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CHRIST JESUS
CAME INTO THE WORLD TO
SAVE
SINNERS



HOPE ACADEMY CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

We want to express our appreciation to all of you who took part in the Children's Day Celebration organized by Lanka Hope Partners together with Hope Academy to celebrate Children's Day and recognize our Academy students.

Your enthusiastic involvement and unwavering support mean a lot to us. We are truly grateful, for the confidence you have in our Academy and for allowing us to be a part of these children's journey.

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The Word – a Theological phrase which expresses the ABSOLUTE, ETERNAL and ULTIMATE being of JESUS CHRIST. It is not a concept to argue or discuss, as we will not understand fully until we have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ; the Messiah - the “Anointed One” (John 1:1-14, 1 John 1:1, Rev.19:13). The Old Testament spoke of the WORD as the divine agent in the creation of the Universe. “By the WORD of the LORD the heavens were made” (Psalms 33:6). In the New Testament, the Gospel of John declared, “And the WORD became flesh and dwelt among us” (John 1:14). Through the incarnation of Christ, God has come to dwell in our midst. In Christ, THE WORD OF GOD, God’s plan and purpose for mankind is clearly revealed (2 Cor 4:4; Hebrew 11:1-3) Ref: Nelson Illustrated Bible dictionary

We must make every effort not trusting in our own ability or personality but trusting in His promises we must reach out to every person on earth to proclaim that Jesus paid the price for the forgiveness of humanity by shedding His blood on the CROSS. This is the message that we have to take seriously during the Season of Advent. For the past 2000 years the word Advent is referred by the Universal Church as first Advent which is the birth of Christ or incarnation of Christ.



C S Thevabalasingham EDITOR'S COMMENTS

THE WORD- HE RETURNS TO REIGN

Biblically Advent is referring to the Second Coming and all that happens between Genesis 3 and Revelation 22 is related to God’s efforts to reverse His curse and redeem His creation. Adam & Eve as Genesis 3 shows God’s response to human SIN was Curse which plunged the world into a long conflict. This conflict-strewn path leading up to God’s final act in history can be traced from the Garden of Eden to Revelation. Just as God alone had cursed the creation, so only God can revoke the curse. He has chosen to revoke one aspect of the CURSE and its CONFLICT through an event known as the “Day of the Lord”. This will be the DAY when all the world would be brought back under HIS RULE. We who are redeemed

of the Lord Jesus are now under the SPIRITUAL RULE of CHRIST, awaiting His earthly rule and the defeat of all HIS enemies when He returns to reign.

For many Born Again and deeply devoted and committed Christians, the question of His return/Second coming isn’t an if but a when. Why should we speculate the time and year? Today’s social media provides opportunities to some preachers (who are able to pay) are day in and day out, boldly talk about the time of His Return. However, all this speculation deadens people’s sensitivities to the promise of His return. It is very true that there is uncertainty about the time of Christ’s return as He himself has said “But about that day or hour no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father” Matthew 24:36. (read Matthew 24:44; 25:13 and Mark 13:33)

What’s especially ironic is that the uncertainty about the time of Christ’s return is a crucial element that helps Christian believers to prepare to meet Him when He does come. The Lord wants His Church to be prepared always, at all times. Come Lord and come soon.



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- Without delay, Enabling the local spiritual warfare is imperative. (John 1:22-23)
- Wherever there is, will remove every obstacle that stands in the way of fulfilling the Great Commission. (Mark 16:20-21)

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Every Home Crusade in Sri Lanka exists to strengthen the Body of Christ and to make it grow spiritually and numerically by touching lives through the systematic distribution of the gospel message, by providing opportunities for it to be rooted in the knowledge of God through the study of the Word and by becoming responsible members of Christ Groups, and by providing training for such Christ Groups to multiply as churches.

Ceylon Every Home Crusade

is a non-denominational incorporated national organization which exists to serve, motivate and mobilise the Church to participate actively in the systematic personal presentation of a printed or repeatable message of the gospel of Jesus Christ to every home in Sri Lanka, and to help new believers to become responsible members of the Body of Christ.

