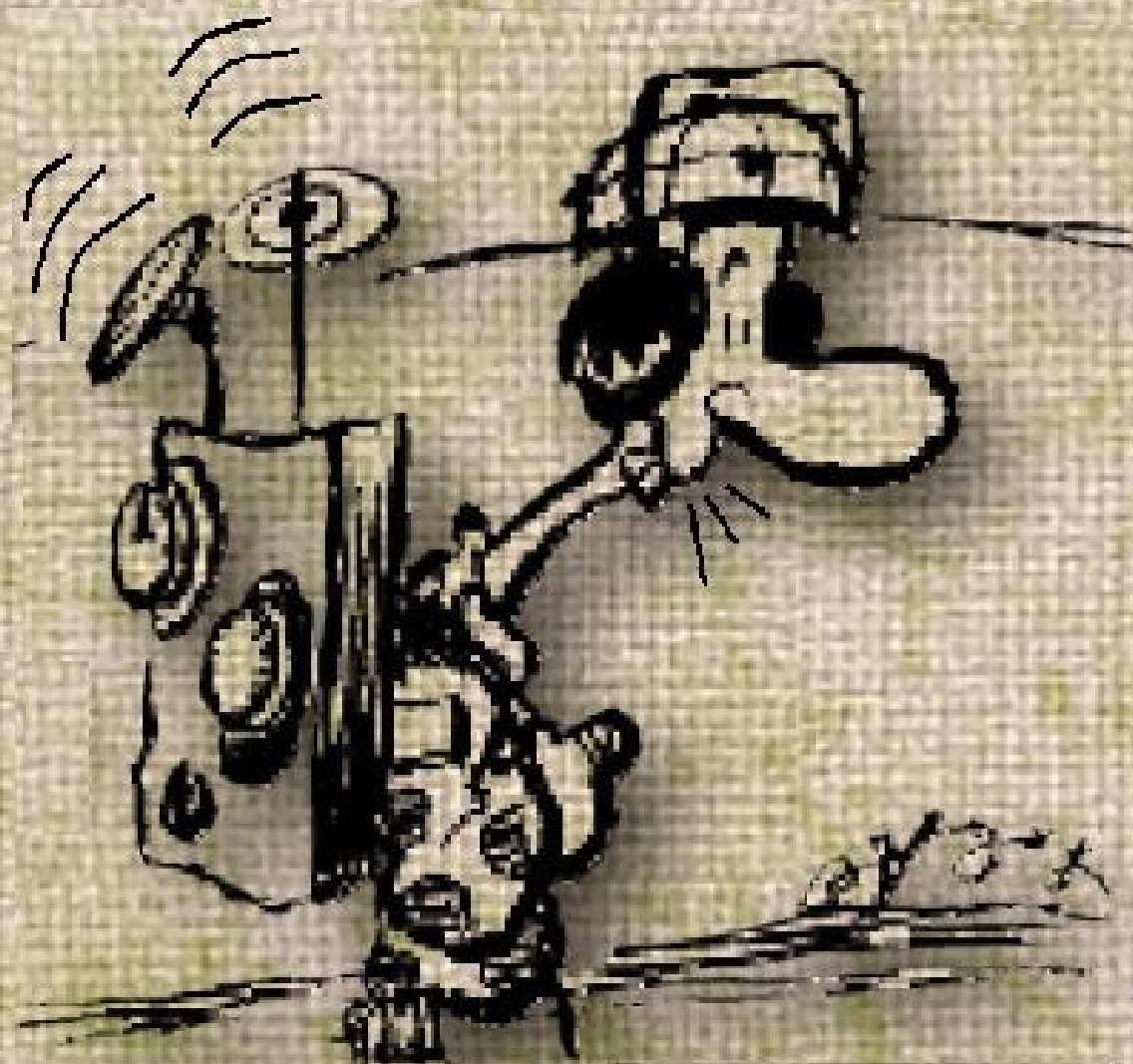


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## All May Prophecy

In these Last Days, I will give the gift of prophecy to anyone who asks Me and has the faith to step out and receive it. This is My gift to My Endtime prophets, that all may prophesy, that all may be channels. It's a special dispensation of grace that I have given unto the children of David because they have proven themselves so faithful with the Words that I have given. <sup>(1)</sup>

There is a great moving of the Spirit in the Heavens! The winds of My Spirit blow, for it is the Last Days, and as I have promised, I will pour down My Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy. This is the day of the moving of My Spirit! This is the day that I pour forth My gifts upon My children, upon those who will open their eyes and look up toward Me, upon those who will open their mouths that I may fill them.

