



Trumpet Sounds

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God Is The Engine That CAN!

I have expressed the difficulty of this past year in other writings, but gained some insight that I would like to pass your way. I am by no means the only one facing difficult times. Whether there are situations with our children or us personally, difficulties are common to those living on planet earth in this day and season. The situation could be financial, health or our children's dilemmas etc. etc.

Most moms can relate to grieving over our children's predicaments. When our children go through turmoil, we all go through it with them.

In prayer, Holy Spirit showed me two things. The first was a train. My daughter, who was going

through some personal crises, was the engine. My car was hooked to her engine and my husband's car hooked to my car and so on down the line. When her engine was going up hill, we were all going up hill, and when her engine was going down hill, we were all going likewise. Our lives were going up one minute and down the next because we were hooked to her engine. Holy Spirit let me know it was time to unhook from that engine and hook up to God's in order to stay on track. That not only keeps me sane, but a stable force. It is not possible to be stable if we are so connected to the problem that "it" controls our ups and downs. It is only by God's grace and the power of prayer that can keep us up even when the track dips downward.



God is the trestle keeping us up in the dips of life.

The second picture Holy Spirit gave me was of myself being the helicopter hovering over the problem...whatever the problem is for us. It resembled this cartoon:



These words followed: "THE CHOPPER HAS LANDED!"

My prayers have all been heard and God is faithful to watch over His Word to perform it. No amount of my hovering will change anything but be another obstacle overhead and in the way. We moms need to pray and leave it to God to release His angels overhead. Moms do not have clearance for continual air space and are more likely targets to be shot down by the enemy adding to the problem!

I love what David said when Saul and his army were in heavy pursuit: ***Ps 3:5 I laid me down and slept; I awaked; for the LORD sustained me.***

What a trust!!! Amen!

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Spiritual Gifts: the Supreme Pizza

One morning in prayer, while praying for the church (all churches); I saw a supreme pizza with everything on it. It was delivered to the church and set upon the altar for all to partake.

It was as each examined the pizza that one after the other picked off what they did not like. With one it was mushrooms, another it was onions with several picking off the green peppers. Most all agreed to casting off every trace of anchovies. By the Spirit, I understood that all the top-

pings were beneficial in meaning: brotherly love, kindness, humility etc. except when it came to the anchovies. The Spirit said the benefit of the anchovies are the most controversial and unpalatable to the church, yet hold the power gifts of the Spirit.

It is true in the natural as well. For example did you know that anchovies have health benefits which include healthy heart, lower levels of bad cholesterol and toxin levels? It helps in improving skin health, reducing weight and strengthening teeth. Intake of anchovies also reduces risk

of osteoporosis and macular degeneration? Adding anchovies into your diet can be a major boost to your body's ability to heal itself. The point is this, Church, you may be picky about some of the very things God has ordained for the health of the church body as a whole. If we reject what the Pharisees rejected, then we are just as impotent and misguided as they. There are the hungry that will receive and partake of what others have rejected. Let's not reject what God has delivered to the church body.

Bring It!

In a Harrison Ford movie set on a tropical island, he made a valid comment: “People come here looking for romance, but, Honey, if they don’t bring it with them, it ain’t here!”

You want to see revival? BRING IT! You want to see the next Great Awakening? WAKE UP! Hey, if you are looking for change...CHANGE IT. It has to start with each one of us. Instead of waiting for it...BRING IT, DO IT, LIVE IT, BE IT!

What we are waiting for is for the “WE” out there to bring it to us as if waiters on a cruise ship delivering every desire imaginable while we sit waiting for it to come. What the “poop-deck” are we waiting for???

I am not waiting for a move of the Holy Spirit; I AM the move of the Holy Spirit within me and so are you.

This may sound harsh and could even come across as judgmental, yet it is a truth none-the-less.

When I am hungry I get up and get something to eat. I have never sat wishing for food to levitate itself into my lap and suddenly appear.

