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DEDICATION

To you!

And every one who

Desire life at the Topmost

Like Jesus Christ

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OUR HEAVENLY MANDATE

To Preach The Everlasting Gospel
to All everywhere,

Stop anything after man's destruction;

Bring Healing, Liberty and Restoration to all;

Raise, Build and Plant All as
Christ's Ambassadors

On His Living Mission everywhere

And Restore all things!

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FIRST WORD

Seven decisive Hours of prayers made Jesus. As a matter of fact, Jesus rose from the lowliest place of being known as the poor carpenter to the topmost position of the King of kings and Lord of lords.

The eight hour decisive prayer has kept Jesus in His topmost position beside God the Father and for above all else. And of will keep anyone there also

The gospel of Matthew presents Jesus as the King, Mark as the servant, Luke as the man and John as the son of God.

As a man, Luke recorded the seven decisive hours of prayer that translated Jesus and made Him who He is today.

These seven decisive hours changed the life of Jesus as a man and will change the life of anyone no matter where such is placed in life today, for God is no respecter of persons.

Jesus says follow me and I will make you; and where I am there will my followers be also.

Read to learn and learn to apply the "Eight (8) Decisive Hours That Will Take You To The Topmost And Keep You There" and noting will stop you from reaching the topmost and staying there. It's a new day for you. See you at the topmost. Jesus Christ is Lord! Please read on

CHAPTER ONE

THE HOUR OF DEDICATION

"Now when all the people were baptized, it came to pass, that Jesus also being baptized, and praying, the heaven was opened.

And the Holy Ghost descended in a bodily shape like a dove upon him, and a voice came from heaven, which said, Thou art my beloved Son, in thee I am well pleased"

Luke 3:21-22

Jesus prayed in the Hour of dedication.

The Hour of Dedication is the Hour of total handover of your life and will to the Will of God. This is the Hour of submission.

This is the hour of total surrender, when you say Lord it is only You and nothing else but You and the fulfillment of Your Will for my life.

It is the hour of signing away your life and saying Lord, even if it mean devil I will obey you

Verily, verily, I say utno you, except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone, but it it die, it bringteth forth much fruit. John 12:24

"Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus. Phil 2:5

This is the hour of making up your mind like Jesus to carry your own cross despising the shame.

The Hour of Dedication is when you lay it all down that you may pick it up

Therefore doth my Father love me, because I lay down my life, that I might take it again

No man taketh it from me, but I lay it down of myself, I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This commandment have I recovered of my Father. John 10:17-18

This is the hour when you submit all you are and all you have to the Will of the Father.

You are not only willing to spend all you have but your own life also to see that His Will is done on earth as it is in heaven.

This is the Hour of keeping nothing back. This is the Hour of withholding nothing.

This is the Hour of total commitment, when all is laid down and nothing is kept ack.

Jesus being baptized and praying, the heaven was opened and the Holy Ghost descended upon Him in bodily form as a dove and a voice came from heaven "thou art my beloved son with thee I am well pleased" (Luke 3:21 – 22).

Before now, Jesus had lived doing what he was taught to do – carpentry. Though He was not born a carpenter but a Savior, God's own Son lived as a carpenter and was called Joseph's and Mary's son. Everyone knew him to be the carpenter, whose brothers were Jude, James, Joses, Simon and whose sisters

were well known. None knew him as God's son. So Jesus was dedicated to the will of his "parents" and people.

But now, no more! He is God's Son. God was/ is His Father. And His Father has a purpose for him. This purpose He must fulfill. So He must be dedicated to this purpose come what may.

Do you know God owns you? Do you realize God created you? Have you discovered you were created by God for a purpose?

I will praise thee, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made marvelous are thy works and that my soul knoweth right well

My substance was not had from thee, when I was made in secret, and curiously wrought in the lowest part of the earth.

Your eyes saw my substance, being yet unformed. And in your book they all were written. The days fashioned for me. When as yet there were none of them.

Psalm 139: 14 – 16

Do you know there is a volume of a book written concerning you?

Then I said, "Behold, I come, in the scroll of the book it is written of me. Ps 40:7

God made you. He owns you. He wants you to fulfill the very purpose for which He created you. Are you willing and ready to dedicate

yourself and all you are to Him and His will alone?

