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THEME: PROMOTED FOR A PURPOSE

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BIBLE TEXT: MARK 4:13-15

Thank You Lord!

SONG

Alpha, Omega;  
Alpha, Omega  
You are worthy of our Praises today;  
You are worthy of our Praises today (Hallelujah).

OPENING PRAYER

Alpha and Omega, the Beginning and the End, the One who was, the One who is, the One who is to come, the Almighty God.

The God of Yesterday, Today and Forever; the God of the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) - We Worship You.

Please, accept our Thanks, in Jesus' Name.

Thank You for all You have been doing for us in the Past; Thank You for what You are going to do today - Glory be to Your Holy Name.

Thank You for Journey Mercies for all Your Children who are here already.

Thank for those who are still on the way because You are going to bring them here safely, in Jesus' Name.

Please, accept our Thanks, in Jesus' Name.

Father, this Weekend do something New in the lives of Your Children - Anoint Your children afresh and empower us like never before.

Lord God Almighty I Pray, whatever Problem Your Children came here with, let the Problem be over today.

In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

Let Somebody shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah.

Shake hands with Someone you have not seen this year and say: Happy New Year, God Bless You!

And then you may Please, be seated.

And since I have not seen (some of) you this Year, I say, Happy New Year!

I am delighted to see you - You are Welcome in Jesus' Name - Amen.

I want to Thank God for the opportunity to be here with you - God Bless You.

Let's give the Lord a big round of applause for the Choir and the Engineers.

The two (2) People who spoke before me: The Preacher and the Person who took the Prayer after the First Talk; If you combine those two (2) you can go home - You have already been blessed.

But we still have a long way to go; and you must be ready to write fast. this night - Thank God for this Transcription from the Label of DMC.

Tonight, we are talking about "PROMOTED FOR A PURPOSE".

Mark 2: 13-15:

13 And he goeth up into a Mountain, and calleth unto him whom he would: and they came unto him.

14 And he Ordained twelve, that they should be with him, and that he might send them forth to Preach,

15 And to have Power to heal Sicknesses, and to cast out devils:

He Promoted twelve (12) out of the crowd. But immediately, He stated why He had done so;

I. He Promoted them to be with Him.

II. He Promoted and sent them to Preach.

III. He Promoted them to have the Power to Heal.

IV. And to have the Power to cast out devils.

Revelation 4:11 says, Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive Glory and Honour and Power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy Pleasure they are and were created.

God never does anything without a Purpose.

Which is Good News for Somebody here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC: You are not an accident - Amen.

There is no bastard as far as God is concerned - Even if your father raped your mother and then disappeared; you (The Product) came for a Purpose.

The Almighty God says in His Word (Jeremiah 29:11), For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of Peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.

And He said, Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I Ordained thee a Prophet unto the Nations (Jeremiah 1:5).

I have Good News for everyone of you here tonight or reading now on the Label of DMC - Your tomorrow is going to be alright - Amen.

When, as you are Proceeding in Life, certain things begin to happen, it is for a Purpose.

You are not here tonight just to hear the General Overseer speak - It is Planned by God for a Purpose.

When you consider the case of Moses as a very Good Example - You'll be finding that in Exodus 7:1, all of a sudden God said to the man who used to be a fugitive "See, I have made thee a god to Pharaoh:"

From a fugitive to becoming a 'god' - That is a long Journey.

Wherever you are today, I am already rejoicing with you because, you are already Promoted - Amen.

I live almost on a daily basis by listening to God.

Anybody who Pays close attention to the Themes of the Holy Ghost Services would understand:

For example in November 2023 He said, The Wall must come down - Walls came down fully.

In December 2023 He said let there be a Divine Repositioning - He Repositioned the Walls to move some People from one Place to another.

You know, I keep saying, I am not a Prophet - A Prophet hears from God Per Second. I am a Pastor. I only hear from Him once in a while. And when I hear from Him, you would know it is from God.

And in January 2024 He said "The Wind will blow" - And the Wind is already blowing some Secrets open.

How many of you have heard some of the Secrets? The DMC FAMILY MEMBERS!

If you are hiding any Secret, quickly retribute because the Wind is already blowing. And you don't want it to blow your Secrets open.

When He talked about Divine Repositioning, He is not talking about moving from a Deacon to Assistant Pastor, then Full Pastor. Or from Parish Pastor to Area Pastor - It is for a Purpose.

