

# The School of the Prophets

**...“Surely the Sovereign Lord does nothing without revealing his plan to his servants the prophets.” [Amos 3:7 – New International Version]**

## **PROPHETIC ALERT ! ! ! !**

### **“THE RELEASING OF THE GLORY OF GOD”**

“BECAUSE THERE IS NOW SOON TO BE RELEASED UPON THE EARTH A DIVINE MANIFESTATION OF THE PRESENCE OF GOD, THE HOLY SPIRIT RELEASES THIS WORD TO HIS SONS AND DAUGHTERS UPON THE EARTH. THE ALMIGHTY GOD HAS HEARD YOUR PRAYERS AND CRIES FOR DELIVERANCE, HEALING, SALVATION, AND STRENGTH; AND HE WHO HAS CALLED YOU OUT OF DARKNESS INTO HIS MARVELOUS LIGHT IS SOON TO RELEASE HIS GLORY UPON THE EARTH LIKE NEVER BEFORE. WHILE THERE ARE MANY WHO HAVE GROWN WEARY, TIRED, DISCOURAGED, AND ARE CAST DOWN IN THEIR SOUL; THINK NOT THAT I HAVE FORGOTTEN OR FORSAKEN YOU IN ANY WAY. FOR I, THE ALMIGHTY GOD, CONTINUOUSLY WATCH OVER MY CHILDREN IN ALL THEIR ENDEAVORS; AND MANY TIMES, ALTHOUGH YOU WERE NOT AWARE, IT WAS THE I AM THAT LED AND DIRECTED YOUR STEPS IN THE WAY OF PEACE AND SAFETY.”

“AS I DEMONSTRATED MY GLORY IN TIMES PAST, SO EVEN NOW WILL I DEMONSTRATE AND SHOW FORTH MY GLORY IN THE EARTH AT THIS VERY HOUR. WHILE MANY HAVE ATTEMPTED TO PREDICT, DECLARE, AND DECREE HOW I WILL MOVE, KNOW YOU THIS; THAT THE GREAT I AM CANNOT BE REVEALED THROUGH THE WISDOM AND WAYS OF THE CARNAL, NATURAL MAN; BUT I HAVE RESERVED FOR THIS VERY HOUR TO REVEAL MYSELF IN WAYS AND ACTS THAT CANNOT BE CONTROLLED NOR CLAIMED BY THOSE WHO SEEK TO RECEIVE GLORY AND PRAISE FOR THEIR FLESHLY AMBITIONS. IN THE MIDST OF HUMILITY, REPENTANCE AND MEEKNESS SHALL I MANIFEST MY PRESENCE; AND IT WILL NOT BE CONTROLLED OR HINDERED BY THE SELFISH PURSUITS OF THOSE WHO CLAIM TO SPEAK ON MY BEHALF.”

“AS I HAVE CALLED YOU OUT OF DARKNESS INTO MY LIGHT, SO SHALL I EVEN NOW CALL MULTITUDES OUT OF DARKNESS, SIN, AND CAPTIVITY; TO BEHOLD MY GLORY AND MARVELOUS LIGHT. THE WAY OF THE LORD SHALL BE CLEAR FOR ALL TO SEE; FOR I, THE GREAT I AM, SHALL REMOVE THE VEIL AND BLINDNESS FROM THE EYES OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN HINDERED IN SEEING AND KNOWING WHO I TRULY AM. MY GLORY SHALL BRING SUCH AN AWARENESS OF WHO I AM

THAT MANY SHALL BE LED INTO MY PRESENCE LIKE NEVER BEFORE; AND THEY SHALL BEHOLD MY FACE WITH THE EYES OF THE SPIRIT WITH GREAT JOY. THE AWARENESS OF MY PURPOSE AND PLAN SHALL BECOME TOP PRIORITY IN THE LIVES OF MY SONS AND DAUGHTERS; AND AS A RESULT OF THIS, MANY THAT ARE LOST AND DON'T KNOW ME SHALL TURN UNTO ME WITH THEIR WHOLE HEART."