- For 30 years, Jesus preached no message.
- For 30 years, Jesus saved nobody.
- For 30 years, Jesus healed nobody.
- For 30 years Jesus delivered nobody.
- For 30 years, Jesus opened the eyes of nobody.
- For 30 years, Jesus set no captive free.
- For 30 years, Jesus did no good to nobody (see Act 10:38).
- For 30 years, Jesus did not go about destroying the works of the devil.
- For 30 years, Jesus did what others – his parents, his sibling, his people, himself, his community and his nation of Israel wanted.
- For 30 years, Jesus lived a purposeless life, another life apart from that for which God created Him.
- For 30 years, Jesus lived in obscurity. And Jesus lived in mediocrity – the poor carpenter. He was called Jesus of Nazareth. He was popular among his peers and people. He had spent 30 years doing something else than that for which He was created.

Is it not like you and me? We waste 20 – 50 years or some 60 years living to please people who do not like us, working for people who do not love us, serving people who do not want our well-being. We spend almost

our life doing the wrong thing to please the wrong people.

Please pause and think! What have you been doing with your life?

What you are doing? Is it what you think or know God created you to do or have people, circumstances, or economic forces pressured you into living a life that you know is not the kind of life God created you for?

If so, you are not alone. Jesus did and he did so for 30 years.

I did so and mine was for many years. I didn't know how many years you've spent wasting your own life. This is the Hour of dedication!

When this hour came for Jesus, He went to Jordan where John was preaching and baptizing men unto repentance for the remission of sin.

Jesus has no sin to confess, no stains to be washed away symbolically in Jordan River, yet he went to hear John the Baptist and be baptized.

Hear me! You must be born again. You must repent and return to God (John 3:6-8).

You must repent and be baptized so that you sins can be remitted or blotted away (Act 2:37-39).

You must be baptized by immersion so that you can begin a new life (see Rom 6:1-11).

Jesus went for baptism.

You must be baptized after you are born again.

It is during baptism that Jesus heard what He never heard before – that he was God's Son. Why God's Son? Because He must die to save others!

Significance of Jesus' Baptism

Jesus understood as he was buried in water in baptism, that there is a future burial that will follow another baptism that he had to be baptized with.

Luke 12:50 – "but I have a baptism to be baptized with and how distressed I am till it is accomplished!"

I hare a baptism to be baptized. How I am constrained until it is accomplished. Therefore, there in Jordan, Jesus in baptism dedicated Himself unto death – to His purpose and its fulfillment. But He was praying. "Jesus baptized and praying!"

The Holy Ghost came upon him from that moment. He became anointed at the place of dedication to the Will of the Father. He was empowered to fulfill purpose during the Hour of dedication. From that Hour of dedication Jesus became the anointed one, endued with power by the Holy Spirit to fulfill purpose.

Until you get to the Hour of dedication, you are not yet ready for the anointing you need

and the enducment with power for your life's one purpose.

It is in the Hour of dedication that God anoints and empowers His own. But they must pray and ask for it.

Jesus Is Our Pattern and Example

Jesus is our pattern and example in all things. He did not go into His life's purpose until He went through His hour of dedication when God anointed and endued Him with power. If Jesus needed enduement with power, so do you and me. How did He receive it? By dedicating Himself unreservedly to His Father's will, expressed by His submission to John in Baptism. By a wholehearted submission of himself at the Father's disposal to do his will, even though it meant the cross and death. And Jesus willingly submitted Himself by praying.

Have you dedicated yourself to the Will of the Father?

Have you told Him you are willing to go down into death to fulfill His Will for your life?

Have you told the Father you are wiling to come to the end of yourself so as to begin His purpose for your life?

This may mean the crucifixion of all your ambitions and self-life. It may mean the death of your desires, personal goals and family plans; aspirations and intentions made subject to His perfect Will.

Can you say, "I am willing to do God's Will like Jesus? Can you dedicate yourself to the Father's Will and purpose?

Hear me: God is not willing or ready to anoint, baptize, empower, equip and invest His best into you or anyone else when we are not ready, prepared and dedicated to His Will alone.

You know power is a very dangerous thing in the hands of the wrong person. Therefore, God is only committed to empowering those who are set, as the Lord Jesus was set, to do the Will of the Father whatever the cost may be.

Jesus was praying before God anointed Him. And He was dedicated. Are you praying? Are you dedicated?

