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(Jesus:) The leaders of the future, the champions of the Tribulation, are going to be those who have applied themselves today, who have refined their skills in intense, unrelenting combat with the Enemy today, who have followed Me closely today, committing themselves to full yieldedness and submission. The actions of today are what build the future tomorrow. How much you will be used and how greatly I will be able to manifest My power through you will be in direct proportion to how diligently you commit yourself to the commission at hand today. The titles has little to do with it, for what are these but titles, handles, names?

What matters is personal dedication and yieldedness. What matters is the fervency with which you prepare for the Endtime today. Your fruit in the future and how I will use you in the Endtime is a result of your actions and diligence today during these times of peace.

Those in **the Core** (those who have and live the infostore pubs) have an advantage. They have the most truth available to them. They have the ultimate truth at their fingertips. They have a multitude of My Words in every form imaginable. They have My truth in greater abundance than anyone else on this Earth. They have more than the Fellow Members and outside members, and much more than church Christians. Thus the Core has the wherewithal to be the greatest leaders in the Endtime. It's not because of any goodness of their own that they have this advantage; **it is the abundance of My Words and their faithfulness and obedience to My Words that separates them and exalts them as My leaders.**

It comes down to each person's individual commitment. If you're slacking off and not giving your all, you can't expect to be as prepared or as greatly used when the Endtime knocks on your door. You might perhaps not have as much of My Words as those in the Core, but if you're doing your best with what you have, in faith, yieldedness and obedience, then you can expect great things when the Tribulation hits. You can expect that I'll use all that you've been in training for, and you will be a great leader in the Endtime.

The greatest benefit in the Endtime for those who have given Me their all today and have been aggressive and faithful in their practice and application of the new weapons will be their close connection with Me. Many will have close connections with Me, but those who have invested wisely will be the closest to

Me. That's not to say that by being closer to Me they are more loved by Me. It's just that **I'll be able to speak to them more clearly and directly and will be able to use them more mightily. Thus it is these ones--the ones who have invested today by applying the new weapons and following My instructions about the days to come--who will be the greatest leaders.**

All who come to Me desiring My Words will be able to hear My voice, even the new babes who will join you during the Great Tribulation. But there will be a noticeable difference between you, My veteran users of prophecy, and those who newly accept the gift. You will have been strengthened in faith through your many months and years of using the gift of prophecy. Through your practice and even through your mistakes, you will have learned much about this intricate and wonderful gift. Thus I will use you to answer the questions of the babes--and there will be many questions. They won't understand the gift of prophecy overnight and will need much shepherding and guidance. That's where you'll come in. **You will also have a strong anchor of faith in My gift of prophecy and My Words of guidance and instruction, which is something that you will have gained through seeing it work in action.** This is something that those new to prophecy will not have. They will still be wobbly and unsure of themselves. They'll be learning as they go. You'll be the experts, because you practiced in times of peace and learned to depend on Me in this marvelous way.

All of the new weapons will be like this--praise, prophecy, loving Me intimately, intercessory prayer, living the Law of Love to the full, and the weapon of weakness, meekness and humility. You who are practicing them now and putting them to use are going to be way ahead of others. Yes, everyone will be able to use these weapons in the Endtime, but they will not be as accomplished in their use of them as you will be. They will be like you were when you were first venturing out to use prophecy or to "Love Jesus," etc.

Those who have practiced today and given their all to Me in yieldedness today will be the anchors, the leaders, the instructors, and those who show the way. You will be very comfortable with using the new weapons. They will no longer be "new weapons" to you; they will be well-learned, well-practiced, much-used weapons that will be a part of you. The "new weapons" will be natural and normal and second nature to those who are using them today and preparing for the Tribulation that's soon to come.

Those who are in the Core have the potential to be used of Me in the greatest way. This, as I said before, is not because of any goodness of their own, but is possible because of the great abundance of Word and instruction that I'm

pouring into you. It's also a reward for the high level of dedication and the sacrifices that those in the Core must make for Me to be My called-out, elite forces.

But just being in the Core won't necessarily make you one of the greatest leaders in the Endtime. It's like the story of the talents in the Bible. It's what you do with what I've given you that makes the difference. Are you investing wisely? Are you using the talents that I've given you to the full? If so, you can expect great things in the Endtime. You can expect that I'll use you mightily. But just being in the Core doesn't automatically guarantee this. It's up to you. What you invest your time and energies in today will shape the person that you will be when the Tribulation rolls around.