"ARISE AND SHINE, MY SONS AND DAUGHTERS, FOR THE LIGHT HAS COME, AND THE GLORY OF THE LORD HAS RISEN AND SHALL DESCEND UPON YOU IN A MORE ABUNDANT WAY. SIGNS OF MY GLORY BEING RELEASED UPON THE EARTH AND IN YOUR PRESENCE SHALL BE SEEN BY THE FOLLOWING MANIFESTATIONS:

- The manifestation of judgment upon the wicked and those who delight in promoting and enforcing iniquity and mischief. [Psalm 94]
- The manifestation of true holiness released in the House of God, and testimonies coming forth from God's children of great deliverance from bondages, unrighteousness habits, and sins. [Psalm 93]
- The manifestation of the anointing of the Holy Spirit releasing "Fresh Oil" in the midst of God's children that will cause the righteous to flourish and bring forth fruit. [Psalm 92]
- The manifestation of divine protection and divine promotion to those who love God and honor His name. [Psalm 91]
- The manifestation of the "Beauty of the Lord" being upon God's children, and God's power and Spirit establishing the work of our hands. [Psalm 90]
- The manifestation of God's glory releasing divine favor on the righteous in taking the wealth of the wicked; in order to establish and release His Kingdom power throughout the entire world. [Psalm 90]

#### SCRIPTURAL DECLARATIONS THAT REVEAL GOD'S GLORY BEING RELEASED FOR HIS CHILDREN

In the midst of the last days, God has given us instructions throughout His Word that we, His children, must do in order for us to see His Divine Glory released. One of the first exhortations that the Word declares for us is to REJOICE...1 Peter 4:12-19.

“Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you: But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ’s sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy. If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified. But let none of you suffer as a murderer, or as a thief or as an evildoer, or as a busybody in other men’s matters. Yet if any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God on this behalf. For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if it first begin at us, what shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel of God? And if the righteous scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear? Wherefore let them that suffer according to the will of God commit the keeping of their souls to him in well-doing, as unto a faithful Creator.”

When great manifestations of God’s Glory are released, it also causes demonic activity to intensify, both in those who are held captive and in those who are moving in the anointing to set the captives free. Do not back off, my brothers and sisters, because the warfare around you has gotten more intense; but rather choose to fervently and with great passion – REJOICE WITH ALL OF YOUR HEART.

I have been alerted by the Holy Spirit that many of you are going through times of confusion, despair, and at times even feeling that “there is no clear and direct Word from God.” I have been instructed to tell you that many times the uncomfortable and trying places that God’s children find themselves are not designed to destroy and defeat you, but rather to release a brokenness in your life that will release true humility and meekness which then allows you to experience more of God than you have ever experienced before.

The Word of God speaks expressly that there is a Spirit of Glory that is available for those of you who are experiencing great trials, suffering, and tribulation. Righteous suffering for the things of God, and because you refuse to compromise and doubt God’s Word releases to the believer a dimension in God that many in the Body of Christ never experience. Don’t be surprised in the next few months when you hear of brothers and sisters who have appeared to be unshakable and steadfast also going through great times of distress, sickness, discouragement, and dismay. Many times things that are deep in a person’s life cannot be seen by the natural eye. It takes the Glory of God to reveal and bring to the surface the hidden strongholds that are deeply rooted within. This is the very reason that many of you must allow God to furnish you

with His Divine Power and Glory so that you may be an instrument of His Divine Purpose in setting your brothers and sisters free from the things that are about to surface in their lives.

I also hear the Holy Spirit telling me to speak to those of you who are going through great trials of grief, disappointment, and emotions – feeling that God has forgotten about you and forsaken you. Recently, God gave me this Word for His people, found in Isaiah 49:14-16.

“But Zion said, “The Lord has forsaken me, the Lord has forgotten me.” Can a mother forget the baby at her breast and have no compassion on the child she has borne? Though she may forget, I will not forget you! See, I have engraved you on the palms of my palms of my hands; your walls are ever before me.”

When I received that Word, the Holy Spirit also alerted me to the fact that He was releasing a “fresh anointing” to those in the body of Christ who would allow God to flow through them to minister healing and refreshing to those who are under such a heavy weight and burden that they feel like they can’t go much further.

Now please hear me well; the times of pretense – of trying to put on the image that everything is perfect and fine with you – must be brought to an end. There are those of you [and you know who you are] who have just been trying to look the part of an overcoming believer when deep inside you know that just making it through another day is a giant struggle. God wants you to know that He has positioned people around you who have an anointing to help you be truly set free. Regardless of your “position” in the Body of Christ [and I really feel that this is addressed to those of you who are Ministers, Preachers, and Leaders in your given ministry], you are missing the very freedom of Almighty God by pretending that everything is fine and okay with you. **Truth** is the beginning step to being set free; and until you are able to humble yourself and allow the Holy Spirit to free you from the outward concern of how you look and how people see you, you will not be able to receive the Glory of God that is designed to break the strongholds that are holding you in captivity.

In the closing part of this Newsletter, I want to give you the scriptures that God gave me so the things Prophetically declared by the Holy Spirit can start to manifest in your lives. The question that He asked me was this: **What does it mean when the Spirit of Glory and the Spirit of God rest upon you?** Allow me to share with you what God shared with me from His Word.