Saul had been a terror to the churches. He was in Damascus praying. Three days before he began praying, on his way to Damascus, he met Jesus and was saved. He had become a new creature, old things had passed away. All things had become new. Saul was a new man in Christ. And he was praying. God told Ananias, a disciple, to go lay his hands on Saul so that he could receive his sight for he had been blinded by the heavenly light, and that he might be filled with the Holy Spirit. God told Ananias that Saul "was praying". Only those who are praying are ready to enter into and fulfill God's purpose.

Jesus was praying at the Hour of dedication.

Saul (Paul) was praying at the hour of dedication.

Only those who are praying are ready for this encounter of a life-time. Are you praying?

Luke 11:13.

God is ready to give the Holy Spirit (and power) only to those who ask him.

Are you ready?

Are you praying?

This is your Hour of dedication. What are you still waiting for?

Don't you need the anointing?

Don't you need God's power?

Don't you want to fulfill God's purpose for your life?

Don't you think you must say good bye to a life of waste outside purpose?

Don't you think it is high time you got serious with what really matters?

For me, I've settled the matter: its God's Will alone and nothing else.

I've dedicated all to Him. Why don't you do same now!

This is your Hour of dedication get down on your knees.

Pray! Pray!! Pray!!!

Not my will but yours be done, Oh Lord!

Father take all of me and leave nothing for me. Take all of me and leave nothing for any men. Father have me, hold me, make me and use me as you want in Jesus name.

Father henceforth, let it be only all you want and never what I or any man want. Thank you My Father.

Reminder

Jesus spent quality time in fellowship, communion and Hours of decisive prayer in the Hour of dedication. "Jesus was praying"

"Now when all the people were baptized, it came to pass, that Jesus also being baptized, and praying, the heaven was opened.

And the Holy Ghost descended in a bodily shape like a dove upon him, and a voice came from heaven, which said, Thou art my beloved Son, in thee I am well pleased" Luke 3:21-22

Action Point

Do as Jesus did. Spend quality time in fellowship, communion and hours in decisive prayer in your Hour of dedication. Settle it now. Dedicate yourself and your all to him. Do it now

Jesus recommended at least one (1) Hour of prayer.

Matthew 26:4, "Could you not watch with me one hour?"

Mark 14:37, "...watch one hour.

Spend the next hour committing and dedicating yourself to Him. He will empowered you to fulfill purpose if you honestly do.

CHAPTER TWO

THE HOUR OF ACCLAMATION

"However, the report went around concerning Him all the more; and great multitudes came together to hear, and to healed by Him of their infinities.

So He Himself often withdrew into the wilderness and prayed." Luke 5: 15 – 16

Most busy people tend to pray less. But Jesus prayed more in His busiest times.

Jesus submitted Himself to John's baptism in the Jordan River where the Holy Spirit came upon Him. After His baptism, He was driven by the Holy Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil for forty days and forty nights (see Mark 1:12).

Jesus conquered Satan by using the word of God "it is written" before returning in the power of the Spirit into Galilee (Luke 4:14).

At His return in the power of the Spirit His fame spread abroad (Luke 4:37) as the power of God manifesting through Him shook the powers of darkness. This resulted in great multitudes coming to hear Him and to be healed of their diseases (Luke 5:15). It was an hour of fame and popularity. Everyone sought Jesus' attention.

Jesus' life at this point was full of activity as He went about teaching, preaching and healing.

Fame has the danger of pride, self exaltation and so much demand and work that can crowd out communion and fellowship with God.

In this period of Jesus' life, "He was withdrawing...and praying." (Luke 5:16, Darby).

Jesus faced the Hour of acclamation by withdrawing and praying. That is, He was spending much time with the Father. His was a normal lifestyle of prayer.

We need the Father the most in our time of intense work and activity.

Anyone who is too busy to pray and commune with the Father is indeed too busy. And this is where most of God's people have lost out, particularly ministers of God.

"If the ax is dull, and one does not sharpen the edge, then he must use more strength; but wisdom brings success." Ecc 10:10

If the axe is dull and its edge is not sharpened, you put in more strength and accomplish less.

By withdrawing and praying, the axe is sharpened for more effectiveness and efficiency. Jesus' secret to an ever effective and efficient ministry life was that in His time of intense activity when the demand was so much and high, He was withdrawing and praying and sharpening Himself in the presence of the Father.