1. In Psalms 40:1-3, He spoke about taking us from the Miry clay to the Rock to Stand - That's Promotion!

2. In 1 Peter 2:10; He said, Which in time Past were not a People, but are now the People of God: which had not obtained Mercy, but now have obtained Mercy. That's Promotion!

3. In 1 Peter 2:9 He said, But ye are a Chosen Generation, a Royal Priesthood, an Holy Nation, a Peculiar People; that ye should shew forth the Praises of him who hath called you out of Darkness into his Marvellous Light - That's Promotion!

4. He said, according to Romans 8:37 that, Nay, in all these things we are more than Conquerors through him that loved us - That's Promotion!

5. We used to be fools - If we are to go by Psalms 14:1, "The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God."

But maybe not all of us; I used to be one.

In my Academic world back then, we used to talk about God as we like.

Thank God He has Repositioned us and now we know there is God.

So we are wise today because of the Fear of God.

Proverbs 9:10 says, The fear of the LORD is the beginning of Wisdom: and the Knowledge of the Holy is Understanding.

How many wise People are here today? The DMC FAMILY MEMBERS!

Let me hear you shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah.

6. So, we have been Promoted from Shame to Glory.

Proverbs 3:35 says, The Wise shall inherit Glory: but Shame shall be the Promotion of fools.

7. And Colossians 1:27 made is clear that as long as Christ is in you, you have the Hope of Glory.

That's Promotion!

8. We used to be Weaklings: now, according to Philippians 4:13, we can (how many things?) All things through Christ who Strengthens us.

That's Promotion!

9. We used to be children of the devil (Liars).

John 8:44 says, Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a Murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the Truth, because there is no Truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

But now we have been Promoted to such an extra Greater Height and we have been Divinely Repositioned.

1 John 4:4 says, Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because Greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

So the Question then is: WHAT IS YOUR PURPOSE?

You see, God is Sovereign.

We know that Psalms 115:3 says, But our God is in the Heavens: he hath done whatsoever he hath Pleased.

But He is never arbitrary; He is never without a Purpose.

Like that Scripture I read before (Revelation 4:11) we were created for His Pleasure.

So, why have you been Promoted?

One of the Speakers before me tonight mentioned King Saul as a bad example but we have Good examples.

And 1 Corinthians 10:1-11 says: Now all these things happened unto them for ensamples: and they are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come.

If we look at those who had been Promoted before and see their Purpose; we might discover why we too are Promoted.

... I wish we have all the time just to Study Moses, because;

## MOSES WAS PROMOTED FOR A PURPOSE

### 1. You are Promoted to Demonstrate that Miracle is Superior to Magic.

Oh! The devil can Perform Magic, as we find in Exodus 7:8-13 - And Moses and Aaron went in unto Pharaoh, and they did so as the LORD had commanded: and Aaron cast down his rod before Pharaoh, and before his servants, and it became a serpent. Then Pharaoh also called the wise men and the sorcerers: now the magicians of Egypt, they also did in like manner with their enchantments. For they cast down every man his rod, and they became serpents: but Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods.

When God wants to show that His Miracle is Superior to Magic, anything can happen. "... But Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods."

### 2. You are Promoted to Demonstrate that Divine Anointing is Superior to Cultism.

Exodus 8:16-19 says, after Moses Performed the Miracle which the Magicians of Pharaoh could not: Then the Magicians said unto Pharaoh, This is the finger of God: and Pharaoh's heart was hardened, and he hearkened not unto them; as the LORD had said.

God Promotes to Prove to Sorcerers and Magicians that there is Someone called the Almighty.

### 3. You are Promoted to Demonstrate the Power of your God.

It reminds me of a Story of one of our Pastors in one of the towns in the West.

He hired a house close to the Chief Herbalist of the town. He was not an Ordained Pastor actually, he was overseeing a branch of our Church and Miracle was happening there on a daily basis.

And I decree that by the time you get back home, the whole Village will hear of your Parish - Amen.

So, the Chief Herbalist became jealous of my son.

One day, he went to Church, with the doors and windows locked. When he returned, he found (in his one room apartment) an hen sitting on eggs.

And those who are from my side know the meaning of that - If you try to kick the hen you would be Paralyzed. If you try to pick it up your back will break.

When the Pastor saw the hen and eggs he said, "O God Thank You! When was the last time I ate chicken and egg. Hen and eggs, welcome to to dining table. I cover you with the Blood of Jesus".