Those who wish may come! Come, ask of Me! Ask for My Spirit! Ask for My gifts! For those who come to Me with a hungry heart, I will not send away empty. I will fill you with good things. I wish to give each who desires, a direct link of communication with Me. I wish to give you direct and specific guidance, instruction and counsel, and My personal Words of love and comfort. You will need these in the days ahead. <sup>(2)</sup>

I do not give the gift of prophecy selectively to one here, and one there, and another one over there, but I give to all, according to your faith. If you read and believe these Words, they will give you faith. The gift is there for you today, for the asking. Reach out and receive.

As you come to Me to exercise this gift, know that in love I am making it as easy as possible for you so that you can relax and not worry and not feel that receiving My Words is a fearful thing, for it is a joyful thing. It is a tremendous privilege and a wonderful blessing, and it is one of the most excellent tokens of My love to you, My precious brides. What more could I do to show you My love than to give you My seeds, and put My Words in your mouth to give you strength, direction, encouragement, and all that you need on a day-to-day basis. <sup>(3)</sup>

I want you to be My channels. I want to put My Words in your mouth. I want to make it easy for you. I want each and every one of you to enjoy this intimate communication with Me, and this availability of My answers. All Heaven is at your disposal. I, your Father David, the departed spirits, and your Heavenly helpers are your servants. We are your love slaves, and it brings us pleasure to give you what you need in the form of help from Heaven, answers, encouragement, and direction. For we know how desperately you need this. You may not see it, but take My word for it, you need it. (4)

The key is to simply believe the promises that I have given. For I have promised that if you call unto Me, I will answer you. I have said this to you many times--that what you hear and what you speak when you open your heart and your mind and your spirit, and when you yield your tongue to Me, is My voice, and so it is. It is a test of your faith, whether you will believe and trust that I have truly given you what you need, and that you have received it. (5)

When you come to Me to hear My voice, always remind yourself that I am eager to speak to you. I want to speak to you. I want to make it easy for you to receive prophecies and to hear from Me, your Father David, and the departed spirits that help you. I am doing everything I can to help your faith to grow, and to make it easy for you to exercise your gift. (6)

Go into your closet (a quiet place) and spend some time loving Me, telling Me of your love and thanking Me for the gift by faith, priming the pump and entering My courts through your praise and thanksgiving. Then get quiet before Me, relax your mind, ask Me to speak to you, and take the first thing that comes as from Me. Record it or write it down, and praise Me for My Words to you! (7)

If you love Me you will spend time with Me, and if you spend time with Me you will speak to Me, and if you speak to Me you will listen, and I will speak unto you and show you the way. And thus you can follow closely, ever so closely. (8)

I will continue to answer each question that you bring before Me, and give you the Words of guidance that you need, whenever you come to ask Me for them. For I love you, and I will hold nothing back from you, My beloved bride! (9)

You can hear from Me anytime, day or night. Be constantly ready, constantly available. Always keep your channel open and clean and strong by having your faithful Word time, prayer time, praise time, and time spent with Me in intimate lovemaking. Then you'll always be ready, like an athlete or a soldier is always ready because he or she has trained and toned and practiced each day. <sup>(10)</sup>

Hearing from Me for your work, for your priorities and regarding any questions you have is a habit, and you have to develop this good habit just as you have to develop any other good habit. It takes work, it takes reminders, it takes putting forth the effort, but pretty soon it becomes second nature--a whole lot easier. Then you hardly have to think about it anymore. <sup>(11)</sup>

My precious children of David, you have been given a great gift in this new weapon of prophecy. It's exactly what you need for the days ahead, and it will ensure your survival if you know how to use it correctly. But learning to use it takes time, faith, and practice. It takes being willing to use what you know in order to learn more. <sup>(12)</sup>