It is reported that Martin Luther said "he found his life so intensively busy he could

not afford to spend less than four whole hours everyday in communion with God!"

You are not safe on the pinnacle of popularity and activity except on your knees. "Withdrawing and praying" is the secret to an effective and efficient life and ministry. Jesus lived a disciplined life. He prayed in the hour of acclamation.

Reminder

Jesus was withdrawing and spending quality time in fellowship, communion and praying in the Hour of Acclamation. Luke 5:15–16

Action Point

Are you involved in any way in the Kingdom business? Regularly and constantly spend quality time in fellowship, communion and hours in decisive prayer. This is the secret of success in your Hour of Acclamation – spending at least one hour in God's Presence!

CHAPTER THREE

THE HOUR OF DECISION

"Now it came to pass in those days that he went out to the mountain to pray and continued all night in prayer to God.

And when it was day, He called His disciples to Himself; and from then he chose twelve whom He also named apostles." Luke 6:12 – 13

Jesus prayed and received divine guidance in the Hour of Decision.

When the time came for Jesus to choose His apostles, instead of discussing with his followers, disciples and men, He went to the Father in prayer and prayed all night. Jesus depended totally on the Father for every decision He took and for every choice He made. This is one Jesus' greatest secret to the topmost – Divine Guidance.

Where do you go for guidance? Who is directing your life and actions?

Many people are eager to get divine direction but instead of going to the Father, they rather go to men. Do you want to know the Will of God for your life?

Do you desire divine guidance?

Jesus went to the mountain to pray and He continued all night in prayers to God.

It is high time you turned your ears to God and heaven. Go to the Father and find out

what He has to say to you. Wait patiently upon Him.

In Exodus 24:16-18, Moses was silent in God's presence for seven days. On the seventh day, the Lord called Moses from within the cloud and Moses entered the cloud and for the next forty days and forty nights, the Lord spoke to Moses giving him every detail he needed to build the tabernacle.

Like Moses, we should learn to be silent while waiting on God. Most of us talk too much and hear less. This is a challenge we must overcome to be divinely guided.

When Prophet Samuel was sent to go and anoint a new king to replace Saul in Jesse's house, he was almost misled by the appearance of Eliab, Jesse's oldest son.

I Samuel 16:6-7 "So it was, when they came, that he looked at Eliab and said, surely the Lord's anointed is before him

But the Lord said to Samuel. Do not look at his appearance or at his physical stature, because I have refused him. For the Lord does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart."

Most men of God have made the same mistake of Prophet Samuel.

Therefore, Jesus had to spend a whole night in continued prayer before He chose His twelve apostles. The Hour of decision is a

critical moment in the life of every child of God. Let us therefore learn from the example of Jesus the secret to making the right choice: spend time waiting upon God in prayer until you hear from Him the way to go or what to do.

Jesus said "of my own self I can do nothing" (John 5:19). Again Jesus said, "I have not spoken of myself, but the Father which sent me, He gave me a commandment, what I should ay, and what I should speak" (John 12:49).

Jesus prayed and waited on God in the Hour of Decision. That is the example we must follow to have the Jesus kind of result.

Reminder

Jesus spent quality time in fellowship, communion and Hours of decisive prayer in the Hour of Decision. "Now it came to pass in those days that he went out to the mountain to pray and continued all night in prayer to God.

And when it was day, He called His disciples to Himself; and from then he chose twelve whom He also named apostles." Luke 6:12-13.

Action Point

Do as Jesus did. Spend quality time in fellowship, communion and in decisive prayer in your Hour of Decision and don't stop until you have heard from the Father. Learn the art

of listening to the Father while you pray. Pray at least one (1) Hour.

CHAPTER FOUR

THE HOUR OF REVELATION

"And it happened, as He was alone praying, that His disciples joined Him, and He asked then, saying "Who do the crowds say that I am?

So they answered and said, "John the Baptist, but some say Elijah, and others say that one of the old prophets has risen again.

He said to them, but who do you say that I am? Peter answered and said, "The Christ of God." Luke 9:18–20

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Revelation

By that prayer came forth the revelation that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.

He said to them, but who do you say that I am? Peter answered and said, "The Christ of God." Luke 9:20

"Simon Peter answered and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.