To cut a long Story short: the Herbalist was expecting a scream and his corpse. But the following day he saw the Pastor going to Church and he gave his Life to Jesus. Hallelujah!

4. You are Promoted to set God's People Free.

Wherever you are (Parish, Area, Zone, etc), you are there to bring Light to the People.

You are not just a Preacher, but a Liberator to the People - Present Jesus to the People.

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

Colossians 1:12-15 says, Giving Thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be Partakers of the Inheritance of the Saints in Light:

You are not supposed to be in a Town for a year and People are still in danger and Subject to the Powers that be. Your duty is to cast out demons, set the Captives free.

There was a day in the Redemption City when I saw fire burning on the top of a tree right on the Campground - Huge fire! And I thought maybe my children were playing with candle and it burnt the tree. By the following morning, when I looked at the tree every leaf was green. I wasn't dreaming, I know what I saw.

I called one of the Carpenters, when I asked him, he said, "we have been hearing voices talking inside the tree. We were afraid to tell you." Voices talking inside the tree? And I said, the tree



should be cut down today.

Every evil tree in your Towns and Villages would be burnt down by Fire - Amen.

... That is why you are Promoted.

As soon as we started cutting the tree, all the Villagers came ( I don't know how they knew). They said, that is a "Sacred Tree" - If you cut it, before you know it will stand up again. And all of you will die. Let's wait for it to get up. Cut the tree! And it never got up - Hallelujah.

How can it? Is it not written, That at the Name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in Heaven, and things in Earth, and things under the Earth - Philippians 2:10

5. You are Promoted to be a Commander of Wealth - Stop Promoting Poverty.

Moses did not lead the Children of Israel in Poverty but in Wealth. And he saw to it that all the Wealth denied them for four hundred and thirty (430) years were fully Paid in one Night.

You are Promoted to begin to Prosper.

So teach them by example and by demonstrating Wealth yourself.

Do you want to die Poor! No!

In my family Morning Devotion we take Offering - The house helps also give out of the little they have.

And you know what happens? Big Visitors come to our house. When leaving, God speak to them to sow to our house helps. Why? Because they themselves have sowed. And when you sow you reap. You don't believe me? It will show on your Giving.

No Member of my Congregation can Give more than me in Offering.

In Tithing, I don't know about that, because I am not a Businessman.

A Man started a Business with fifteen (15) Dollars and in few years the Business grew to Millions of Dollars.

Why? He reached an Agreement with God - I cannot take 90% and give You just 10%. "You take 90% while I keep 10%. The Business is now Yours, if you like Prosper it."

I have long left the level of 30% Tithe (don't ask me the Level I am now) - laughs!



I am a farmer's son, and I have seen my father get the very best of yam, the very best of maize and put it aside for Planting.

When we ask why? He said, that is what we are going to eat next year.

You have to show your Congregation "this is the way out of Poverty (by sowing yourself)".

I am not just telling you, it is what I do.

Because very soon, God will begin to embarrass you through your Giving.

I had just two (2) cars and as I was Praying for one of our Holy Ghost Congresses, God said "give me your two (2) cars)."

I thought if you have two (2) coats, Lord God Almighty, you are to give out one (1)? I know His voice, so I obeyed.

In one Single day, I had to give out twelve (12) cars, just to clear my backyard.

You are Promoted to take your Congregation out of Poverty. So, show them by Giving Offering, Sowing Seeds, Giving First Fruits and Tithing.

Whether you believe it or not, all the money you need to do God's work is right where you are - not in Lagos.

In every Location where God may put you, there is a river with a fish having your coin in its mouth. And it takes God to guide you to where to put your hook.

In 1970 when we went to Kenneth Hagin's Camp Meeting, when they want to address those of us from Africa they would say, do you know Brother so and so from Kenya? When they talk of Nigeria they asked, in what way can we be of help to you?

Now, I tell them, come and see what the Lord is doing on Nigeria. The God in America is the same God in Nigeria, and He is not a beggar - I have never received any help from Abroad. When they come to the Redemption City they say, God is Great.

I decree to Someone here today or reading now on the Label of DMC; when next People visit you, they will say your God is Great - Amen.

6. God Promotes you so you can teach your People Faith.

In Exodus 14:13-14, when the Children of Israel got to the Red Sea Moses said: And Moses said unto the People, Fear ye not, Stand Still, and see the Salvation of the LORD, which he will shew

to you to day: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever. The LORD shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your Peace.