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We believe that when we reach out to every person on this land with the love of Jesus, we can transform our Nation

Jesus changes everything.

There is an immediate impact when a community encounters Jesus. We've heard countless stories of villages, neighbourhoods, and cities that are changed when the people within them turn to God.

The Gospel is for everyone.

So many are feeling isolated, alone, and forgotten. It's amazing to see the personal transformation that happens in a life when a person experiences the truth and love of Jesus. "Jesus loves me. He died for me. It doesn't matter who I am or where I live. It doesn't matter the success I've had or crippling mistakes I've made. God has saved a seat for me in Heaven. All I have to do is turn to Him and accept."

To the last home.

There is only one hope for the world: Jesus. While many are striving to make the world a better place in their own ways, the greatest thing we can do is share the truth and love of Jesus with everyone. When people seek answers, we want them to find Jesus.

Everyone. Everywhere.

We work, we serve, we share and we pray because we don't want anyone to miss a chance to know the Saviour. When we pray for others and share the message of the Gospel, it saves people and ignites our own faith.

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MY HEART TO YOUR HEART

GOSPEL BLITZ Outreach program is systematically and enthusiastically being carried out in Kegalle District by a team of young people from the local churches under the energetic and dedicated team leader Pas. Satgunarajah. According to Pas. Satgunarajah approximately 45 villages have been systematically visited and not only distributed Gospel tracts but created curiosity and interest among many families.

It is noteworthy info to share with our Readers / Subscribers of DIRECTION that Elderly People above the age of 70 years or more have not only shown interest but want to know about the Jesus Christ. People who self-confessed that there is no use or

These Elderly men and women are left behind without anyone to help in emergency situation which affected them very badly thereby they are subject to various illness. Mainly high blood pressure, lose of eye site or even unable to hear due to wax in the ear drums. They have no way to seek medical help as district hospitals situated far away. Their situation is **"HOPELESSNESS"**.



Bro. M.Noel Abelasan
CEO / National Director
and Chairman of CEHC



purpose for them to live anymore are now saying if Jesus is the one risen from the dead and living God, then we also want to live and talk about Him to our neighbors.

The reasons for the change of attitude are many, but have received the **"Good News that JESUS LIVES"** making them to seek His face and requesting prayers for healing for their ailments. I received some sad news that many Elderly People are helpless as their grown-up children are married and migrated to cities. Add to this agony, problem of village "Drug Addicts" who time to time come and demanding money from these helpless people.

First, we need to show them there is **HOPE**. We can help them to overcome the sense of fear and show them **JESUS** is the one on whom they can trust for them to overcome **FEAR**.

It is being prayerfully considered that we could train and equip our field helpers as "barefoot doctors" with some medical equipment such as:

- (i) Thermometer
- (ii) Pressure Checking instruments
- (iii) Blood count instrument and also wound dressing materials also including Panadol.

We would like to hear from our Readers and Prayer Partners in what way you can help us?

WHO IS OUR NEIGHBOR?

The team could have turned back. It had been a long day. Dark clouds loomed overhead.

"One more house, the Ceylon Every Home Crusade team in Kegalle decided. As soon as they knocked, rain began to pour.

People opened their door and welcomed the team inside. For two hours, as rain came down in sheets outside, they shared their story and the burdens of their heart. The team listened and shared the love of Jesus. Moved by their friendship, people opened their heart to Christ.

"Seeing the loneliness and need of many and knowing that God uses us as instruments to announce the good news--that really is priceless" wrote a member of the team.

Before we can share Christ's love with our neighbour, we must see them through Christ's eyes. It's a practice that transforms us as much as it shapes those around us. When we give the precious gift of our attention, we become rebels against a distracted, selfish, hateful world.





EXCITING NEWS!