- **Exodus 15:11** – The Awesome Glory of God produces wonders and deliverance over the enemy.
- **Exodus 33:12-23** – The Glory of God releases to us, the children of God, the goodness of God; and allows us to see God in a way that we have never seen him before.
- **1 Chronicles 16:23-27** – The Glory of God releases to us his marvelous deeds in the presence and the midst of all people. [Also see Psalm 72:18-20]
- **1 Chronicles 29:10-13** – The Glory of God releases to us all that God has, both in Heaven and Earth wealth and honor, strength, and power, and to exalt us [give us “promotion”].
- **Psalm 8:1-2** – The Glory of God gives us manifested Power and Anointing to still, silence, and stop the enemy as we release our Praise unto God.
- **Psalm 8:4-9** – The Glory of God moves us into our God-given dominion and authority, causing us to rule and reign upon this present earth.
- **Psalm 24:7-10** – The Glory of God opens the door for the King of Glory to come in, who is strong and mighty and even mightier in battle.
- **Isaiah 6:1-8** – The Glory of God reveals our sins and also releases His cleansing fires that remove sin from our lives.
- **Isaiah 48:10-11** – The Glory of God refines us in the midst of our testing and allows us to see who we truly are in order to fulfill the purpose that God has for our lives.
- **Ezekiel 43:1-6** – The Glory of God opens our spiritual ears to be able to hear God clearly and to know specifically and exactly what God desires for us to do.
- **Luke 2:7-14** – The Glory of God releases a supernatural peace upon God’s children regardless of what is taking place in the midst of the world.
- **John 1:11-14** – The Glory of God causes Jesus to become even more real and powerful in the lives of those that believe and receive him as Lord.

- **John 17:18-22** – The Glory of God will produce unity within the midst of those who are truly God’s sons and daughters.
- **Acts 7:55-60** – The Glory of God opens the heavens to God’s children and reveals the presence of Jesus in a greater way.
- **Romans 8:14-18** – The Glory of God removes our focus from the trials, problems, and hardness of this world, and will give us divine revelation of who we truly are in Christ.
- **2 Corinthians 3:17-18** – The Glory of God shapes and changes us in order for us to really reflect the true image of Jesus in the earth.
- **2 Corinthians 4:15-18** – The Glory of God opens our spiritual eyes to be able to see clearly the things that are eternal in the realm of the unseen.
- **Colossians 3:1-4** – The Glory of God will cause God’s children to set their affection and desires on the plans and purposes of God rather than on the temporal things of this world.
- **Hebrews 2:9-18** – The Glory of God will cause God’s sons and daughters to truly manifest God’s Authority and Power in the earth against the works of darkness.
- **Revelation 21:22-27** – The Glory of God will usher in the true Kingdom of God and manifest the Sovereign, Divine light of Almighty God.

I believe that as you meditate and read these scriptures, the Holy Spirit will begin to draw you into His presence like never before. In the midst of what seems to be unbearable situations, know this: God has a glorious place of rest and peace for His children, and He is ready to usher you into that place. Here in prison I have watched God time and time again strengthen me, prepare me, teach me, and move me into His presence by ways that my natural mind would never have conceived. God is looking for children who will simply allow Him to reveal himself in the way that He chooses and not allow preconceived ideas and traditions of times past to prevent them from truly seeing His Glory and Power. I am many times amazed at how true **Isaiah 55:8-9** is:

“For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord. As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.”

How true I have found this to be in my own life. The preconceived things that were so much a part of my belief system had to be removed from my life in order for God to take me further in Him. What I found was holding me back more than anything was that I had been subconsciously programmed and trained to accept only what I had already been told were the ways and plans of God. I have had a “spiritual awakening” that has resulted in my being able to see, hear, and know God in a way that goes beyond my natural understanding and human comprehension. Many times the things that I’m hearing from God sound so strange and different that I have to hold onto them for a period of time until He confirms what He has revealed to me by the mouth of two or three different witnesses.

I close by saying this: don’t be discouraged or deceived when the masses of religious people are not able to discern or agree with what God has revealed to you. As we move deeper into the Glory of God and take on the nature of the “Manifested Sons of God”, there will be many things that have been sealed in God’s Word that will now be revealed. Therefore, don’t look to the natural man to give you confirmation of what God is revealing to you through dreams, visions, prophecies, and divine revelation.

God bless all of you who have received this newsletter and may the Glory of God lead you into His Presence like never before.

With God’s Love and Peace,  
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