... He was acting in Faith: he didn't know how it's going to happen.

Just like when I make decrees, I don't care how it's going to happen. His Word says, Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee -;Job 22:28

So I decree, you will be great. You won't die Poor. Your Church will blossom - Amen.

Assure your People that, weeping may endure for a Night, but Joy cometh in the Morning -  
Psalms 30:5

Talk Faith! For the Bible says, So then Faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God - Romans 10:17.

Talk Faith and your Congregation will believe.

For a long time I have been saying that the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) is going to be the Greatest and Biggest in the world.

God is bringing it to pass.

Your Parish will be the biggest - Amen.

Just Believe in the LORD your God, so shall ye be established; believe his Prophets, so shall ye Prosper - 2 Chronicles 20:20.

I remember saying in the United Kingdom, that one day the Royal Family will come to Worship in our Church.

When the current King did his Sixtieth (60th) Birthday, he came to the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG).

And so everything he has been doing since he got to the Throne: from the Coronation up to the Christmas Carol, he comes to the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG).

Why? Because I spoke in Faith - God honoured it.

I am speaking tonight, very soon, every Traditional Ruler in this your Domain will Worship in your Parish - Amen.

7. As God Promotes you, you must close the Sea after them.

It is one thing to open the Sea for the People to pass through.

God wish that you would create a way where there was no way; but more importantly, after the Children of Israel Passed through the Red Sea God told Moses to close the Red Sea.

It came back, drown the enemies - Which means that Part of your Assignment is to see to it that all the Enemies Pursuing your Congregation will drown - Amen.

You must realise, there was an occasion when the People wanted to go back to Egypt but could not, because the sea was closed.

Moses had closed the sea.

Your Congregation will not backslide - Amen.

So, you must not keep your mouth shut - Teach them that God has no Pleasure in Backsliders.

2 Peter 2:20-22 says, But it is happened unto them according to the true Proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and the sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.

Tell them they must not go back to their vomit like dogs.

Revelation says no dogs would go to Heaven - "Without are dogs."

You must be heavy on them when talking about backsliding.

The worse thing that can happen to anyone is to backslide.

The Bible says, For it had been better for them not to have known the way of Righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the Holy Commandment delivered unto them.(2 Peter 2:21).

The Bible made it clear, it is better you have not tasted the Power in the Name of Jesus and the Power in the Blood of Jesus; than do and later backslide.

You have been Promoted, don't toy with Backsliding.

If you are Born Again, continue living for Jesus and never backslide.

Pastors, close the Sea behind them so that they can never backslide.

Let me begin to close tonight, believing that the Holy Spirit will explain the rest reasons why

Moses was Promoted to you.

It requires Extra Strength from God:

2 Chronicles 1:6-12 remember what Solomon said: And Solomon said unto God, Thou hast shewed Great Mercy unto David my father, and hast made me to reign in his stead. Give me now Wisdom and Knowledge, that I may go out and come in before this People: for who can Judge this thy People, that is so Great?

He said, I don't have what it takes. Unless you help me I will fail: I need Wisdom and Understanding, I need your Enablement.

Everything we have shared today, you can't do it on your own.

Remember what Elijah said in 1 Kings 19:4-8, And the Angel of the LORD came again the second time, and touched him, and said, Arise and eat; because the Journey is too Great for thee.

... The Journey is not just far, "The Journey is too Great for thee".

If you are to fulfill Purpose like Elisha, you need Help (from God).

### HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

As you come to the Holy Communion Table tonight, cry to God for Strength because the Journey is far and because we need serious Help.

God looked down from Heaven and saw all the People before Picking a Mathematician and made him Pastor over a little Church.

So, I knew I needed Wisdom and I knew I needed help - I still need His Help now more than ever before.

If the work was to be done in Nigeria alone, it will be easier. But we have children in Ukraine, in Russian. And it creates a little Problem for me. My children are in Israel, in Palestine, too.

You need help to fulfill your Purpose.

So, if you are coming to the Holy Communion Table tonight, you need His Help to fulfill Purpose.

I am going to give you two (2) Minutes to cry to the Almighty God and say: Father You Provided Manna in the desert, and You Provided Water out of the Rock. You have done it

before, Father Please do it again in my Life.

In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

#### ADMINISTERING THE HOLY COMMUNION:

Shall we Please stand!