Jesus answered and said to him, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven." Mathew 16:16-17

This revelation marked a turning point in the training of the apostles. From this point, the ministry of Jesus focused on the preparation of the apostles who were to take over from Him.

The revelation Peter had of Jesus came through the prayer of Jesus. Why? Because the question, "But who do you say that I am" came suddenly out of that time of prayer. The answer also was a direct result of Jesus' earnest prayer that His followers might know by divine revelation who He was.

Isaiah 53:1 says, "Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?"

Those who believe are those who have had a revelation. You cannot believe without a revelation.

Most people are in error because they give themselves to 'the ministry of the word and to prayer'. That is man's order. The order of the Scripture is for you to give yourself "to prayer and to the ministry of the word." Act 6:2-4

Prayer comes before the ministry of the Word and revelation. Spend more time in prayer for a revelation to come through the ministry of the word and you will have better result in all your undertakings – whether in ministry, business or career.

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Revelation. Pray first then labour in the word and in teaching, preaching and healing. That is Jesus' order. Pray for a revelation before you venture into your work. Peter caught a revelation of Jesus before he caught men's attention in ministry. And so did Paul (Acts 22:14-15).

Reminder

Jesus spent quality time in fellowship, communion and Hours of decisive prayer in the Hour of Revelation. "And it happened, as He was alone praying, that His disciples joined Him, and He asked then, saying "Who do the crowds say that I am?

So they answered and said, "John the Baptist, but some say Elijah, and others say that one of the old prophets has risen again.

He said to them, but who do you say that I am? Peter answered and said, "The Christ of God." Luke 9:18-20.

Action Point

Do as Jesus did. Spend quality time in fellowship, communion and in decisive prayer in your Hour of Revelation and God will show you great and mighty things which you know not.

CHAPTER FIVE

THE HOUR OF TRANS-FIGURATION

"Now it came to pass, about eight days after these saying, that He took Peter, John and James and went up on the mountain to pray.

As He was prayed, the appearance of His ace was altered, and His robe became white and glistening. Luke 9:28–29

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Transfiguration and as He prayed, He was transfigured. Jesus' countenance was altered.

Prayer does not merely change things. Prayer changes us!

If Jesus prayed and was changed, you too can pray and be changed. You either conform to this world or be transformed (transfigured) into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ. After Moses' forty days and forty nights on the mountain top in communion with God, his face was aglow when he came down (Exodus 34:29–30).

"Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone."

But we all, with unvelled face be holding as in as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord

2 Corinthians 3:18

Do you desire to be more like Christ? Then spend more time in His company and presence.

The apostle spent time in Jesus' presence.

Then he appointed twelve, that they might be with Him and that He might send them out to preach. Mark 3:14

People took notice that the apostles have been with Jesus.

Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated and untrained men, they marveled. And they realized that they had been with Jesus. Acts 4:13

As we gaze on Him in the Hour of Transfiguration we will begin to reflect the beauty and glory of the Lord Jesus.

Many people are looking for answers and solutions. It is only as you spend time in His presence and are transformed that your life will be a demonstration of His Spirit and Power and answers.

After the Hour of Transfiguration, Jesus manifested God's Power in a new dimension.

Take note of what happened when He returned from the hour of transfiguration.

And as he was still coming, the demon threw him down and convulsed him. Then Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the child and gave him back to his father

And they were all amazed at the mighty power of God. But while everyone marveled at all the things which Jesus did. He said to His disciples. Luke 9:42-43

People saw the great power of God when Jesus came down from the Hour of Transfiguration.

May your time spent with Him in the Hour of Transfiguration result in the manifestation and demonstration of the great power of God.

Reminder

Jesus spent quality time praying decisive prayers in the Hour of Transfiguration. "As Jesus was praying, the appearance of His countenance was altered." Luke 9:29

Action Point

Spend quality time as Jesus did in fellowship, communion and in decisive prayers in your Hour of Transfiguration. This is Jesus' secret to transfiguration and empowerment.

Recommended time is at least one (1) Hour of prayer.

CHAPTER SIX

THE HOUR OF INSTRUCTION

"Now it came to pass, as He was praying in a certain place, when He ceased, that one of His disciples said to Him, Lord teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples

So He said to them "When you pray say: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name

Your kingdom come, Your will be done." Luke 11:1-2

When Jesus would teach his disciples and instruct them on prayer, He prayed.

