

PREPARING FOR THE SUPERNATURAL MOVE OF GOD

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DAY 1 – UNDERSTANDING BIBLE PROPHECIES

A great supernatural move of God is coming, and it will come through the Church which operates in faith as described in the book of Ephesians. It will unite the former and latter works of the Holy Spirit; so be patient until the coming of the Lord. Some Bible prophecies have not yet come to pass, but the Scripture gives instructions about believing prophecies and praying that the prophecies will happen—including some modern-day prophecies.

STUDY IT

- I. A great move of God is coming. It will be supernatural, because God is a supernatural God, and His Body, the Church, is supernatural.
 - We believe the time has come for the change of an age.
 - Things that were previously unseen will come into the natural realm during this coming supernatural move of God.

- II. The description of the supernatural, glorious Church is in the book of Ephesians. To become like this description, the Church will have to use faith.
 - The Church will be glorious—loved by Christ, not having any spot or wrinkle, holy and without blemish—that Christ will present to Himself (Ephesians 5:25-27).
 - Faith is like the fuse that ignites the dynamite. We must use faith.
 - We are called “faith people,” because we believe that we have to use faith to access the things of God.

- III. Some Bible prophecies have not yet come to pass.
 - Ezekiel’s prophecies against the nations have not been completely fulfilled (Ezekiel 38-39).
 - Zechariah’s whole book contains prophecies, and not all have happened.

- IV. The Bible gives instructions about believing prophecies and praying that the prophecies will happen.
 - Paul told Timothy to believe what was prophesied and to “war” spiritually to bring those prophecies to pass (1 Timothy 1:18).
 - Elijah prophesied it would rain; then he prayed for the rain—to fulfill the prophecy (1 Kings 18:41-45).

- V. You can have confidence in some modern-day prophecies.
- If you are familiar with the prophet, and he or she has been proven to be accurate.
 - Then, you can pay attention to the prophecy and pray about its fulfillment.
 - Our faith causes us to pray with confidence that the prophecy will happen.
- VI. The coming move of God will unite the former and latter works of the Holy Spirit; so be patient until the coming of the Lord.
- The coming of the Lord must be preceded by the work of the husbandman, the farmer, who is God, the Father (James 5:7-8).
 - God must reap the precious fruit, which are souls who will be born again.
 - The fruit won't be ready until the former and the latter rains come together.
 - Rain is a type of the Holy Spirit.
 - The former rain began to pour on the Day of Pentecost when the believers were filled with the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:1-4).
 - The latter rain began in the early 1900s when the Holy Spirit began to pour out at the church on Azusa Street in Los Angeles, Calif.
 - We are going to have both demonstrations of the Holy Spirit at the same time...plus more! That will usher in the coming of the Lord.
 - You must look and prepare for this move of God.

Additional scriptures: Acts 8:36-40; 2 Corinthians 5:7; John 15:1; Acts 2; Joel 2:28-32

MAKE IT PERSONAL

The early and the latter outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the earth will cause people to seek to know the Lord. Write what you will say to someone who wants to become a Christian.

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DAY 2 - OUR AUTHORITY IN THE HEAVENLIES

God has a plan for the end-time church, and Christians should walk in their authority as believers and pray for God's plan to come to pass. The early and latter rains of the Holy Spirit will happen at the same time during this coming great move of God. Modern-day prophets will prophesy and specific prophecies will be fulfilled.

STUDY IT

- I. God-appointed and God-anointed modern prophets of God will give messages about future events that correspond with what is taught in God's Word.
 - Every prophecy you hear must be verifiable from God's Word.
 - Kenneth E. Hagin was a true prophet confirmed by Billye Brim and Gloria Copeland.
 - The purpose of all the signs and wonders from God is to bring many people to salvation, just like when Jesus told Peter to let down his fishing net, and the catch of fish was so large it almost broke the nets (Luke 5:4-11).