What will you be? I will need leaders to rally My forces, leaders who have applied themselves to My Words today. Will you be one of My leaders? If so, great will be your reward--both great fulfillment and challenge in those days, as well as inestimable rewards in the world to come. *(End of message from Jesus.)* (1)

I've sent forth the call to the children of David to come closer, nearer to My bosom. I've reached out to take each one into My arms and to nurture a relationship that is much more than what was before. Many have come, but some have held back, and some have refused altogether.

I set the level of discipleship at complete surrender when I said, "If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow Me." This still holds true today. Nothing has changed.

You enter the Last Days, the time when only those who know their God shall be strong and do exploits. There will be many who will be left behind, who will fall by the wayside--not because they didn't have fruitful years or good intentions, but because their lives were corrupt with sin and the deceitfulness of riches, or because they failed to heed My warnings about the need to prepare spiritually by using the new weapons.

These are not idle, pretty-sounding spiritual principles or little children's bedtime stories. These are serious warnings that will make or break the future of each of the children of David. I'm doing everything I possibly can to help My children to wake up,

This is the day of surrender. This is the day to say yes, to take up the challenge of all that you've read and heard. This is your opportunity to be a doer of the Word, one who lifts up the standard. (2)

The Age of Mighty Miracles And Greater Works!

(David speaking:) Hasn't the Lord been telling you for years that in order to survive the coming days, you would have to survive on miracles? As the Earth races into the 21st century, the days ahead couldn't be any darker for the people of the world, but for you, God's intimate brides, they couldn't be any brighter! And the darker the world gets, the mightier the miracles the Lord will work through you in order to help you survive! Hallelujah! This century marks the end of man's rule on Earth, yet it marks the beginning of the most glorious days you will ever see; it marks the days when you will shine and all the world will see!

What do you think it means when it says in the Bible, "They that do know their God will be strong and do exploits"? What do you think those exploits are going to be? Mighty miracles, beloved, that the Lord is going to do for you and through you!

In order to survive in these Last Days, you're going to be surviving on even greater miracles than He's done for you in the past! Hallelujah! Praise the Lord! I love the thrill of it all! You are going to be the shining example to the world of survival without the System. As the world speeds towards the Mark, you're seeing more and more the need to lean totally on the Lord for survival. This is what He's been preparing you for all along. This is why it's so necessary that He fine-tunes you right now into instruments that will hear His voice on every matter, that will obey His will explicitly and on the spot, not wavering, because this is what's going to be necessary to survive in the days that are starting right now! It's through this means of constant communication with the Lord that He'll be able to work the miracles through you!

The Lord's Message to You: Watch and Pray, Listen and Receive!

If you want to know what you need to do to best prepare for the year ahead, this is one of the most important things you can do: Continue to hone your gifts of listening to the Lord, hearing from Him in prophecy and receiving His instruction. Learn to hear from Him in prophecy about everything! Make it a habit! Give it all you've got, as if everything depended upon it, because it does! I tried to teach you this concept in the beginning, from as far back as that famous message I named "For God's Sake, Follow God!" You've been learning step by step all along, and now the Lord is fine-tuning you in this area and showing you that

you simply won't be able to live without it.

Hearing from the Lord in prophecy about everything will not only be the means of your survival, but it will also be the means of your shining glory! This is why it's so important for you all to hone your gifts of prophecy! Hearing from the Lord in prophecy before you make a move is the means by which He will be able to direct you and use you to perform greater works in these Last Days. Because the Lord can trust you to obey, to check in with Him on everything, then He knows you'll always be ready, waiting, and willing to be used to perform the great exploits needed to defy the works of evil in these Last Days. He knows He'll be able to trust you to get the job done, to stand up for the truth, and lead the world to victory in His Name. This is the victory that will overcome the world, your faith and your obedience to not make a move without getting His direction and hearing from Him in prophecy.