We have a fantastic calendar available for purchase. We believe in the power of giving. Your purchase/contribution no matter how small, can transform lives and create a brighter future for those in need. Grab your 2024 calendar by contacting on WhatsApp 0777756700



HOMSA HOLDS AGM

Annual General Meeting of the Hope Outreach Ministries held on October 15, 2023. In the absence of Chairman, Bro.Sam Thevabalasingham presided over the meeting. As per the Agenda for the meeting everything went off well. Audited Financial Report was presented and it was unanimously adapted.

During the meeting one of the members said that Bro.Sam Thevabalasingham being a co-founder of HOMSA Lanka and untiringly served in the Board of Management from its very inception in 1997. He was the Founder of the HOMSA LANKA BIBLE SCHOOL (now it is known as SAIT- South Asia Institute of Theology) in Norton Bridge. One member of the General Body requested General Body that to honour and recognize the many years of service to HOMSA LANKA and SAIT, Bro.Sam Thevabalasingham to be appointed as Life Time President. It was approved by all members with applause. Following this, four new members were received as members of the Board of Management.

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TAFTEE

The Association For Theological Education by Extension (Sri Lanka) was inaugurated on Tuesday the 14 November, 2023 at the Methodist Church Auditorium, Kollupitiya. Rev.Dr.David Samuel (Ph.D)- The Director- TAFTEE International was the Chief Guest and speaker at this occasion.

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Over 500 years ago on October 31st, a man named Martin Luther, a little-known monk, posted his 95 Theses on the Wittenberg Church door and sparked a flame that would reverberate across world history. Luther's simple discovery, that we are saved by Jesus because of His righteousness and not our own, ended up not only changing the structure of the church going forward, but also had an incredible impact on the world for generations to come. It was possible because this man Martin Luther kept His total faith in Jesus Christ and the WORD.

GFS WORLD PRESIDENT

On the World Day of Prayer Service on October 14 at the Cathedral of Christ the Living Saviour, Colombo Ms.Jeanne Withanage was blessed, dedicated and appointed as GFS World President. The Service was presided by the Rt.Rev. Dushantha Rodrigo and a large number of GFS members and friends participated in this well-organized Prayer Service. It was followed by a time of fellowship. While we congratulate Jeanne and her team we assure them our prayers.

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JMC 152ND ANNIVERSARY

Jampettah Methodist Church commemorated her 152nd Anniversary on 22nd October 2023 with a special Thanksgiving Service when young and old joined in the spirit of unity. It was also a happy moment for several elderly and senior citizens who have been worshiping in this church came in good numbers to participate in this great occasion.

Anglican Clergyman and Lecturer at the Pilimathalawa Theological College of Lanka (TCL) Rev.Suresh Kumar graced this service as the Chief Guest and preached a very challenging and encouraging sermon.. Central District Chairman of the Methodist Church Rev.Karunasekera participated in this occasion as Guest of Honour. Thanksgiving service was presided over by the Rev Niles Ravishankar who is the Superintendent Minister of Jampettah, Wattala and Pehaliyagoda Circuit.

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BOOK LAUNCH

Zoom Book launch took place on 28th October 2023 from Australia an Exegetical and Theology Commentary on the book of Jude in Sinhala and Tamil languages, Authored by Dr.Danny Moses PhD (Oxford). Several Bible Seminary Lecturers / Teachers joined on this occasion through Zoom to witness this event from various countries around the world including Sri Lanka and India.



Anglican Father seeks a God fearing, Loving and Caring matching partner for his fair and handsome son aged 37, 5 Ft. 9 inch, with CIMA (UK) and MBA in international business, presently working for a US Company online as a Finance Controller. If interested, please feel free to contact me on my Mobile No: 0776148843 or Email: selva1_a@yahoo.com with details.



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Bro. Noel ND/CEO- EHC
(077-711 9970)

CHRISTMAS IS CHRISTMAS WHEREVER YOU LIVE! BLESSED TO BE A BLESSING!

With all this talk of recession and the crisis in the cost of living, it is sometimes hard to remember that we are "the lucky ones".

We are the blessed ones compared to many people around us who are disadvantaged and live in poverty, many children with no hope of a happy Christmas.

Would you join Lanka Hope Partners this Christmas in giving gifts to the preschool children in Walapane Estate in Nuwara Eliya District and to the faithful teachers and volunteers.