We are waiting to be served revival on a platter to make us feel something.

The Great Awakening spread like a wild fire from neighbor to neighbor, person to person witnessing the amazings of God. They saw it through their many hardships. We are not looking at

it through our hardships because most feel that “wanting it” entitles revival to be delivered automatically.

I am not telling you anything I have not told myself, but I am listening to me because I know Jesus is behind it telling us all to get off our ASSuming it will come and be an active participant to BRING IT, DO IT, LIVE IT AND BE IT. Praise the Lord!!!!



Legal Advantage

Way back in the 70’s there was a situation in my life that I had come to the end of myself declaring, “Enough Is Enough!” Have you ever come to that point? God opened me up to the knowledge of the courts of heaven.

In the spirit I saw a court room with God as the High Court’s Judge, the accuser, satan, as the complainant bringing suit against me, Holy Spirit as my attorney leading me with the understanding of my legal rights in remembering the Word of the Living God, and Jesus as the only witness for me...the defendant.

The first thing I had to recognize was that God, being the judge, was a Just Judge, which meant that, no matter how much He loved and favored me, it is His Word that He watches over to perform. *Jer 1:12 Then said the LORD unto me, Thou hast well seen: for I will hasten my word to perform it.*

My words and actions do come into play, however, they will either agree and represent the Word of my legal rights or they will perjure my testimony, in which case I lose in the suit against me.

I remember this in the Word: **Rev**

12:10-11 And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night.

(How is the accuser’s case cast out of court? That verse gives three “must haves” for victory.)

And they overcame him by the (1) blood of the Lamb, and by (2) the word of their testimony; and (3) they loved not their lives unto the death.

(1) BLOOD: Jesus, who is the WORD, gave us His Word and sealed it in His own blood. *Eph 2:8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:* God’s Grace was a free gift not earned, which is already settled. All we do is receive it.

(2) TESTIMONY: We are baptized into Christ for the remission of sins, thus our testimony: *Gal 3:27 For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ.* This is talking about having received Christ as Savior now we put on Christ which is: enduo meaning, (in the sense of *sinking* into a garment); to *invest* with

clothing (literally or figuratively): - array, clothe (with), endue, have (put) on. *Luke 5:36 And he spake also a parable unto them; No man putteth a piece of a new garment upon an old; if otherwise, then both the new maketh a rent, and the piece that was taken out of the new agreeth not with the old.* Our new life in Christ is not our old way of walking, but walking into the steps ordered by God. How important is putting on Christ? *Matt 22:11-13 And when the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment: And he saith unto him, Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.*

What am I saying here with this? I am saying that a parrot can mimic a duck by quacking and even waddle but he is still a parrot. When we give our lives to Christ...WE GIVE OUR LIVES TO HIM, which takes me to the third point

(3) LOVED NOT OUR LIVES: Our lives do not belong to us. We die to self in order to live for Him, through Him and by Him. *Rom 12:1-2*

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

John 3:3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

This is not about going to heaven but our legal advantage in daily trials. Victory in that case is the grace of God in blood, the word of our testimony, and that we do not love OUR OWN LIVES but die to self and live for Him.

We like to excuse our lost cases on: “God’s timing”, “This time the answer was NO”, etc. There are three points to consider when entering the court of God found in Rev 12:10-11. Never enter the court room unprepared, for the adversary has gathered information in words and deeds especially for this case and intends to win. Justice will be served...make sure you are on the right side of it.

Righteousness...What is it?

Gal 3:6 Even as Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness.

Righteousness, by the content of this Scripture, is a right response to God. For example, God told Abraham to leave his home and travel to a place that He would show him. Abraham responded to God by leaving and going. ***Abraham believed God.***

Ezek 14:20 Though Noah, Daniel, and Job, were in it, as I live, saith the Lord GOD, they shall deliver neither son nor daughter; they shall but deliver their own souls by their righteousness.