The apostles saw Him praying and saw the results from His time of pray and asked Him to teach them to pray.

Jesus was always, constantly in touch with the Father and Heaven and the results, proofs and evidences were undeniable.

"Then Jesus answered and said to them. Most assuredly, I say to you the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do, for whatever he does the Son also does in like manner

For the Father loves the Son, and shows Him all things that he Himself does, and He will show Him greater works than these, that you may marvel.

For as the father raises the dead and gives life to them, even so the Son gives life to whom He will." John 5:19-21

"For I have not spoken on My own authority; but the Father who sent me gave Me a command, what I should say and what I should speak." John 12:49

Jesus knew God as His Father and 'Our Father' and always talked with Him. Prayer was a relationship and the Father's interests were the Son's interests.

"So He said to them, When you pray say: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name

Your kingdom come, Your will be done. Give us day by day our daily bread." Luke 11:2-3

At the Hour of Instruction, the Father made it very clear to us that His topmost priority, above providing us our daily bread, water and other necessities of life is for His kingdom to come and for Hs will to be done on earth as it is in Heaven.

If we make our Father's priority our topmost priority, all these things that men are killing themselves to get will be added to us (see Mathew 6:33and Luke 12:29-33).

Jesus always prayed in the Spirit. That is, His prayers were moved, motivated, controlled and energized by the Holy Spirit.

"So He said to them, When you pray say: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done...If you then, being evil know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will

your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him." Luke 11:2, 13

We need divine instructions for divine manifestations.

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Instruction. We are to do as He did. Pray in the Hour of Instruction for the Kingdom of our Father to come where we are and for His Will to be done on earth as it is in heaven

Reminder

Jesus spent quality time praying in the Hour of Instruction in a certain isolated place. Luk "Now it came to pass, as He was praying in a certain place, when He ceased, that one of His disciples said to Him, Lord teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples

So He said to them "When you pray say Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name

Your kingdom come, Your will be done." Luke 11:1-2

Action Point

The Lord says "I will instruct you and teach you in the way which you should go; I will guide with my own eye." Psalm 32:8

Spend at least one (1) Hour in quality prayer, fellowship and communion in your Hour of Instruction. He will show what matters now!

CHAPTER SEVEN

THE HOUR OF REDEMPTION

"Coming out, He went to the Mount of Olives, as He was accustomed, and His disciples also followed Him.

When He came to the place, He said to them, Pray that you may not enter into temptation

And He was withdrawn from them about a stone's throw and he knelt down and prayed

Saying, Father, if it is Your will, take this cup away from Me, nevertheless not My will but Yours, be done

Then an angel appeared to Him from heaven, strengthening Him.

And being in agony. He prayed more earnestly. Then His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground

When He rose up from prayer and had come to His disciples. He found them sleeping from sorrow. Then He said to them, why do you sleep? Rise and pray, lest you enter into temptation. Luk2 22:39-46

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Redemption.

Hear the master's word: "Rise and pray, that you may not enter into temptation."

Prayer is our safeguard when the enemy comes in like a flood.

"When the enemy comes in like a flood The Spirit of of the Lord will lift up a standard against him." Isaiah 59:19

"Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints -" Ephesians 6:18

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Redemption, when all the forces and hordes of hell were let loose against and upon Him. Jesus won the battle that purchased our redemption on the cross in the garden of Gethsemane

"Who has heard such a thing? Who has seen such things? Shall the earth be made to give birth in one day? Or shall a nation be born at once? For as soon as Zion was in labour. She gave birth to her children." Isaiah 66:8

Only through travailing can Zion bring forth her children. No woman can give birth as God has ordained without pushing. Every woman must PUSH to give birth.

Jesus did PUSH in the garden of Gethsemane to birth our redemption. Like Jesus, we must push - Pray until sinners souls are harvested!

The Hour of redemption is the Hour of pushing until Satan's humiliated and souls harvested.

Jesus prayed in the Hour of Redemption. What are you doing?

Reminder

Jesus "as was His custom withdrew and prayed. And being in agony, He prayed more earnestly and His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down upon the ground" in the Hour of Redemption." Luke 22:39-46

Action Point

Do as Jesus did. Pray earnestly until you secure victory in the Hour of Redempton.

Jesus recommended at least one (1) Hour of prayer.