Your gifts will be pooled with the gifts of others so that no-one misses out on a present this Christmas.

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It will mean so much!

Let's Pray!



Hebrews 12:1-2 tells us "...let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith..." (ESV)

We are living in a day when prayer is perhaps needed more than ever before. People around the world are losing a spiritual battle they don't even know they need to be fighting. We are called to stand in the gap and pray. We must call upon the One who knows all things and who will empower us to reach the lost both down the street and around the world. To strengthen your relationship with the Lord and to see Him work in miraculous ways in your life, commit to a daily quiet time using this month's Prayer Calendar.

Brothers and sisters, stay on your knees before the King of Kings. Praise Him, confess to Him, thank Him, and ask Him to help you run the race with endurance. When you do this, He will fulfil another promise we all know is true: "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusa .

1. Pray for Israel's protection:

DECREE WITH FAITH THAT I SHALL RISE ABOVE MY ENEMIES. NO WEAPON FORMED AGAINST ME WILL PROSPER. AFFLICTIONS SHALL NOT RISE AGAIN IN MY HOUSEHOLD. Covenant is an agreement between two or more people. God's covenant for us is of good and not of evil, but the evil ones have hijacked our promised blessings and greatness because they don't want us to manifest as God's children and want to stop us from fulfilling purpose.

2. Pray for Sri Lanka and the destruction of evil plans by the enemy against the Body of Christ in Sri Lanka Psalm 140 "Deliver me, O Lord, from the evil man: preserve me from the violent man"

3. Pray for the Christian workers, leaders and Shepherds in Sri Lanka. Psalm 84:11:

"For the Lord God is a sun and shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly"

Praying Together: for our journey as Disciples as we journey with our Lord.

4. Pray with Creation and our senses:

"Study nature, love nature, stay close to nature. It will never fail you." famously said Architect Frank Lloyd Wright.

Allow creation to guide your prayers. Let's try to get close to nature, in whatever way is practical. Let's deliberately take a small amount of time out of our routines, to be attentive to what is around us, and deliberately use one of our senses to pray, allowing Creation to shape our intercession before God.

5. Praying Together: for those on the margins: We thank God for the privilege of being called to support people experiencing poverty and homelessness. local people living on our streets. for those who are on the margins of our community.

6. Pray for political stability in Sri Lanka. for strong leadership: for the good of the citizens and justice to prevail.

7. Pray that God will protect children around the world: Especially Israel and nations especially Sri Lanka.

8. Pray for families in Sri Lanka: For those whose homes were damaged by heavy wind and rain.

9. Pray for North Africa This is home to hundreds of millions of Muslims, but in the time of the early church, this region nurtured thriving Christian communities. Today a small regional church is increasingly bold. Let's pray for the church to grow in unity and multiply.

10. Pray for troops who are involved in the developing situation in Sudan.

When SASRA Readers encounter those who are deploying, pray the Holy Spirit would lead conversations in such a way that they could direct service personnel to our faithful God, His promises and the gospel of Jesus.