When you eat the Bread tonight, cry to Him and say Father; I lift my hand to You, fill me to Overflow from this moment onward.

The Lord Jesus Christ, the very Night in which He was betrayed took bread: And when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, Take, eat: this is My Body, which is broken for you: this do in Remembrance of me.

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

... Go ahead and cry to the Lord: Heavenly Father, Please fill me till I want no more.

Thank You Father. In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

When you drink the Wine, you cry to the Lord and say: Father; You are the Source of Ttrue Anointing. Anoint me afresh to fulfil Purpose.

After the same manner also He took the cup, when he had supped, saying, This cup is the new testament in My Blood: this do ye, as oft as ye drink it, in Remembrance of me.

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

Please Lord, Anoint me from today and let me not fail You.

Thank You Father. In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

... Please, be seated for a moment..

#### THANKSGIVING

As is our Custom, we want to take our Thanksgiving Offering.

Dance to the nearest basket (online) and drop your Offering. Then we will have the Closing Prayer - before we begin to go.

Over to you Band.

## CLOSING PRAYER

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

Thank You once again for giving us the opportunity to be here this year. Take all the Glory, in Jesus' Name.

Lord God Almighty, as we go home Please don't let Your Holy Spirit leave us.

Let Your Presence continue to go with us. And by the time we return tomorrow we will Testify.

My Father and my God, I Pray Specially this Weekend will be one of the best for all Your Children.

I decree that this Weekend shall be far, far Glorious for all Your Children.

And if You return before tomorrow, Please don't leave us behind.

In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

Good Night. God Bless You!

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SONG

I have a Father, Almighty Father  
He is King of kings  
And Lord of lords  
I have a Father (Hallelujah).

I have a Father, Almighty Father  
He is King of kings  
And Lord of lords  
I have a Father (what about you).

OPENING PRAYER

Father of all fathers, the One who is seated in Heaven above all the other gods. Recieve our Praise and Worship, in Jesus' Name.

Recieve all Glory, receive all Honour, receive all Adoration. May Your Name for ever be Glorified.

We Thank You very much for all Your Workers and Ministers especially in the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG).

Those who are here and those who for one reason or the other cannot make it, inclusive those reading now on the Label of DMC. Please Lord, lay Your Mighty Hands on them all.

Prove Yourself Mighty in their lives.

Let the world know that You are their Father and let it be well with them.

And Lord God Almighty, help everyone of them to reach their Goal.



In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

Let all Workers shout Hallelujah - Hallelujah.

Shake hands with one (1) or two (2) People and say: I welcome you Worker is the Vineyard of God.

And then you may Please, be seated.

You are all welcome, in Jesus' Name.

Once again, God bless you all - Amen.

Glory be to God - Hallelujah.

Matthew 20: 25-28:

25 But Jesus called them unto him, and said, Ye know that the Princes of the Gentiles exercise Dominion over them, and they that are Great Exercise Authority upon them.

26 But it shall not be so among you: but whosoever will be Great among you, let him be your Minister;

27 And whosoever will be Chief among you, let him be your Servant:

28 Even as the Son of man came not to be Ministered unto, but to Minister, and to give his Life a ransom for many.

We are talking about, "PROMOTED FOR A PURPOSE".

Ezekiel 36: 24-28

24 For I will take you from among the heathen, and gather you out of all Countries, and will bring you into your own land.

25 Then will I sprinkle clean water upon you, and ye shall be clean: from all your filthiness, and from all your idols, will I cleanse you.

26 A New Heart also will I give you, and a New Spirit will I put within you: and I will take away the stony Heart out of your flesh, and I will give you an Heart of flesh.

27 And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my Statutes, and ye shall keep

my Judgments, and do them.

28 And ye shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; and ye shall be my People, and I will be your God.

Many atimes those of us who are Workers in the Church just want Promotion - We don't know how highly God has already Promoted us.

1. He started by say, "I will Select you from amongst the People".

Don't you ever think that you are saved because you want to be saved.

Remember Jesus said, "Nobody can come unto me except my Father draws him or her".

... You know that's in the Bible, right? - Yes Sir!

God has to grab you and bring you to Jesus Christ.

Oh! Several People have been hearing the Gospel again and again; and they are not yet saved.

Why? God is yet to grab and bring them to the Cross.