- II. The early and latter rains of the Holy Spirit will happen at the same time during this great move of God.
 - Circle teaching begins with a point, gives more information and then circles back to the original point.
 - If something starts with and ends with the same thought, in the Hebrew language it is a complete thought—this is circle teaching.
 - James 5:7-8 is an example of a circle teaching scripture. It contains a clue about the Holy Spirit's role in the coming of the Lord.
 - Verse 7 begins with "the coming of the Lord," and verse 8 ends with "the coming of the Lord." This is a complete thought.
 - Step 1: The Lord is coming.
 - Step 2: The husbandman, the Father, waits for the precious fruit of the earth (John 15:10).
 - Step 3: The Father is patient until the coming of the early and latter rain.
 - The earth is going to produce a precious fruit. The Father's waiting for the fruit, and the fruit is souls. This big bumper crop is not going to come in until it gets the early and the latter rain together.
 - Step 4: Be patient and establish your hearts in the Lord as you wait for the early and latter evidences of the Holy Spirit working supernaturally.

- Step 5: The Lord will come.
- The rain is a type of the Holy Spirit. The early rain began on the Day of Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4, 16-18). The latter rain began at the Azusa Street revival in Los Angeles, Calif. in the early 1900s. Each of these moves of God changed the world. Now, at the last days, the early and latter rains are going to happen at the same time.

III. Specific prophecies will be fulfilled in the last days.

- The glory of the Lord will be seen.
- Believers will use their God-given authority to minister healings and miracles.
- The glory of God will appear as fire and will be seen on and in churches.
- There will be more revelations about faith.
- Demons will be cast out.

IV. The understanding of the believers' authority gives us an aggressive position toward evil and the curse.

- Some Christians began to preach and teach the revelation of the authority a believer has through the power of God.
- Believers found out we have authority over the curse and everything in it: lack, poverty, sickness, and all things that are against God's Word. We literally have authority over the devil and circumstances.
- Kenneth E. Hagin wrote a book about our authority, *The Believer's Authority*.
- John A. MacMillan also wrote a book, *The Authority of the Believer*.
- Authority and power are a gift to the believer from God. Several words in the New Testament are translated as "power."
 - One of them is *dunamis* which is like dynamite power.
 - Another one is *exousia* which is authority. It is understood by the concept of a policeman who cannot stop traffic, but his authority gives him the right and power to even stop a large truck.
 - We don't have the power to stop the devil, but we have something powerful behind us. We have authority given in the Name of Jesus, by the blood of Jesus.
- We should pray for God's plan for the Church according to Ephesians 1:17-2:10.
- Find out what belongs to you and then take your authority over it.

Additional scriptures: Joel 2:28-32; Revelation 12:12; Luke 14:23

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Pray with us:

*Heavenly Father, teach us to pray with authority to bring Your will into the earth.
Thank You, in Jesus' Name, Amen.*

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DAY 3 – WHAT TO PRAY EVERY DAY

Christians have authority over Satan and his demons. We can exercise that authority every day by praying the prayer of authority God gave Paul in Ephesians 1:17-2:10. God made Christ the Head of all things, and we are to skillfully use His authority to rule and reign in life.

STUDY IT

- I. Christians have authority over Satan and his demons.
 - The Church has the right and authority to cast out demons, and that is happening now more than ever.
 - We have a ministry in this earth and authority at the throne of God.
 - It is our responsibility to use our spiritual authority to keep Satan and his demons away from our families, our geographical areas and our spheres of influence.
- II. God gave a prayer of authority to Paul in Ephesians 1:17-2:10, and it will work for you, too.
 - Make the prayer personal and pray it every day.
 - God wants you to have a spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him.
 - He wants you to know about three things:
 - The hope of His calling
 - The riches of His glory in our inheritance.
 - The exceeding greatness of God's power to us who believe.
 - When God made Jesus, the Head of the Church, alive, He made the body alive, also.
 - When God raised and seated Jesus, He raised and seated all believers.
 - We have been made to share in authority with Christ.
 - God raised us up to sit with Christ in heaven, on the right hand of the Father.
 - Jesus is the Head of the Church, and the Church is the Body of Christ.
 - God placed everything under Christ's feet and gave it to the Church.
 - God is rich in mercy, and He loves us with a great love.
 - God saved us by grace through faith.
- III. God is working on His purpose that He formed before the ages. He created all things through Jesus Christ, and He intends for Jesus to be the head and have the fullness of all things.



- God has a purpose, and it is His plan to reveal His purpose to men, so they will know the great expanse of the wisdom of God (Ephesians 3:9-11).
- God wants to raise His people up so they are exercising their authority and reigning as kings.
- Our prayer is that we will be trained to attain the full stature of Christ.
- God put all things under Christ's feet—we are in His Body, so all things are under us.