CHATPER EIGHT

THE HOUR OF RESTORATION

This is the last hour!

"Little children, it is the last hour." 1 John 2:18

This is the Hour of Restoration when all things God created must be recovered and restored. This is the acceptable year (month, week, day, and hour) of the Lord. Luke 4:19. Jesus must be retained in Heaven until all things are fully restored.

"Whom (Jesus) heaven must receive until the times of restoration of all things, which God has spoken by the mouth of all His holy prophets since the world began." Act 3:21

This Hour of Restoration is the Hour of Intercession – The hour of praying for others.

Hebrew 7:25 – "He (Jesus) always lives to make intercession for them".

Rom 8:34 – "Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us".

In this last Hour, there is one job that must be done – intercession – praying for souls.

'Others' must be our focus now. It is the time of restoration of all things as God promised through all His prophets long ago.

Isaiah 42:22 "But this is a people robbed and spoiled. All of them are snared in holes, and they are hidden in prison houses. They are for prey and no one says deliver, for a spoil and no one says; Restore!"

Our task is to say "Lord Deliver, Lord Restore!"

'Others' must be our focus now. Only all who stay focused on "Others" saying "Deliver" them, "Restore" them can stay on top like Jesus.

"Jesus ever liveth" to make intercession for others – saying Father deliver them, Father restore them!

For He (Jesus) knows He must be retained in heaven until the final restoration of all things as God promised long ago through all His prophets.

Jesus is interceding for others. He has stayed on top, above all else. This task has kept Jesus there.

Nothing lifts a person up and keeps him there more than focussing on others and doing all you can for them.

In this last hour, only those who dwell and focus on others will matter to our Father.

"For the earnest expectation of the creation eagerly waist for the revealing of the sons of God.

For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of Him who subjected it in hope;

Because the creation itself also will be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

For we know that the whole creation groans and labors with birth pangs together until now." Rom 8:19-22

God's focus is others. Jesus focus is others. Son of God, focus on others. To be relevant now, others who are subjected, robbed, spoiled, snared in holes and hid in prison houses must be delivered and restored. And it is our work to bring them out. We must focus on others.

This is the last decisive hour. Do you want life at the top?

Do you desire to stay on top?

Then this is your Hour.

Focus on others!

Job after all he suffered got himself restored and lifted to his place at the topmost by interceding for others.

"And the Lord restored job's losses when he prayed for his friends, indeed the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before." Job 42:10

Job prayed for his friends and mockers. God lifted him up and he stayed on top until his last day on earth.

What you make happen for others, God will make happen for you. You reap what you sow.

Give and it will be given to you: "good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over will be put into your "bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you. Luke 6:38

Those who sow in tears shall reap in joy, He who continually goes forth weeping, bearing seed for sowing, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him. Ps 126:5-6

Focus all your life and resources on others.

That is the secret to life at the topmost.

Reminder

Jesus has remained at the topmost. The Hour of Restoration – focusing on others, making intercession for others has kept Him there.

"Jesus ever lives to make intercession for others." Hebrews 7:25.

Action Point

Do as Jesus does. Focus on others. Intercede for others. Spend your time and resources for and on others in this Hour of Restoration.

Abraham did and secured his place at the topmost in his generation.

Job also did and secured his own place at the topmost in his generation.

This is your opportune Hour of Restoration. The topmost awaits you.

Focus on others evermore.

I see nothing stopping your rise to the topmost and staying there.

See you at the top!

Peace!

I am expecting your testimonies.

Please write and share your testimonies with us.

If You are not certain that You are Born Again as you are certain about your name, or You were once saved but went astray again, living and doing as you pleased, Then say aloud this Prayer:

PRAYER FOR SALVATION AND RESTORATION!

Dear Heavenly Father, I return to you by Faith. I am sorry for my sins. I believe in my heart Jesus is The Christ and that He died for my sins and rose from the dead on the third day, according to Scripture, for my justification. I confess that Jesus Christ is LORD and I accept Him now as my Saviour. I believe my sins are wiped away. I call upon The Name of The LORD for my total Healing, Liberty and Restoration. I ask for the Gift of Your Holy Spirit, Power and Grace to follow and serve You from this day forward. And I Thank You Abba Father for doing far beyond all I have asked and can ever imagine in Jesus Name. Amen!

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