You may not believe this: A boy lived in my home for more than twenty (20) years, yet was not saved! He came in as a house help, continued to grow. Little by little he entered the University, graduated, became an Accountant and got employed by the Church.

Only for us to discovered that a Boy living in the house of the General Overseer, where you could hear at least one (1) Sermon a day (by 6am) was not saved.

All those years, do you know he was steadily Worshipping Ifa?

DMC NOTES: The word Ifa refers to the mystical figure Ifa or Orunmila, regarded by the Yoruba as the deity of Wisdom and Intellectual Development.

When we finally discovered him, he was deep in the Worship of Ifa.

A rock can be inside a river for a hundred years; if you bring the rock the inside would be dry.

Am I lying? No Sir!

This is why we say, when you come to give your Testimony, the first thing you should say is: "I Thank God for the Salvation of my Soul".

That's a great thing!

Can somebody say: Thank You for saving me Lord.

He said, the first thing I will do is gather the heathen from among you.

2. And then shall I Sprinkle Clean Water on you.

That 'Clean water' is the Blood of Jesus that Cleanses from all sin, and wash you Clean.

... And then He said, I would go further after that;

3. I would take the Stony heart out of them.

We call it Sanctification:

Because the Bible says in Jeremiah 17:9 that, The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked: who can know it?

Desperately wicked means, "unless I do wickedness I cannot rest".

And God says, there is no way you can do My Will unless I do something about that Heart - Change the Heart to a Heart of flesh.

So, from Selection to Salvation, to what we call Sanctification - Then lastly:

4. I will put My Spirit within you - Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

Workers, you've come a long way - From being out there in the world to being Selected, to being Saved, to being Sanctified, to being Baptized in the Holy Spirit.

And now you are Promoted for a Purpose: You are a Worker - Hallelujah!

You have been selected to serve - Congratulations!

Let every Worker shout Praise the Lord!

The Question then is: FOR WHAT PURPOSE?

Because we meet like this once a year - Many of you come from afar, and we want to close on time so you can go back. The days are evil, you don't have to travel at night.

We speak to you briefly, as you go the Holy Spirit begins to interpret His Word to you.

Every man who has ever become Great started as a Worker - As a Servant to Someone.

## I. Take MOSES:

Moses became one of the Greatest Men who ever lived.

He is recognized in three (3) Major Religions of the world - Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

- Among the Jews he is known as a Great Prophet, and a Great Deliverer.

- In Christianity we know him very well - And the Almighty God Himself said Moses is a Prophet He spoke with one on one.

- And the Muslims call him 'Anabi Isha' (Meaning Prophet Moses).

But he was a Servant to Jethro.

Exodus 3:1 says, Now Moses kept the flock of Jethro his father in law, the Priest of Midian: and he led the flock to the backside of the Desert, and came to the Mountain of God, even to Horeb.

Moses was a Worker under Jethro - He was looking after the latter's flock.

## II. What about JOSHUA?

Joshua was a Minister of Moses.

Joshua 1:1 - Now after the death of Moses the Servant of the LORD it came to pass, that the LORD spake unto Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' Minister, saying,

And I think I have explained to you before - A Minister is the one who looks after everything; including taking care of the toilet activities.

That's a Minister (in those days). Not like the ones we have now..The dirtiest job is done by a Minister.

Joshua was a Minister of Moses - He never ever knew he could become a Leader of a Nation.

So, when God called him and said, "hey Boy! You are Succeeding Moses" - the Boy nearly fainted with fright.

God had to say to him three (3) times "be strong and of a Good Courage."

Joshua 1:4-5. Do you ask a Messenger to become President: Particularly when he is to Succeed his Master?

Joshua never thought he would be anything rather than a Worker; but he became President.

You don't know where God is taking you to - You have no idea.

When I joined the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG), if anybody had told me when I became a Worker that I may end up becoming a Pastor (not General Overseer) - Pastor: I would have rejected it immediately.

Before I joined the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG); I thought I had overcome Poverty because I was already a Lecturer.

And as a Lecturer (at least in those days) you can say bye bye to Poverty. Because you now have a flat to live in, you have a car - even though you borrowed the money to buy it. You can take care of a wife, your children can go to Staff School. Your future was secured.

And if you do what you are supposed to do, you will continue to be Promoted. And you might end up becoming a Vice Chancellor.

And I am telling you, in my own days, the Vice Chancellor is almost like a semi-god because in those days the Universities were less than ten (10).