The Lord instructed you to discern the signs of the times. He's told you repeatedly in His Word to watch and pray, and there could hardly be a more vital time than now for you to heed this instruction. The Lord has told you to be prepared. He's warned you to not be caught unaware, to discern the signs of the times, and to watch and pray. How do you not get caught unaware? How do you not get caught with your pants down? How do you discern the signs of the times? How are you not going to be deceived by the tricks of the Enemy and his treacherous devices? By watching and praying.

And how do you watch and pray? What's the best way you can watch and pray? The best way you can watch and pray is to continually be looking to the Lord, and not only look to Him, but listen to Him and receive your instructions from Him for your every move. There you go! It all goes back to this--you can't make a move without hearing from God! I used to tell you if you went ahead without hearing from God, you'd fall flat on your face. Well, I think I'll have to revise that statement, because nowadays the ante has been upped, and in these days if you try to make a move without hearing from God, if you don't get down to business with the Lord and hear from Him in prophecy, if you proceed without His leading, it's apt to cost you a whole lot more than a little fall on your face!

As you enter this new era, it's no longer just a good idea to hear from the Lord before you make a move; you simply cannot afford not to hear from God before you make a move! You've now got to broaden your horizons when you hear "watch and pray," because when the Lord instructs you to watch and pray, He means you've got to watch, to look to Him, and to pray. But He doesn't expect you to pray a one-way prayer. He means you are to not only speak your peace,

but He also wants you to listen to Him in prayer, to hear His voice and receive His encouragement, counsel, instruction and guidance in prophecy. This is watching and praying! When the Lord says "watch and pray" to you, His avant-garde Endtime army, He means you are to watch, pray, listen and receive!

I've been telling you about the bright future you have ahead of you, about the glorious days of the future that are dawning and how brightly you're going to shine for the Lord. So let me ask you, how do you think this will all be possible? The only way you will shine so brightly, the only way the Lord will be able to work miracles through you, is if you watch and pray, listen to the Lord and receive His instruction through His voice of prophecy!

Moses had to watch, to pray, and to hear from the Lord in prophecy for every move he made. It was then, and only then, that the Lord was able to speak to him so clearly and give him downright, outright revelations, so that he could defy Pharaoh and all his wise men. That's the only way he could lead the children of Israel out of Egypt--by doing a lot of watching and a lot of praying and hearing from the Lord! And as he heard from God and got his direction from God, that's when the Lord caused his face to shine.

Gideon had to hear from the Lord to get his battle plans. It was then and only then that he received his directions on how to successfully fight the war.

It was as Daniel bowed his head in earnest prayer that the Lord was able to reveal to him the king's dream so that he won his favor. It was as Daniel continued to watch and to pray and to listen to the Lord that he received the power and peace and strength of Heaven not just to enter the lions' den, but to come out of the lions' den unharmed. Daniel didn't have to have so much strength to enter that lions' den; he was going to go in there whether he liked it or not! But he had to have strength and power to get out of that lions' den unharmed. He had to have a mighty miracle to make it out of that den alive, and the way he got it was by watching and praying, by hearing from the Lord and receiving His power from on high!

It was his "watching," his looking to the Lord while he was in that den, that saw Daniel through the night and brought him out of there alive. He had to both watch and pray and listen. He had to watch, to look to the Lord. He had to pray, to talk to the Lord. Then as he listened to the Lord and heard His voice in prophecy, this boosted Daniel's faith and the Lord saw him through it. The Lord clearly spoke to Daniel with personal words of comfort and encouragement while he was in that den. This is what helped him to hang on and not give up hope that those lions were not all of a sudden going to decide it was time to eat! Daniel was

receiving the Lord's pure words in prophecy, and this helped him to keep trusting and gave him peace, knowing that the Lord would keep those lions' mouths shut all night long. This brought calm to Daniel and boosted his faith. The Lord walked Daniel right through that battle by speaking directly to him with a message of comfort and encouragement, and he came out alive and kicking and ready to fight another day!

So this is the Lord's message to you for this coming year: Watch and pray, listen and receive! This is the only way the Lord will be able to walk you through the days ahead! You have to watch--to look to the Lord and to your helpers. You've got to be on the lookout--keep your eyes open and your ears tuned in for every opportunity to get their leading, guidance and help. You've got to watch and pray, listen and receive the Lord's instruction in prophecy, because this is the only way the Lord and all your helpers will be able to direct you through the future.