What were they each in? Noah was told to build a boat, which made no sense, but he built it anyway...and a flood came. Daniel was in a lion's den because he would not bow and came out of it. Job was in the

midst of one huge attack with everything around him being taken or killed, but he came out of it more blessed than the beginning because he believed God and forgave his accusers.

We are not all given the same instructions because we are not all the same. We are designer originals. What God's Spirit may impress me to do is not the same thing He would tell another to do.

Believing and obeying God does not mean you will have to sell everything, shave your head, go into the wilderness to pray. It can be a simple and sometimes weird action. For example, a friend of mine was at a prayer meeting with people gathered praying quietly. My friend was impressed of the Spirit to go over and pick up a tambourine and shake it loudly. She had no idea why. Let's face it, it didn't seem to make a bit

of sense right in the middle of quiet prayer, yet she believed it was God and went over, picked up the tambourine, shook it and went back to her seat. (I am sure it woke a few folk up.) At the end of the meeting a man approached her and said that he had wondered if God really heard his prayers. He put it to God to do something out of the ordinary as a sign that He was listening. It was that moment when she got up and shook the tambourine for no apparent reason.

Believing what Jesus did for us on the cross and receiving Him is counted to us as righteousness.

Maybe God's Spirit has impressed you to do something that you thought, "This can't be God," so you ignored it and went on, yet God's response to our believing Him, in even the smallest things, delights Him enough to call our reaction

righteous. WOW and WOW again! Many of us look for something magnanimous and earth changing to do for God, yet He is thrilled with the little things we regard as being from Him.

If you want to do something for God and you have wondered what that could be...it is in a thousand little actions that we do not always see any meaning in. Who knew that God needed a human angel to shake a tambourine to answer the prayer of another? Do not count yourself out for the little things you have done simply because you were impressed to do a kindness or a weirdness. Trust me, God was behind it watching the completed action. No matter the "littleness" of the deed, God counts it as righteousness.

Thrill God's heart with a right response and believe Him.

Eclipse of 2017...Significant?

A total solar eclipse will cross the continental United States on Aug. 21, when at least 60 percent of the sun is covered resulting in semidarkness. Those within about a 60-mile wide diagonal line from the Pacific Northwest through South Carolina will see the sky go dark and feel the temperature drop.

Is this significant? "From a biblical point of view, a solar eclipse is meant as a sign from God," said Mark Biltz, discoverer and author of ***Blood Moons***. We see this declared by God in Genesis 1:14, Solar eclipses become biblically and prophetically significant and

relevant when their timing by the biblical calendar, happen along with the patterns from history.

Blitz also stated, "*As the sun is larger than the moon, the sun represents the nations of the world and the moon represents the nation of Israel, as their calendar months are based on the cycle of the moon while the nations of the world follow the sun for their calendar. When there is a total solar eclipse, it is a warning to a specific nation or nations depending on its path.*"

Notice the path!



By the path we see that the Unit-

ed States is clearly the subject. So what is the pattern in history?

In the find of archaeological cuneiform tablets found in the 19th century is a description of events in Nineveh. A famous eclipse mentioned in the tablets was known as the Bur-Sagale eclipse, also verified by NASA as occurring on June 15, 763 BC. Its path was right over Nineveh. Ninevites saw the warning signs of God even before Jonah arrived a couple months later. When Jonah arrived, they were ready for repentance.

The timing of the eclipse on 21st August 2017, in relation to the 1st Elul marks a 40-day countdown to Yom Kippur. This is the first day of the month of Elul, which begins the month of repentance in the God Clock. The first of Elul is when Jonah began prophesying for 40 days. Just before the eclipse, we see on June 28th, 1914, through the month of August, the events of World War 1 begin!

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Uncharted Waters



Discovery has always come from uncharted waters whether land, sea or air. God gave me a word years ago that I would be sailing in uncharted waters, and I have gotten the same word over a few people myself. Now, it seems God is trying to get the entire church to understand the message.