So, if someone had told me that I would become a Pastor, I would have argued with the fellow.

The first month I took over as the General Overseer, the whole Income of the Church was less than my Monthly Salary - "if I can't go forward I can go back."

But here I am today, to the Glory of God - Hallelujah!

I didn't know where God was taking us to; but in those days, when the Pastors came for Annual Thanksgiving my wife and I would think of things to give to them - Sugar, bournvita, etc.

Your future will be Glorious - Amen.

### III. The man DAVID:

David was a Choir Leader in the house of Saul - You know the Story.

Whenever King Saul was troubled by an evil spirit, David would sing and the Demon would go out (1 Samuel 16:3-end).

Which is why I Pray for the Choir: beginning from now, when you are Singing, Demons will go out - Amen.

#### IV. ELISHA:

He was not just a Servant of Elijah, he was a Servant Extraordinary.

2 Kings 3:11 says, But Jehoshaphat said, Is there not here a Prophet of the LORD, that we may enquire of the LORD by him? And one of the king of Israel's servants answered and said, Here is Elisha the son of Shaphat, which Poured water on the hands of Elijah.

He wasn't just Preparing food for his Master, put the water and say "Oga, go and wash your hand." He was Pouring water on the hands of Elijah.

At the time he was doing that, he never thought a King will one day call him Daddy. He knew his Master (Elijah) was number one enemy of the King.

Because he heard each time the King would said, "you are the one troubling Israel." But Elijah would reply, it is you and your father's house. I like Elijah, he was a Man on Fire.

1 Kings 21:19-20 says: And thou shalt speak unto him, saying, Thus saith the LORD, Hast thou killed, and also taken Possession? And thou shalt speak unto him, saying, Thus saith the LORD, In the Place where dogs licked the blood of Naboth shall dogs lick thy blood, even thine. And Ahab said to Elijah, Hast thou found me, O mine enemy? And he answered, I have found thee: because thou hast sold thyself to work evil in the sight of the LORD.

Elisha knew the relationship between his Master (Elijah) and Kings. So, he never thought a King would one day call him Daddy.

You don't know where God is taking you to as a Worker - He can and He will take you very far - Amen.

#### IV. PHILIP:

Philip was one of the Deacons in Acts 6. He was a Worker - serving tables.

And he never thought that a whole City could be blessed through him.

Acts 8:5-8 Then Philip went down to the City of Samaria, and Preached Christ unto them. For Unclean Spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were Possessed with them: and many taken with Palsies, and that were Lane, were healed. And there was Great Joy in that City.

Because of a Worker (Philip); Demons were jumping out.

And later on Philip became the one through which the Gospel came to Africa - "The Patriarch of the Saints of Africa".

I decree that through you, the Word of God would be heard in your Town, City and Village - Amen.

... Because He has Promoted you for a Purpose.

## PRAYER

For the next five (5) Minutes or so, I want you to know that there is a lot of Power in your mouth - It has nothing to do with Titles: Pastor or General Overseer.

Proverbs 18:21 says, Death and Life are in the Power of the tongue: and they that Love it shall eat the fruit thereof.

It was the Power in the Life of Philip that brought Miracles to the City of Samaria.

Mark 16:17 says, And these Signs shall follow them that believe; In my Name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with New tongues - You just Command!

Mark 11:23 says, For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this Mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his Heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.

As a Worker you have been Promoted to make decrees - So, go ahead!

Thank you Father. In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

... Please, be seated.

You have heard the Testimony:

I went to Lokoja (Capacity City of Kogi State Nigeria). There was no pipe bore water, you have to dig well to get water.

As I was entering the Town, in the Center was a huge tree, (in the Middle of the road) like a round about. To me it was odd. "What is a tree doing in the Middle of the town?" They said it was a scared tree. I said, okay we shall see!



We held a Rally in the Morning, returned to have the Crusade in the Evening.

There was Storm and by the following day the tree had fallen - Hallelujah.

I decree right now, every evil tree in your Town shall be Uprooted - Amen.

Matthew 15:13 says, But he answered and said, Every Plant, which my Heavenly Father hath not Planted, shall be rooted up.

You can do the same - Remember, God has Promoted you thus far.

Luke 4:18 says: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to Preach the Gospel to the Poor; he hath sent me to heal the Brokenhearted, to Preach Deliverance to the Captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised,

All that is required is to be Faithful over a little;

Be Faithful to your Pastors, Superiors - because you don't know where God is taking you to.