If you're not constantly on the lookout, not watching and praying, listening and receiving the Lord's messages, you might miss something. You've got to remember, there's a lot of static around you. You are behind enemy lines, surrounded by all sorts of things that the Enemy and his ilk would like to put in your way to cause interference in your Heavenly communications. This is why you've got to do your part and stay tuned in.

You can't expect the Lord and all your helpers to always get through to you if you're not going to watch for their signals, if you're not going to be in tune and on the lookout for every possible opportunity to get their counsel and direction by hearing from them in prophecy. The Lord does His part and your helpers do their part, but you've got to do your part. You've got to watch, to be on the lookout, if you're going to pick up all of our signals without missing a beat.

If you don't stay watchful, if you don't pray, and if you don't open yourselves up to receive the messages, we won't be able to punch through as often and as clearly as we need to in these dark times. If you're not watching, you might miss one of our important signals. This is why the Lord told you to watch, and this is why you must pray, listen and receive. You've got to be on the lookout, be ready at all times to receive direction from Him and from your helpers. If you're to do the great exploits that are needed in this Last Day, you must stay on guard, always watching, always praying, ready to listen and receive the messages. You have to watch and pray, listen and receive, so that you can be ready at all times--ready to follow where the Lord wants you to go, ready to defy evil, ready to avoid the Enemy's traps, ready to shed light and hope on a dark world, ready to

guide His lost sheep back into the light of His truth.

The only way the Lord will be able to lead you a step at a time through the future is as you watch and pray, look to Him, and receive His messages, as you keep your eyes open and your ears tuned in, listening to His explicit directions in prophecy. This is how the Lord will be able to shine through you in the coming days. This is how He'll be able to work mighty miracles at your request--as you watch, as you look to Him, and as you pray down His strength and power and help, as you call on Him for His help to fight for you and to help you win the battles, and as you listen to His instructions and receive His messages in prophecy.

This is how you will shine--by watching and praying, by listening and by receiving His messages--so that you can then follow through and obey His orders and the directions that will bring you through to victory each and every time. As long as you watch, as you open your eyes and ears and receive instruction from the Heavens, from Jesus, from the helpers He has assigned to aid you; and as long as you pray, as you receive His counsel and follow through on what He tells you to do, then you can't go wrong. You'll come through victoriously and shine with the glory of the Lord!

As you watch and pray, listen and receive His messages, this will be your courage. Your courage comes through watching and praying, listening and receiving His messages; because when you hear from God, you know you're right--and this gives you the strength and courage to go on. When you hear His voice speaking to you clearly, you know you can't go wrong. This is how you're going to be able to stand up for your faith and for the truth--by hearing from Him on everything. It's when you receive the Word of the Lord, when you hear from Him in prophecy explicitly and on the spot, that you have faith and courage to carry on.

Do you think Moses had courage before he learned to listen to the Lord? How do you think he kept up his courage as he was faced with problem after problem? Moses faced insurmountable problems with Pharaoh, and if that wasn't enough, those old Jews continually gave him a hard time. So how do you think he kept up his courage? The only way Moses kept up his courage was in hearing from the Lord for his every move! Every time he took a problem to the Lord, the Lord spoke to him in prophecy and gave him the solution, and this gave him the courage to carry out the Lord's orders--because he knew that everything God showed him always worked out.

You've got to remember, the Enemy is fighting for keeps! He's fighting

tooth and nail. He's making his last-ditch stand and pulling out all the stops in an all-out attempt to foil the plan of God. This is why the Lord instructs you to watch and pray, and why He wants you to listen and receive His messages. Because the Devil's always fighting somewhere. He never sleeps. He's always out to get you. He's playing hardball, and this is why you must be on your toes at all times.

Watch and pray, listen and receive--that's the name of the game. Watch and pray, listen and receive the Lord's messages so that you're not caught unawares in one of the Enemy's traps. Watch and pray so you can discern the signs of the times, and listen and receive the Lord's messages so that you can steer clear of the Enemy's devices.

A Fresh New Anointing For a New Era!

This news should encourage your hearts! This is not meant to cause you to worry about the big job the Lord has chosen you to do, but this should encourage your hearts, because the Lord is the One Who's going to work through you. You're on the winning side and you can't lose as long as you stay in close touch with Jesus. This is your day, because it's His day--the day when He will shine through you like never before! Hallelujah!