11. Pray to live as you were called. 1 Corinthians 7:17-24 2, Pray to use your talents

12. Pray to sow Godly seed. Mark 4:2-9 To be ready to harvest. John 4:31-38 17 When to harvest. Mark 4:26-29

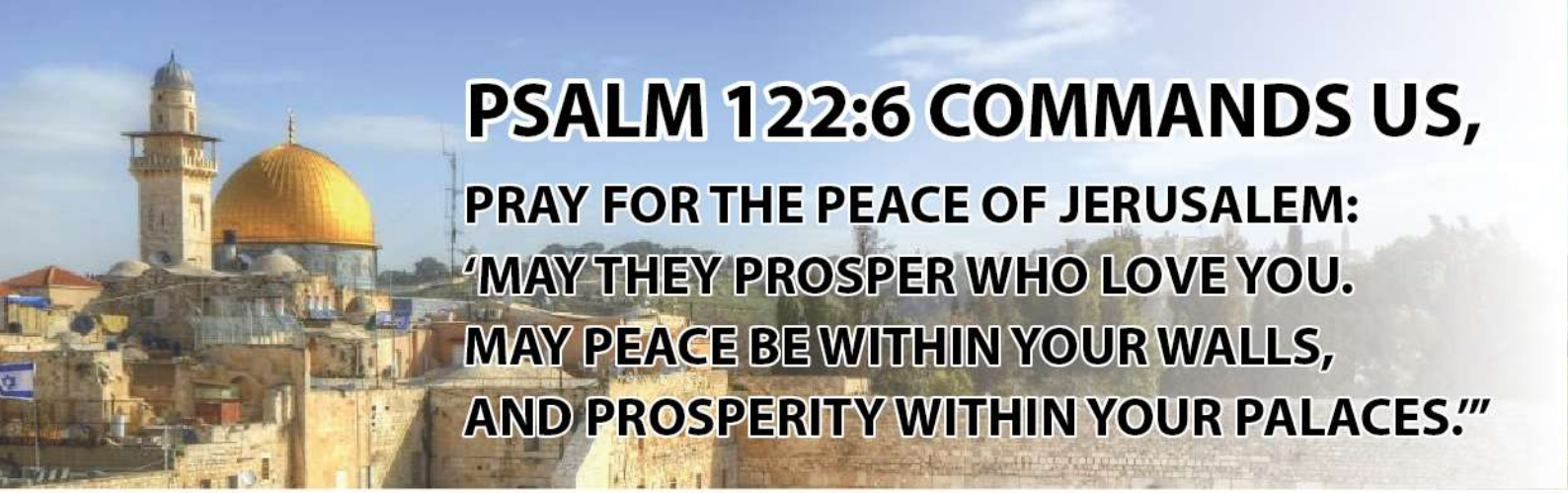
13. Pray for Spiritual refreshment. John 7:37-39 .To be persistent in prayer. Luke 18:1-8 , For for Spiritual strength. 2 Corinthians 10:3-6 21

14. Pray to walk in the Spirit. Galatians 5:16-19 25 To serve all. 1 Corinthians 9:19-23 26 be generous. Galatians 6:6-10

15. Pray to press toward the goal. Philippians 3:12-16 29 Pray to be sanctified. 1 Thessalonians 5:23-28 30 Pray for Spiritual wisdom. Ephesians 1:15-22 PRAY DAILY FOR: Pastor and Family, Associate Ministers, Pastor Emeritus, Church Leaders, Church growth, Spiritual growth and renewal, Spiritual Preparedness of youth and young adults. God's vision to be realized for the Church.



PRAY FOR SRI LANKA



PSALM 122:6 COMMANDS US, PRAY FOR THE PEACE OF JERUSALEM: 'MAY THEY PROSPER WHO LOVE YOU. MAY PEACE BE WITHIN YOUR WALLS, AND PROSPERITY WITHIN YOUR PALACES.'"

HERE ARE A FEW PRINCIPLES TO HELP YOU AS YOU PRAY FOR GOD'S CHOSEN PEOPLE:

Pray for Shalom.

Jerusalem means "city of peace" and to pray for the peace of Jerusalem is to pray that the city of God and her people would experience wholeness, safety, health, tranquility, prosperity and fullness-in a word, Shalom.

Remember: When you pray for the peace of Jerusalem, you're praying for wholeness and fullness for God's covenant land and her people.

Seek Israel's good.

Verse 9 of Psalm 122 is as important as verse 6: "For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good."

To truly pray for the peace of Jerusalem is also to purposefully seek the good of that holy city. As you pray, you are a watchman on the walls of Jerusalem--a waiting warrior who does not rest until

God fulfills His promise to establish Jerusalem as a praise in the earth (see Isaiah 62:6-7).

Receive the blessing.

When you pair your prayers with action, be encouraged that your intercession for Israel comes with a promise: "May they prosper who love you." In other words, as God Almighty swore elsewhere, those who bless Israel will be blessed (Genesis 12:3)!