Everyone who wants to learn can learn. All those who stick with it will eventually become skillful and knowledgeable and able to defeat the Enemy in combat with this powerful weapon. And just as learning to wield your weapon is essential before going into combat, so is learning to become skilled and exercised in using your gift of prophecy in order to survive the days ahead. Just as someone wouldn't think of skipping that course before heading off to war, so you shouldn't even consider skipping the prophecy course, or think it's too complicated, if you're planning on being one of David's mighty men in the days to come! It's essential! Remember that, let it stick with you, and let it give you faith and encourage you that you're just learning--so stay open! Don't let the Enemy discourage you! You'll eventually graduate with honors if you stay humble and yielded and don't quit! <sup>(13)</sup>

These days are now the days of the voice of the Lord, the voice of My whispers, the strength of quietness and the power of weakness. No more will I allow the strength of the strong or the wisdom of the wise or the power of the mighty to rule, for those are the ways of defeat. But now the strength and power of My Word and the strength and the power of your weakness rules, and the strength and the power of My voice instructs, and the strength and the power of My Love empowers. These are the things that must rule in these days. <sup>(14)</sup>

## Go Slow and Be Prayerful!

(Dad speaking:) Hardly anything can be enjoyed in a hurry or accomplished in a hurry, and you'll not get very far if you're in a hurry. You've got to slow things down, and take time to listen to the Lord most of all. Anyone can run around a hundred miles an hour doing this and doing that, and never really get anywhere. But it takes mighty men and women of God to really stop, look, listen and go slow.

Look at all of the great men throughout history. Most of the ones who accomplished anything great or have gone down in the annals of history were those who spent time with the Lord and didn't run ahead of God. If you look in the Bible, you'll find that most of the great men of God were plodders, listeners and receivers. As a result, they really went places, did wonderful things, worked miracles, and were greatly used of the Lord!

The Lord's seldom ever in a hurry, except when He's dealing out His judgments to those who've been going so fast for so long that they've become totally deaf to His voice. It takes God time to make a butterfly, a sunset, a baby, a tree, a woman, a man, or a pretty flower. He's hardly ever in a hurry, so why should we be in a hurry? Why should we be too busy to take time to stop and ask the Lord about how we're doing things and the direction we're going? How come we're too busy to take the time to be prayerful and go slow?

If the great God of the universe takes His time to make a creature as small as a bumblebee, for example, then don't you think we should take a lesson from Him? If you go slow, beloved, you'll get there quicker. At least you'll get there, and you'll have time and energy to spare!

If you go slow, the Lord has time to show you things that you would have otherwise missed. If you're going slow, the Lord has time to speak to your heart and you have the time to listen.

So many folks think that the faster they go, the more they'll accomplish and the more efficient they'll be. What a joke! If you're going so fast and aren't taking the time with the Lord--little moments here and there to get His direction--you're bound to make mistakes and blow it! It's a fact! There's so much that the Lord can help you with, so many ideas that He can pass on to inspire you and make your work run more smoothly and efficiently, if you'll just take the time and go slow enough to listen.

You don't have to have major prophecy sessions about every little decision you make. They have their time and place, but it's just not physically possible to be stopping for half an hour or an hour every five minutes. All you have to do is take a moment to

shoot up a quick prayer to the Lord and ask Him if there's anything that He has to tell you about what you're doing or working on.

Or if you're faced with a little decision, just ask Him! He'll always give you something--a verse, a phrase, a song, or a short message of instruction. It's not difficult at all. It's not hard to do. You just have to go a little slower and be a little more prayerful, a little more in tune with the Lord and His whispers from beyond.

If you take time to go slow and be prayerful and careful in everything you do, then the Lord will miraculously speed up all of your work and help you to get your tasks completed in record time. If you're seeking Him and acknowledging Him each step of the way, it's almost impossible to make a mistake, and you'll end up getting the job done much quicker. Whereas if you try to speed things up in the flesh and are zooming around like a chicken with your head cut off, the Lord's going to have to do some things to slow you down and show you Who's Boss! He'll have to do some things to show you that you can't do it on your own, and that you need His help, inspiration, ideas and strength.

It's a funny thing, this "go slow" versus "go fast" business. The Enemy makes you think that you have to go as fast as you can if you want to get everything done that needs to be done. But the Lord says to go slow and be prayerful, because that's the only way you'll be accurate and in line with Him. If you're going too fast, the Lord will often allow you to make mistakes, lose things, or make a big blow-it, so that you'll slow down and hold your horses.