These are exciting times, and they're also sobering times, because they're critical times for the world. This is why you, God's Endtime army, must walk soberly and in prayer as you enter this new era. It should be a time to get serious with the Lord, a time of prayer and holding vigil with Him, a time to come before Him in humility as you seek His help and renew your strength in Him. It's a time for each of you to seek the Lord and to weigh up accounts with your soul. These are days to walk soberly, to be vigilant, to watch and pray, to be ready at all times to tune in and receive your Heavenly orders, and to carry them out. As long as you do this, you don't need to worry about a thing; you'll do just fine.

I know some of you may tend to feel a little overwhelmed at the honor the Lord's bestowing upon you and at the responsibility He's placing upon your shoulders. This is understandable to a degree. Moses, Gideon, Daniel, and every great man or woman who was ever mightily used of God felt the same at one time or another.

But I've got news for you; there's no need for you to feel overwhelmed, because the Lord Himself is going to carry this load. The Lord Himself is going to anoint you and give you power for the hour, along with all the wisdom, strength,

courage, leading and guidance you need! So cheer up! All you've got to do is keep looking to the Lord, because the load is on His shoulders! All you have to do is follow Him closely.

As each Family member gets their heart right with Him, He's going to bless you and give you fresh anointing for the new era you're now entering. The Lord Himself is going to pour a new, fresh anointing on each of you as you stand faithful and true! He's going to consecrate you with a fresh anointing for the days ahead--give you a fresh anointing by which you will do great works in His Name! Hallelujah!

Oh, Jesus, we can't praise You enough! We can't thank You enough for Your marvelous blessing and anointing that You give to Your children. Thank You, Jesus, for allowing me to see it, to see the glorious anointing You have for them. (*Praises in tongues.*) Hallelujah! Praise You Lord!

So though it's a serious time and you're to go into this new year in soberness of mind and spirit, it's also a time to be greatly encouraged, because you're now entering the new age of miracles, the era when you're going to do the greatest works you've ever done. You're going to preach the greatest message you've ever preached and be the greatest witnesses you've ever been!

You might not walk out the door tomorrow and call down fire from the sky, but believe me, this great era starts now! You'll see mightier miracles from now on, if you'll only reach out and receive, if you have faith to believe. The Lord wants to build your faith now. Then, as the need arises, and as your faith grows, you will call down fire from Heaven when the time comes! Hallelujah!

This year the Lord will shower you with His strength, power, protection, provision and supply to live in the haywire world around you. When you go to the Lord, He'll work miracles on your behalf. This year you'll begin to launch out and do mightier works than ever before. This year you're going to gain more momentum and you'll keep on rolling till you've rolled right over the AC and all his people! Hallelujah! It starts now--this is the beginning of the days of greater works and greater exploits, the age of mighty miracles!

This is the beginning of the days of greater witnessing, both personal and through the written page. As the *Activated!* ministry takes off in the year 2000, you're going to see amazing results! The written page will go farther than you ever dreamed possible, and fulfill its mission, as the Word of the Lord is preached in all the world.

These are the beginning days of great works! You're standing on the threshold! Hallelujah! All you have to do is look to the Lord. Trust in God, because

He's not going to let you down. This is reason to praise the Lord and give Him great honor and thanksgiving, because He's going to do mighty miracles on your behalf! Hallelujah! It won't be long before His truth reigns supreme as we rule and reign with Him forever!

So be encouraged, because you're now entering a new era. It's your day--the day that Jesus will shine through you for all the world to see! It's a day to watch and pray, to stand back and watch Him perform great miracles at your request. And He will, beloved, He will! He will not fail in one of His promises in this mighty age of miracles! Hallelujah!

So get ready for the time of your life--the purpose for which you were created! Use this time wisely now, as you stop and pray, to seek the Lord. Kneel at His feet and receive His consecration and His fresh anointing as you enter this new age--the age of miracles!

The People Who Do Know Their God!

The time has come, a new era begins! The ACs are on the move; they're not sitting idle, and this is why you must watch and pray. This is why you can't afford to make a move without hearing from God and getting your direction from Him. This is why you must watch and pray--so you can receive Heaven's counsel, guidance and direction, and stay clear of the Devil's pitfalls; so you can demonstrate the Lord's strength and power; so you can shine with His glory as you stand up for the truth and survive on His miracles and His miracles alone in these Last Days.