I was at a meeting where a man testified of his dream. He was in deep waters with others. A woman to the side of him was being pulled down under the water. She struggled and fought against it fiercely for fear of drowning. That would be the natural response for all of us. The man, however, when also being pulled down under the water noticed that it was an

angel tugging him under. Because he saw and believed it was an angel of God, he did not fight against it but went under the water. He realized that he could actually breathe underwater and a whole new and amazing vista opened up to him.

God is going to do some things that may not have been preached from the pulpit of your church. That is what uncharted means. Example: Columbus thought he was headed to India but sailed uncharted waters and here we are in a new land. Maps had to be revised to expand their knowledge of the earth.

Likewise God is expanding our territory although it will not seem familiar. Some of the church will fight and struggle against it, but others will see and believe God for it. Regardless, it will not deviate His Word of Truth. It has most likely been hidden in plain sight within the pages of His Word

and our eyes have been “holden” back from seeing it. The same thing happened after Jesus’ resurrection when the disciples were walking to Emmaus and Jesus entered the walk. They did not know him as the Scripture indicates: **Luke 24:16 But their eyes were holden that they should not know him.** Later their eyes were opened and they realized it was Jesus: **verse 32...they said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the scriptures?**

The Winds of God are blowing and if our sails are down how far will we travel?

The church needs to take to heart two important parables of ten virgins...all virgins, yet only half had their lamps filled. The other about the “hearers”, in which all heard but some yielded not, and the elements roared against them and their houses

fell. You may be a Christian with an ear to hear, yet fear of the unfamiliar could be God’s angel pulling you underwater for a deeper look.

We have been able to sustain ourselves on the remnants from past generations that have kept us afloat, but now God wants us to realize that we can breathe underwater by allowing ourselves to go into His depths, yet who is willing to yield?

Church, let me say this with a mixture of compassion and sadness, not all virgins waiting for their bridegroom to come will go with Him. Your fear for His depths will keep you back.

It is time to flow in God’s Spirit and allow Him to show us what we have not been able to grasp before. He will light a candle in a dark place, and we will enter into discovery that will connect to all truths.

Rapture: Reward Or Grace?

Many set their sights on rapture as an all inclusive escape route for the entire church. Some believe they will escape **from** the tribulation, while others believe they will escape **through** the tribulation. This presents two very different views. I may step on many Christian doctrinal toes here, but it will not be the first time, as I have had lots of practice.

There have been great Scriptural arguments for both. Yet one does not necessarily negate the other, if both are correct. Is it possible for regenerate, practicing believers to escape **FROM** the tribula-

tion while the apathetic Christians witnessing the first escape will escape **THROUGH** the tribulation having not kept enough oil in their lamps? We see the example of the ten virgins, **VIRGINS ALL**, yet not all prepared at the time of the departure. Another example was the hearers all having an ear to hear, yet not all the hearers applied what they heard and suffered through the storms that came.

What we may want to consider is that the rapture is not a gift of grace like salvation, but a reward instead. In the end time outline in Luke 21 we see the events

leading up to the grand finale of Jesus’ return and we find this interesting Scripture of Jesus’ Words: **Luke 21:36 Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.**

Rapture here does not sound like a gift of grace but a reward contingent on worthiness of being **watchful (agrupneo: not sleeping, awake and vigilant)** and in prayer **always (three words meaning in constant prayer communication and at seasonal times**

appointed). Those were red lettered words of Jesus. The word for worthy is **kataxiōo: to deem entirely deserving: (ac-) count worthy.**

Heb 11:5-6 By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God. 6 But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.

Eclipse of 2017...Significant? (Continued)

Aug 21, 2017, we have a total solar eclipse going over the United States and again at the beginning of the month of repentance on the first of Elul! Another very significant sign in the heavens will occur right after this year's total solar eclipse on the first of Elul, in which we find during the Days of Awe from Rosh Hashanah on Tishri 1 and Yom Kippur on Tishri 10. There will be a confirmation of celestial events as described in the Book of Revelation 12: 1-2 which reads: ***A great sign was seen in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet,***

and on her head a crown of twelve stars. She was with child. She cried out in pain, laboring to give birth.