He doesn't like yelling, and if you're not going slow and taking the time to acknowledge Him and hear from Him each step of the way, then you're not going to hear what He has to say. He's not going to yell above the hubbub and confusion all around you. His voice is quiet and meek and is drawn to those who are taking time to listen to His guidance and direction. He is nigh unto those who are humble, those who are meek, those of a broken heart and a contrite spirit, those who are being prayerful and going slow.

Sure, you may get some things done in the arm of the flesh. You may accomplish some tasks on your own without the help of the Lord. But you'll never know what a relief it is to have His help, His instruction, His peace and His solutions until you slow things down and give Him time.

In the long run you'll end up saving time by being more prayerful and taking a minute here and a minute there to check in with your Boss. He'll save you from having to backtrack and redo your work. He'll save you from having to go and pick up the broken pieces, the mistakes that you would have made if you hadn't been going slow and listening to Him most of all.

It's so important to stay prayerful and acknowledge the Lord in all your ways, and you can't really be prayerful unless you're going a little slower. If you're running around like a maniac, then it's impossible to be prayerful. You have to be both prayerful and careful, otherwise mistakes will be made and you'll end up wearing yourself out. If you're continually living in the fast lane, you're going to wear out fast and you're certainly not going to be able to be in tune with the Lord or get His directions.

It's like running a marathon versus sprinting. If you exert a massive amount of energy in one spurt, you won't be able to last long. Those sprinters can only keep up a certain speed for a certain amount of time, whereas the marathon runners pace themselves and can run for miles and miles, hours and hours, and really get somewhere. So you would do well to take a little tip from the marathon runners.

If in your life for the Lord you pace yourself more prayerfully, and do the jobs and tasks that He's given you more prayerfully and slowly, then you're not going to get tired out nearly as fast. You'll end up making so much more progress in the long run.

The Lord's more than willing to give you the help, direction, answers, tips and guidance that you need--even in the very smallest details, tasks, and jobs. He's able to help you if you're going slow enough and being prayerful enough to listen to what He has to say.

He's more concerned about His work than you are, and He's interested in getting the greatest return on His investments. That's why it's so important that you take the time to listen to the Boss and be aware of Him. He's the best Trainer and Boss in the world, and He knows how to run His business. He knows what He wants done and He knows the most efficient way to do it, so listen to Him and be prayerful and careful all the time! That's the best timesaving efficiency tip I could ever give you.

Go slow and be prayerful in all things, both great and small, and you're bound to get a raise. You'll get a raise in the spirit! Your spirit will be raised, because you'll find yourself less frazzled and drained! You'll find yourself having to retrace your steps less and less. You'll find yourself having to pick up the broken pieces less and less.

You'll find yourself getting more and more things right than wrong as you follow the Lord's leadings. You'll be accomplishing more. You'll be saving more time and energy than ever before--with some to spare! So are you with me on this one? Go slow! You'll get there quicker! Amen? <sup>(15)</sup>

## Take Time to Hear from the Lord Each Day

Start your day off right by hearing from Me in prophecy first thing. The first chance you get at the beginning of the day, hear from Me and allow Me to set the order of your day. Remember, how you do it isn't what matters as much as actually doing it. It's doing it that counts. Next, you can't just hear from Me once at the beginning of the day and then forget about Me the rest of the time; you've got to keep coming to Me every time something new comes up. And lastly, don't forget to spend some special personal time loving Me and communing with Me sometime during your day. I'm always here waiting for you; it's up to you to make the move. So please don't forget Me or be too busy for Me. I'm waiting for you! <sup>(16)</sup>

You can't afford not to get up early and get that time with Me. Otherwise, you'll be operating in the realm of your own wisdom, your own experience and your own spirit, rather than My wisdom, and the experience I can give through My direct voice. With the gift of prophecy, I and your spirit helpers are working for you while you're taking time with Me in the early morning before the day starts. <sup>(17)</sup>

When you hear from Me each day you'll find that it renews your spirit, strengthens your resolve, and clarifies your vision. It helps you to know what your priorities are, and then you don't have to worry or wonder if you are doing the right thing. You'll know that you are doing the right thing, because you've asked and you've received by faith, and you're just obeying. <sup>(18)</sup>

It's very, very important that you find the time to hear from Me and from My messengers. It's imperative that you take time at My feet daily. It's of utmost importance that you lay aside your plans for the day, and that you sit and hear from Me for the morning. Don't be afraid that others will think that you're slacking off or not getting your job done, because you're doing what's most important, and hearing from Me is part of your work. Hearing My Words from Heaven is a part of your service to Me, so don't neglect this time. <sup>(19)</sup>

You must be more militant about having this vital time with Me each day, to sit down and receive My personal words for you. You must be more militant to receive the personal things I want to tell you, for in so doing, in taking proper care of your own walk with Me, you will be able to better serve others. It all works hand in hand.