You're going to be a shining sample to the world that it can be done--that you don't have to bow down and worship the Beast. You're going to be shining samples to the world of the miracle-working power of God! He's promised all along that He would miraculously provide for you, protect, supply, and empower you to survive in the world ruled by the Antichrist. He's promised that you who know your God would be strong and do exploits. There are plenty of Christians in this world who know the Lord, but in this verse here, who do you think He's referring to? Is He talking about all the Christians in the world, across the board? Everybody who has received the Lord--are they going to be the ones that will be strong and do exploits?

Which of the people who know their God do you think He's talking about here? Who do you think are the ones who really "know" their God? What is the meaning of the word "know" or "knew" in the biblical sense? When Adam "knew"

Eve, what did this mean--that he was merely acquainted with her? Ha! No, he "knew" her, he was intimate with her, made love to her. Just as you "know" the Lord today.

Of all the Christians there are in the world today, you are the most intimate. You are His closest brides, His intimate lovers, the ones who truly "know" your God. Hallelujah! Praise You Lord!

Lord, we are not worthy, but we thank You for this privilege. We thank You for choosing the Family to be Your intimate brides, Your intimate lovers. Thank You that the Family can really know You and love You and make love to You, so that You can work in them and cause them to be strong and do exploits, to work miracles in Your Name. Praise You Lord! Thank You for the honor and the privilege of being Your intimate lovers, Your called-out ones, Your Endtime witnesses! Thine is the power and the glory forever and ever!

Those who know their God will be strong and do exploits! Beloved, this verse is talking about you! You, who know the Lord so intimately. You, who lie in the bed of love and suck His seeds and who really "know" Him in this intimate and personal way. And because you "know" Him, because you've embraced the new day, because you've become His most intimate lovers, you are the ones He's going to do exploits through. The Lord is going to use whoever He can get to help Him and be His witnesses, and He'll undoubtedly use other Christians as well. But your place is special, because you've given Him your all. So He'll be able to give you His all!

Because you "know" Him and you're intimate with Him, He speaks to you in a way that He speaks to no one else. Because you know Him so well, He's going to tell you anything you want to know. Because you listen to Him, because you check in with Him often and get your instructions from Him on every move you make--on what to do, where to go, what to say--you are the ones He's going to work through in the new day of miracles. You are the ones He's going to do the greater works through! You are the ones He's going to work mighty miracles through!

You are now entering these days we've been talking about for so long! The turn of this new century marks the beginning of the days of greater works, the day of exploits, the day of miracles for you who "know" your God. You're entering the days when you will do the greatest work you've ever done, the greatest witnessing you've ever done, the greatest reaping you've ever done. These are the days when you will be the greatest witnesses you've ever been, and you will preach the greatest news you've ever preached!

This is the beginning of the bleakest time for the world, yet it's the beginning of the greatest days of glory for you, His Endtime witnesses. The whole world is going to hear about you and know about you as you perform greater works than the Lord's people have ever performed on Earth, as the Lord works the mightiest miracles of all time through you.

Because you've been found faithful, the Lord is now going to make His face to shine upon you, and all the world is going to see. Because you've been found faithful, the Lord is going to work through you, anoint you, and empower you to be His star witnesses of the End.

Your greatest days are dawning; they begin now. Doesn't that encourage your hearts? A day of greater miracles is beginning now. This is why the Lord says you must hear from Him on everything--because this is how you're going to be able to do greater works, greater exploits, and greater miracles in His Name. You're going to do greater works because it's going to be needed. This is the Lord's plan to see you through the days ahead. Hallelujah!

The new century, marks the beginning of the days that all the prophets have dreamed of! Now that I am among them Here in the Heavenlies, I can see the glory of it so clearly! Beloved, this new century marks the darkest days the world has ever known, but it also marks the brightest days that you, God's chosen, will ever see! Hallelujah! It's the dawning of the age of greater miracles!