He has made you a Worker, but you can lift up the hands of your Leaders. So that when you need Help God will answer your cry for Help.

I always Pray for all those who are lifting up my Hands: As I grow, you will grow too - Amen.

I was a Worker, I never wanted to be a Pastor, but see how far the Lord has brought us today.

When you are Promoted to a Place; whether you like it or not, you are there to support your Superiors, as they are the ones to teach you all you will need in your next Phase.

Because, whether you know it or not, it is in the Process of working with them that you learn what to do when God has made you Great.

David was a Shepherd Boy, taking care of Goats and Sheep. God knew he needed to learn how to behave when he eventually become King. God brought him to the Palace to sing - To learn Palace Etiquettes.

Take for Example somebody like me, I don't know anything about Protocol - How to Greet Dignitaries, I don't know it.

I was born in the bush, lived in the Village, attended Secondary School in a big Village; went to the University of Nigeria in Nsuka Village, left the University to work in a Village - I didn't know how to behave.

That's why when I find myself being in the midst Dignitaries - After I have greeted His Excellency (The Governor or President), I ask for Permission to address every other Persons as Brother and Sister. Because I don't know who to call first, second, and so on.

God brought David to the Palace to learn how he would behave when he becomes King.

You are a Worker in that Parish now - To learn what to do when God takes you to a Higher Level.

I have only one Request to make of you today: Please, remain Faithful, because not all Workers ended well.

Gehazi was a Worker under Elisha.

He would have become one of the Greatest Prophets with a Double Portion' - Four (4) times the Spirit of Elijah, but he ended up a Leper.

God has a Purpose for your Life.

I want you to Stand on your feet and cry to the Almighty God and say Father, Please don't let me fail You.

Thank You Father. Glory be to Your Holy Name. In Jesus' Mighty Name we have Prayed - Amen.

... It looks as if some People think I have finished.

Daddy Thank You!

Now, concerning the Ministers, I have told you this Story before: I laid hands on the sick, two (2) Sisters came with a bowl of water and a towel. The two (2) of them looked Ordinary but one of them was thirsty for the Anointing.

Matthew 5:6 says, Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after Righteousness: for they shall be filled.

As I dipped my hands inside the bowl, suddenly I felt the Anointing flowing to the container the sister was holding - Like Divine Electricity.

When you come in contact with e  
Electricity it will shake you a little.

The Sister was shaking so violently, somebody had to grab the container.

Now, the fellow who took the container didn't feel the Anointing because she was not thirsty.

If I shake your hand and you are expecting a Greeting, you'll get only Greeting. And if you are expecting Anointing, that's what you will get.

One day one of my friends, a Senior Pastor visited me with his driver. I shook hands with the driver, and he began to shake saying: "Thank You Jesus!" Shouting and vibrating as he went to the car.

When his Oga asked, "what's wrong with you?" He said, "I shook Daddy G.O's hand." - The Oga has been shaking my hand all these years!

I am going to do something this morning - I am going to release the Anointing of God upon this Altar. And I am going to ask you to come and Touch the Altar before you go.

Touch with Faith, and you will Testify - Amen.

After you touch, don't sleep or stay too long there.

Before you go, drop your Thanksgiving Offering.

#### CLOSING PRAYER

In the Name of the One Who called me - The God of the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG), you will not go back the way you came.

In the Name of the One who made Heaven and Earth, the Almighty God Himself, the Anointing of God in my Life will flow through me to you.

My Father and my God, I Pray that as Your Anointing flow, it will destroy yokes in the lives of Your Children.

It will roast every Demons in their lives.

Father, Uproot whatever You have not Planted in their lives.

Make their Joy to be full.

I decree:

Yoke of Stagnant be destroyed.

Yoke of Barrenness be destroyed.

Yoke of Poverty be destroyed.

Yoke of Laziness be destroyed.

Make Your Children to become Powerful.

Make them Mighty Vessels in your Vineyard.

And that very soon, you will give them Mighty Testimonies.

As they go, Father Please go with them.

Whatever the Thanksgiving Offering they give this Morning, Father within a Month let them receive a Thousand fold.

And in Your Kingdom, may None of us be missing.

Thank You my Father.

In Jesus' Mighty Name I have Prayed - Amen.

In an orderly fashion, you will come - Touch the Altar; drop your Thanksgiving Offering and go home.

God Bless You!

No rushing, come gently.