As those who have benefited spiritually by the Jewish people, we have a unique calling and opportunity to demonstrate our gratitude (Romans 15:27) so that the Messiah would be known. Your prayer and support makes Israel more secure and her people safer!

May the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, whose eye is always upon Israel, prosper you as you pray for the peace of Jerusalem and seek her good.

Old Testament Poetry

Psalms

The book of Psalms was written over many years of Israel's history. Moses wrote Ps 90 during the time of Israel's wanderings through the desert. Ps 137 is the latest psalm and was written during the Babylonian exile. David wrote many Psalms and collected many more. So even though these poems span centuries of Israel's history, we plug the book of Psalms into the time during the kingdom era.

The psalms are hymns of praise and prayers. They are expressions people have made to God, and these prayers are very interesting. The rest of the Bible contains God's messages to us. In the Bible, God is the one speaking. God inspired the Psalms as He did the other Scriptures. But the difference is that the prayers in the Psalms are designed to help us talk to God. All Scripture comes from God to us – it's God speaking to us. But the Psalms are God's way of teaching us how to talk to Him.

Some psalms express worship, some thanks for deliverance, and some express confidence in God's power and willingness to deliver us from trouble. Often the psalmist poured out his trouble to God in the early verses of the psalm and then by the end of the psalm he was confidently thanking God because he believed God would deliver him from his trouble.

Other psalms express frustration toward God or say terrible things about the psalmist's enemies. What we discover is that there is nothing in our mind we can't express to God honestly, confidently, and openly. It's hard to believe that anybody would say some of the things found in the book. But Ps 139 tells us that God knows what's in our mind before we say it, and He's inviting us to say it to Him. Our omniscient God already knows our harshest or most vile thoughts, and He knows we need to dump them someplace or they will corrode our minds. The best place to dump these deep, ugly feelings is on the God who understands us. When we're angry at God or frustrated with Him, He says, "Come and tell Me how you feel. Let's deal with it. Let's put it on the table."

Song of Solomon

Another poetic book is the Song of Solomon. It is a difficult book for some readers. It's the story of a young man and a young woman who are attracted to each other. They have a courtship and a wedding scene, all

written in beautiful poetry. The book describes the culmination of their love and their affection for each other after their wedding.

The book describes the sexual fulfillment of their marriage in poetic language. Tension enters the relationship but is resolved and the book closes. You might ask why this book is in the Bible. Perhaps God put it there to give His perspective on an important part of life. God is never embarrassed about how He created us. Genesis teaches the purpose of the sexual relationship between a man and a woman is procreating. We read in 1 Corinthians 7 that a healthy sexual relationship in a marriage prevents people from going outside of their marriage to find fulfillment. The Song of Solomon teaches us that God created sex as something a man and a woman should marvelously enjoy as part of their marriage relationship. It's a beautiful story written in poetic form. You may have to slow down and work with the poet to see what he's doing with this beautiful story when you read it.

Lamentations

The tragic book of Lamentation is a third poetic book. We've referred to it in the OT course. It becomes a color book that adds insight into Jeremiah's broken heart when he sees Jerusalem's destruction. It is included with the prophetic books because Jeremiah the prophet wrote it. And we also include it with the poetic books because it is written in a poetic style.

Conclusion

There are 5 poetic books in the Old Testament; Direction Magazine published articles on the book of Job and the book of Proverbs ("Is the book of Proverbs Multi-sourced"). Old Testament poetry expresses thought about God in a deep meditative fashion. We see God presented by poets in ways we don't see Him presented anywhere else. When we take the time to listen to the poet's message, we can genuinely delight in the Law of the Lord. Let God speak to the depths of our souls by urging your mind and your heart to work with the Hebrew poet. You have to think, pray, and meditate when you read Old Testament poetry, but the fruit is worth the effort.



