand He could have said to Jesus: Leave my hand. Who are you? Who is that fellow holding my hand?
- II. Jesus led him out of the crowd He could have said: Where are you taking me? Leave me alone.
- III. Jesus spat on his eyes He could begin a fight there. I can't see you but I can swing a blow or two.
- IV. That Man even without even waiting for his Miracle Surrendered Completely He never Struggled with the Lord Jesus Christ.

I'm begging you - From today, don't Struggle with the One who can give you a Second Touch.

There are many of us Christians who has been once Sophisticated that we now Struggle - We even Struggle to serve Jesus Christ.

Whenever I look back and I see those of us who got Born Again at the same time and I see those People who were on Fire for God then but have "Cooled Down" Mightily now; I have been able to trace it to one Point:

At a Stage in their Christian Life, they began to Struggle with the Lord of Lords!

At a Stage in their Life, those of us who when we get Born Again, when we were Young Christians:

- We dance for Jesus Christ, caring less who was looking.
- We shouted and our shout the Loudest.
- We serve God with everything we had even though we don't have much.

But as we begin to grow, things Changed!

What is going on?

- I. Praise and Worship That is for children and New Converts.
- II. Shout Hallelujah You will say that we have been shouting all these years and by now, God should know that we have tried.

III. And then, God begins to Prosper us - And the things we were able to do when we had Nothing became difficult for us when we had something.

You want Him to Perfect that which concerns you, Change your Attitude towards Him - Let your Attitude be of the Man who was blind and Somebody he couldn't see took his hands!

Can you see tomorrow my brother and sister?

Jesus wants to take your hands saying:

- Let me lead you out of the crowd.
- Let me make you Special.
- Let your own Miracle be for you and you alone.

Think again - How hot was I at the beginning of my Christian Life? How hot am I now?

And Change your Attitude.

When we talk about making Him Lord of your lives; the People call it this Statement - If you will not allow Him to be Lord of all, then He will not be Lord at all.

He doesn't like People who are Lukewarm:

- He loves those who hate Him as He knows these are Potential Candidates that He will deal with.
- And He loves those who will serve Him Violently with everything that they have.

You know that we used to say in those days - A Christian Fanatics is Someone who loves Jesus more than you!

Please my brothers and sisters; just in case Jesus comes before we meet again; remember this Morning and your Life will become Perfect!

And then, there are some of us, who has not even Surrendered to Jesus Christ - Why don't you do so this Morning.

It is going to be a very, very Special Sunday you know!

There was no need for me to wait till today - I have already finished my Main Assignment on Friday Night and I could have travelled on Saturday.

But God wanted me to wait till this Morning so that Somebody who is not yet saved can Surrender his/her Life to Jesus Christ; so that God can make Perfect the Life of Someone!

ALTAR CALL

I am not only calling forward those who want to Surrender their lives to Jesus Christ for the first time; I am also calling on the Backsliders - Those who used to serve God, those who said that they will never touch sin again but had gone back to sin.

Come back to the Lord Jesus Christ - Let Him restore you into Fellowship with Him.

I am going to count from one (1) to seven (7) - So, if you want to come, come very quickly as you Surrender to Him 100%. As I count now!

Now, those of you who are already infront and those who are yet on the way; cry to Him now.

Say: Lord, I'm not joking anymore - Save my Soul as I want to be yours <u>100</u>%. Forgive all my sins and I will serve You for the rest of my Life.

And those of you who are Backsliders and want to return home. You will say:

Restore me to Fellowship with You and I will never run away from you again.

Go ahead and talk to the Almighty God.

And the rest of us, Please Stretch your hands towards our New brothers and sisters and intercede for them.

Pray that the Almighty God will have Mercy on them, that He will save their Souls, He will forgive all their sins, He will restore all Backsliders fully to Himself.

Go ahead and Call on Him.

Thank You Jesus!

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

PRAYER FOR SALVATION

So my Father and my God, I want to say Thank You for Your Words and I want to say Thank You for these People who has come forward to Surrender their lives to You.

Please receive them in Jesus Name.

Forgive all their sins, Cleanse them with Your Blood, save their Souls Lord, write their names in the Book of Life and receive them into the Family of God.

Please Lord God Almighty, from this moment onwards, anytime they call on You, answer them by Fire and let them serve You till the End.

In Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

How many of us believed that this Morning is Specially meant for you?

Stand on your feet and shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah!

I'm going to Pray for you first; after which I will want you to talk to God yourself!

Let Us Pray now!

FINAL FATHER'S BLESSINGS

My Father and my God; I want to Thank You.

I want to Thank You once again for arranging this Meeting - I know how Strongly the Enemies fought so that this Meeting will not hold.

And I Thank You for giving us "Victory at Last".

Please accept our Thanks in Jesus Name.

I'm committing these Your Children into Your Hands:

If they are Sick, heal them Perfectly today.

If they are Poor, my Father and my God; begin to Prosper them Perfectly today.

If they are in any form of Bondage - You the Lord of Hosts, every Evil Forces that is hindering the Progress of these Your Children, let Your Fire Consume.

If there is any one of them Trusting You for the Fruit of the Womb; even if they are asking You for one child, give them Double.

If there is anyone of them expecting Promotion; because they came this Morning or reading now on the Label of DMC - Father, give them Double Promotions.

Whatever Miracle these Your Children may need, I Pray that even if they knock at one door, Open seven (7) doors unto them.

Grant their Requests Oh Lord and Perfect that which concerns them.

Lord God Almighty, before this Month ends (May 2024), let their Joy Overflow.

And then, the Grace to begin to serve You like never before; grant it unto them and Uphold them till the "Very End".

And even if we don't meet here on Earth again; I Pray that in Your Kingdom, none of us will be

missing.

Daddy, I'm committing them into Your Hands now - They will be crying unto You for "Perfection of Miracles"; Please whatever they ask for, before the Sun Sets today, turn them to a Testimony.

Thank You Almighty God.

For in Jesus Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen!

SPECIAL PERSONAL PRAYER REQUEST

Now, go ahead and cry to the Almighty God:

Tell Him in what area(s) You want Him to Perfect your Life and to make your Joy Perfectly Full.

Go ahead and talk to the Almighty God!!!