The woman clothed with the sun is the constellation Virgo and represents the nation of Israel. The 12 stars represent the 12 tribes of Israel. Interestingly, the constellation Leo, the Lion, which is above Virgo, is made up of nine stars. The Lion represents specifically the tribe of Judah. It just so happens this year during the Days of Awe, three planets will join the constellation Leo making up 12 stars. Virgo will be clothed with the sun, and the

moon will be under her feet, fulfilling this sign to precise detail!

Biltz says, it is especially important for Christians to "learn from history" and lead a movement for repentance. "I recommend believers unite in fasting and praying for our nation," he said. "This eclipse is just before the month of Elul, which is known as the month of repentance before the Fall Feasts. We find this begins at the same time Jesus, Yeshua, went into the wilderness for 40 days after being immersed by John, coming out just before Yom Kippur.

"This begins the same time Moses went back up the mount to make atonement for the sin of the golden calf, coming down on Yom Kippur.

"This is the same time frame Jonah went to Nineveh telling them to repent before judgment would fall on Yom Kippur! So according to 'God's Day Timer,' the United States has 40 days to repent by Yom Kippur, as judgment will be meted out over the following year either for bad or good."

Well, we can poopoo this or believe in the validity of the signs God gives us and repent.

My Mom: Intercessor

I was raised in a practicing Christian home. By that, I mean we were trained in Biblical principles.

Our home was a charitable home of giving and blessing others. This was ingrained into our way of life. As a child I believed it was everyone's home life.

When I woke up in the morning, I remember my mom sitting reading her Bible first thing, while I was getting ready for school.

We had a very close family, and

as we grew and married having our own kids, most every Saturday was spent at Mom and Dad's little farm.

As time passed, Mom felt the call to close in more and pray. More and more she was closed in prayer. We all went our ways in life not gathering every Saturday, but on special occasions.

The times I saw my mom became rare as her call deepened with the state of the times. Dad became her faithful help. If I called to talk to Mom, Dad would check to see if the door was opened or closed.

If the door was closed Dad never disturbed her. All of us understood the call on her life, but missed her.

In the past two years she was more bedridden from internal shingles. My sisters and I, who lived close, took turns helping her or just making nice, long visits. Sometimes sitting or talking, crying, laughing and praying. The last time I was with her she had such a burden for the people who might be left behind when Jesus gathered those waiting and watching for Him. She was plan-

ning to write a book called ***The Great Escape***. The next day I received the call that she had passed away, July 28, this year.

In hindsight, we can see what God was trying to tell us all. Mom made her great escape and had been praying for all of us left behind.

My mother, friend, teacher and the most wonderful woman I have ever known went most peacefully during her nap. One thing I believe she is still doing is praying for all those left behind...and dancing with Jesus!

"Pennies From Heaven"

When my sister and I were young, we would walk several blocks to a small, corner store. We would start with no money, but scan the ground for pennies. There was only one house where we would find pennies close to the sidewalk in the grass, but because we found them there, we looked all along the way. By the time we got to Strunk's store we

had enough to buy some penny candy, and in those days you got two pieces for one penny! It never failed that on our way to the store, we found "pennies from heaven". Looking back on it as an adult, I realize that a sweet ol' neighbor put them out for us to find. I now wonder how many kids looked for those pennies like we did.

This came to my remembrance just recently because as I was praying. God pointed me to this memory and gave me the phrase "Pennies From Heaven". I felt as if Holy Spirit was conveying the message that God was sending pennies from heaven for those who would look for them. Curiously, I look up the phrase and, while I am sure there are many

stories related to it, I found it defined as a windfall or unexpected benefit.

I have been hearing words today of God's winds blowing, and I do not know what could be blowing in your direction, but I sure would keep a keen eye out for some of those "pennies" in whatever form they may come.