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JESUS' EVERLASTING KINGDOM

Luke 1 30-33

30. And the angel said unto her "fear not Mary for thou hast found favour with GOD;

31. And behold thou shalt conceive in thy womb and bring forth a son and shalt call His Name JESUS.

32. He shall be great and shall be called Son of the Highest; **and the LORD GOD shall give unto Him the throne of His father, David;**

33. And He shall reign forever; and of His Kingdom there shall be no end".

As we celebrate Christmas this year I want you to think of the whole message that the angel Gabriel brought to the highly favoured young woman, Mary. We are all too familiar with the first segment of this scripture because it is history, but the latter part goes with it. Since the first part of this message has come to pass we can be assured that the latter part will definitely happen. "And the LORD GOD shall give unto Him the throne of His father, David; And He shall reign forever; and of His Kingdom there shall be no end". JESUS CHRIST will return to fulfill all prophecy about Himself and that right soon.

The KING of kings will rule and reign on earth from the throne of David in Jerusalem, for a thousand years, and after the earth is destroyed GOD will create a new earth and JESUS will continue to reign forever. Revelation 21:1 speaks of the new heaven and new earth.

It's been almost 2000 years since JESUS' death and resurrection and all prevailing world events point to His eminent return. Although we cannot pinpoint the exact year of JESUS' death on our present calendar, we know that He was 33 and ½ years of age. So shall I say, 2000 years would approximately be the year 2033?

Hosea 6:2

After two days will He revive us; in the third day He will raise us up and we shall live in His sight.

2 Peter 3:8

But beloved be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the LORD as a thousand and a thousand years as one day.

Hebrews 4:4

For He spake in a certain place of the seventh day on this wise; and GOD did rest the seventh day from all His works.

Six thousand years were given to man to rule and reign but the seventh day (millennium) is reserved for HIM to reign and to rule. It will be a millennium of perfect rest and of enjoyment. Satan will be bound for the thousand years of JESUS' reign on earth and there will be no death or sickness or lack or anything bad and sad.

Revelation 20:1-3

1. And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand.

2. And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent which is the devil and Satan and bound him a thousand years.

3. And cast him into the bottomless pit and shut him up and set a seal upon him that he should deceive the nations no more till the thousand years should be fulfilled...

RAPTURE of the Church

Hosea 6:2 tells us that in the third day He will raise us up. This raising up is termed rapture (although the Bible does not call it that). And as the Bible states, this should happen before JESUS' physical return to the earth. So precious saints, get ready, get ready, GET READY, the KING is coming very soon.



Pas. Dr. Ester Henricus de Joodt





DIL MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL (KING'S REVIVAL CHURCH INTERNATIONAL)

Isaiah 57:15

Luke 4:18-19

John 14:18

REVIVED REVELATION ON THE SHED BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST

1. The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST relates GOD as our FATHER and we as HIS children forever (therefore anyone can have a FATHER child relationship or oneness with GOD the FATHER and call HIM my **FATHER, my GOD** through the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST.

This is new birth.

2. Life is in the Blood, hence we now receive God's life; i.e. long life, life in abundance, victorious triumphant life on this earth (until Rapture in mid-air) and Eternal in Heaven with JESUS CHRIST forever.

This is new life.

3. The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST imparts the nature, character and power of JESUS into our own life. We are transformed and created into the likeness and image of JESUS CHRIST our Lord, God and Saviour.

The Love of JESUS and HIS faith fills us.

4. The infinite Love of GOD our FATHER is manifested in the shed Blood of JESUS, HIS only Begotten Son (GOD who came in flesh).

We are forgiven, pardoned and set free forever, from all our sins. This is God's free gift to all – HIS abundant GRACE, HIS matchless mercy through the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST our Saviour.

5. **We are saved:**

- Saved from punishment
- Saved from condemnation
- Saved from death
- Saved from curse
- Saved from the dominion or authority of Satan, sin and all hell and darkness
- Saved from fear, stress, doubts, unbelief, sickness, disease, grief and sorrow etc.

None of the above has any more authority or power over our lives. We are Truly Free to Rejoice on this earth, with Divine peace, Divine protection, and Divine provision until Rapture and Eternally in Heaven with JESUS CHRIST.