I know your heart and that you desire to do that which pleases Me, but Lethargy



seeks to trip you up by telling you that you don't have enough time for personal time with Me. It will require a daily, consistent effort to make sure you have this time. You must fight for this time. You must make it a priority to seek enough of My answers and direction for you personally. You must take a militant stand, call on the keys, and create this habit without fail. Start today to have renewed commitment in this area. Don't let these opportunities pass you by, and you will see definite positive results. <sup>(20)</sup>

Take time every day to hear from Me, to get the general counsel and the specific answers I have. Make it a habit to have daily counseling time with Me, daily conversations, daily teamwork meetings--and things will go a lot more smoothly, but especially a lot more quickly.

You can hear from Me anytime, day or night. Be constantly ready, constantly available. Always keep your channel open and clean and strong by having your faithful Word time, prayer time, praise time, and time spent with Me in intimate lovemaking. Then you'll always be ready, like an athlete or a soldier is always ready because he or she has trained and toned and practiced each day. <sup>(21)</sup>

I love to speak to you. I love to whisper words of love in your ears, as well as words of counsel and guidance that help the problems around you melt away. I know it takes time and effort and a lot of faith to hear from Me, but it's so worth it. Not only do you benefit from My answers and counsel and instruction, but I also benefit through your spending time with Me. It makes Me so happy; it's these times with you that I treasure. <sup>(22)</sup>

(Dad speaking:) Taking the time to pray more and seek the Lord about things will help to alleviate a lot of the pressure in people's lives, because it sort of opens up that pressure valve as you pour out your heart and your questions to the Lord and seek Him for the answers. But if you don't take the time to talk to the Lord, to pray and hear from Him in prophecy and get His answers to your needs, then you continue to carry all that pressure and stress inside, and it becomes a real burden in your life.

So whatever you do, don't cut back on your quiet time with the Lord and your personal Word time, because that's the main thing that will keep you sane and help you to avoid the much greater feeling of stress and pressure that the Enemy would love to pile on you. You just have to keep coming to the Lord daily, regularly, unburdening your heart and casting all your cares upon Him and listening to His voice. <sup>(23)</sup>

You cannot do it in your own strength, you cannot figure it out in your own reasoning. For it is not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit speaking to you and through you, telling you what you shall do. If you shall take this time with Me, I will speak to you and you shall hear a voice behind you saying, 'This is the way, walk ye in it. Do this. Go here and do that.' I long to tell you the answers if you'll just stop and listen. And if you will do this, your way shall be prosperous and you shall have great success. <sup>(24)</sup>

As the dark days ahead come upon the Earth as a strong storm, so must you at that time know how to communicate with Me, how to hear My voice. You must learn and know how to hear the whispers of My Spirit in your ears. The way for you to learn this is to spend time with Me in the bed of love listening to Me.

And you must let Me kiss you with My Words, even the Words of David. For within the Words is great power and great strength. For within them is My voice, and within them is My Love, and within them is My strength and My power. But you must take time to let Me love you through these Words, to let me strengthen you through these Words.

You must let Me whisper unto you Words for these days. You must hear from Me fresh day by day. You must learn to rejoice at My voice as you would rejoice at the voice of your lover, and you must take time for My caresses and My Love. <sup>(25)</sup>

As the days ahead grow darker and darker and more evil, so must you have the light of God to lead you in the way. As the world becomes more complicated, so must You have Me to get you through the maze of these complications; and you must seek Me and seek My guidance and My direction and My help. Seek My light, for I can show you things that you cannot see with your eye because of the darkness. But with My light I can show you many things that you know not. And the world will marvel at your wisdom, at your knowledge, at your understanding, if you will but seek Me and hear from Me. <sup>(26)</sup>

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