(Prays:) Thank You, Lord! We don't deserve it, but we thank You for it. Thank You for Your promises of power. Thank You for Your glory, for Your face that will shine upon these, Your children. They're Your children, and I thank You for making them mine too. I thank You for the privilege to be their father in You. Thank You that I can witness this mighty day of great miracles that You're going to do on behalf of Your children. Thank You for making my dreams come true. You said our little pebble would roll and grow, and that our witness would cover the Earth, and it certainly has. Thank You that I can still help the Family in their greatest hour. Thank You that I can not only watch it, but that I have the honor to help them in these last great days on Earth.

Thank You for all the fruit--for the Family who are a living sample of Your love and Your way, of You, Lord. Thank You for the great witness You're going to make them in this coming new era, this new age of mighty miracles. Thank You for Your miracle-working power that will get them the victory and see them through every battle. Thank You that the greater the trouble, the greater the victory will be; the greater the obstacle, the greater the miracle You'll work!

Hallelujah!

Thank You that no matter what the Devil can do to try to hinder the Family, You'll always do something greater to defeat him. Thank You for the power You give Your children--power for the hour, power for the trial, power to fight on, power to overcome, power to win! Thank You for taking us, the foolish things, the weak things, to confound the wise and the mighty of this world.

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, I'm so little, so nothing. Surely I don't deserve this great honor and blessing of being the father of these precious children You've given me. Lord, they are the ones who are really great. Thank You for the Family, for every single Family member who loves You and obeys You and follows where You lead. You made me their father, and for this I'm most thankful. Praise You Lord! Glory to You, Jesus, because You've done it all! (*Cries.*)

Oh, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Help the kids, Lord. Help each and every Family member to catch the vision, to keep the faith. Help them to stand strong and to watch and pray. Help them to walk in soberness of mind and heart and spirit as they now enter this new year, this new century, this new era of greater works, of great exploits and mighty miracles. Help them not to falter, but to watch and pray. Help them to keep their eyes and ears open. Help them not to make a move without hearing from You. Help them to work in close teamwork with the Heavenly helpers You've given them. Help them not to make a move without the Heavenly plan, without their orders from Headquarters.

Help them in these days of prayer that You've given them now to look to You and to hear clearly from You, to rest in You that they might prepare in mind, heart and spirit. Make these days fruitful days of rest and refilling and refreshing. Help them in these days of prayer and vigil to be refilled and to be encouraged. As they seek You, speak to each heart, Lord. Give each one a willing mind and an open heart to receive Your fresh anointing as You consecrate them for the great days ahead. Bless Your children as they watch and pray that they enter not into temptation.

Encourage their hearts, Lord. Help each one to hold on to their faith that they might gain the victory that overcomes the world. Help each Family member to keep their hand in Yours, to keep their eyes on You, as they march on strong, bold and brave, into this new era.

You promised You would keep them in the world. Keep them, strengthen them, and anoint them now for the great days ahead. Help them to prepare by helping them to continue honing their gifts and developing their habits of hearing from You on everything. Help each one not to make a move without Your

direction.

Thank You, Lord, that though the world is entering days of great trouble, the Family is entering their days of greatest blessing and victory. Thank You for this new era, for the mighty works that You will do. Thank You for turning every trial into triumph and every burden into blessing. Thank You that You will turn every seeming defeat into a mighty victory as You manifest Your might and power through Your children.

Thank You for Your promise that these, Your children, though their faith is tried and tested, will come out as gold--pure gold, shining samples of Your truth and love, proof that love is the answer and that love triumphs over all.

Thank You, Lord, for Your fresh anointing upon Your children. Thank You that You're going to anoint them and sanctify them so that they can finish the work You've sent them to do. Thank You for this new age of mighty miracles! All the prophets have dreamed of this day, this age to behold the mightiest miracles of all time! Thank You for the miracles You will do, for working on behalf of the Family, Your intimate brides! Thank You for Your promise to supply, provide, protect, bless and empower them as they shine as burning lights in this dark world. Thank You Lord! Praise You Jesus! Hallelujah! We give You all the honor and all the glory and all the praise, because You are the One Who does it all! Hallelujah! *(End of message from David.)* (3)

- (1) Issues, Part 6 #3342:105-115
- (2) Jesus Is Calling You Back to the Beginning! #3258:12,22,25-28
- (3) A New Era of Greater Works! #3267:40-98