6. **We are Redeemed.**

We are no more slaves to sin or evil pleasures or any works of the evil enemy. We are now and forever Eternally the sons and daughters of ABBA FATHER through the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST– God's only Begotten Son and our Saviour Lord God. Hence we are heirs and co heirs along with CHRIST JESUS.

(The price is fully paid and we are bought and purchased by the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST).

We belong to JESUS CHRIST now as HIS Body.

7. **We are HIS BRIDE.**

JESUS CHRIST has established the 'new covenant' with us – everlasting with better promises. HE is with us, within us always and will never leave us nor forsake us.

8. **We are now justified by the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST.**

GOD has nothing against us. GOD our FATHER is for us and HE sees us as though we have never sinned at all. The shed Blood of JESUS washes us whiter than snow even now, as we believe HIM and call HIM.

9. **The Righteousness of JESUS is** (God who came in Flesh to forgive and save us) **now imparted into us by HIS shed Blood.** We become right in the sight of GOD. (JESUS forgives us and forgets our sins, never remembers them again).

We are Safe, Saved and Secure in the shed Blood of JESUS.

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10. **We are always protected inside HIS Holy Blood** and the (defeated) enemy will never see us again. **Joy and peace and life forever.**
11. **We are victorious and triumphant always from trials, temptations or troubles** caused by the (defeated) enemy just by the infinite Power in the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST. This Blood never gives up, never quits, never gets weary. **There is wonder working power in HIS Holy Blood.**
12. **The spirit of innocence is imparted to us** – The Spirit of JESUS that resists all evil temptations and keeps us as God's precious children all the time.
13. **The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST speaks good things on behalf of us.** JESUS CHRIST Risen Ascended with HIS Body, seated at the Right Hand of GOD the FATHER is interceding on our behalf, saving us to the utmost. What a Blessed privilege and promise we have.
14. **We are separated, sanctified to be holy and pleasing to our Abba FATHER,** through the saving, cleansing, and healing power of the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST.
15. We are brought out of the (defeated) darkness into the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour JESUS CHRIST to live and Rejoice as HIS own eternally forever.
16. **We now have peace with GOD and Reconciled to HIM** through the shed Blood of HIS Son JESUS CHRIST.

We are made overcomers by the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST and come over every hindrance or obstacles or challenges the (defeated) enemy tries to bring into our life.

The truth is we are delivered, healed and free to live in peace and joy.
17. **The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST makes an Eternal Atonement** i.e. our sins are covered and cancelled forever never to be seen or

remembered again. What a Relief, What a Victory, Praises to our LORD JESUS.

18. **The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST draws the Holy Spirit to come and live in us and lead us on this earth until Rapture with JESUS.** We receive a great and sure confidence that we are on our way to live in Heaven since we Belong to HIM.
19. The **New Covenant** establishes an unbreakable oneness with GOD our FATHER by the shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST. We become irreplaceable in the heart of GOD our FATHER and our Saviour JESUS CHRIST. This brings immense peace, joy and comfort to us which is Everlasting.
20. **The shed Blood prepares the Church (Body of CHRIST) to become HIS Bride to be Raptured in mid-air. No judgement, no condemnation, no punishment, no death, no curse, no weapon formed against us will ever prosper, no evil, no plague etc.** Rejoice and be Glad, thanking and praising JESUS CHRIST who loved us and gave HIS life through HIS shed Blood to forgive us and wash us, saved and redeemed to live Eternally with HIM.
21. The shed Blood of JESUS CHRIST is:
 - **Love and Life**
 - **Peace and Power**
 - **Merciful and Mighty**
 - **Purity and Prosperity**
 - **Joyful and Jubilant**
 - **Protects and Preserves**
 - **Great and Glorious**
 - **Revives and Restores**

Therefore my dear people, let us continually **"preach", "proclaim" and "praise" JESUS CHRIST for his shed Blood and we shall live.** GOD our FATHER will wipe away all tears and fulfil all our desires for the Glory of HIS SON JESUS CHRIST – our Risen Lord, Saviour and GOD



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