IV. As we walk in the Spirit, we have a life in heaven. Take your seat with Christ, thank Him, and bind the forces of darkness.

- Say to the devil, "I take authority over you. I plead the blood of Jesus over you. You can't touch me or mine."
- Satan cannot stop us, because we have God's authority.

Additional scriptures: 2 Corinthians 4:4; Romans 5:17 *AMPC*; Colossians 1:13;
Hebrews 4:13

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Write your own personal prayer of authority for your family members based on Ephesians 1:17-2:10.



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DAY 4 - CALLED TO BE THE GLORIOUS CHURCH

Christians are called to be the glorious Church as outlined in the book of Ephesians. We must understand all the Bible is written *to* the Church, but not all the Bible is *for* the Church. You will discover God's plan for your life as you put His Word first place and seek Him.

STUDY IT

- I. Get to know God's Word. Give it first place in your life, and get to know God's plan for you.
 - You need to get with God and find out His plan for your path and the place He has for you.

- II. All the Bible is written *to* the Church, but not all the Bible is *for* the Church.
 - You must respect the integrity of God's Word.
 - Know that the Word is God talking to you.
 - God wrote down His thoughts, so we could walk according to the light of His Word.
 - If you walk this way, you will have blessings from God.
 - The Church should be filled with the fullness of God.
 - What is the Church called to? (Ephesians 1)
 - We are called to the glory, to be a glorious Church (2 Thessalonians 2:13-14).
 - We are to be partakers of the divine nature. We are called to obtain the glory of the presence of God (2 Peter 1:3).
 - Be renewed in the spirit of your mind (Ephesians 4:23-24).
 - Walk in love toward one another (Ephesians 5:1-2).
 - You are now in the Lord, so walk in the light of the Lord (Ephesians 5:8).

- III. The book of Ephesians is the book for the Glorious Church.
 - Chapters 1-2-3 are filled with the highest spiritual truths of God.
 - Chapter 1: God raised Jesus from the dead, made Him alive, put all things under His feet and gave Him to be the Head of all things.
 - Chapter 2: When God made Jesus alive, He also made us alive.
 - Chapter 3: Direction about the power of understanding love (Ephesians 3:19).



- Chapters 4-5-6 give an understanding of how you walk in the truths in the previous chapters. The Hebrew word is *Halacha*, meaning “how you walk in it.”
 - Ephesians 4 gives instruction on how to follow God’s truths as presented in Chapters 1-2-3.
 - Chapter 5 instructs us to walk worthy, walk in love and walk in the light.
 - God’s Word is light. As you read and think about what He says, you will be successful as you walk with God, listen to Him and begin to think His thoughts (Psalm 119:105).

Additional scriptures: Ephesians 1-2-3-4-5-6; 2 Thessalonians 2:13-14; 2 Peter 1:3-4

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Choose three scriptures from Ephesians chapters 3-4-5 that tell you how to walk in obedience to God. Write them here:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____





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DAY 5 – WALK IN THE LIGHT OF GOD'S WORD

To be involved in the coming supernatural move of God, we must put Him first in every area of our lives, and walk in His love and the light of His Word. God desires that you partner with Him in prayer to communicate and to pray for His perfect will to be done.

STUDY IT

- I. To be a part of the coming move of God, we must put God's Word first and live like He tells us to.
 - We will see the “glorious Church” as described in the book of Ephesians in this great move of God (Ephesians 5:25-27).
 - To cooperate and to participate in that move of God, requires us to live like God's Word tells us to live.
 - We must spend time reading and thinking about God's Word, so that He becomes “big” in us and begins to shine through us in our actions and attitudes.

- II. To live according to God's Word, we must walk in His love and His light.
 - The way you put on Christ and put on the “new man” is to allow yourself to be matured in love (Ephesians 5:1-2).
 - Meditate on and conform yourself to the “love” chapter (1 Corinthians 13).
 - Allow the love of God to fill your heart (Romans 5:5).
 - You have the light of God within you, so walk in the light. To do that, you must know God's Word (Psalm 119:105).
 - You know you're walking in God's light when you keep His commandments—you do what He says.
 - Obey God by: walking in love, living a life like Jesus, loving one another and walking in God's light.

- III. God wants to enter into a fellowship, a partnership, with you.
 - John's testimony was: We saw Jesus, we heard Him, we knew Him, and we're telling you so you can have fellowship with the Father (1 John 1:1-3).
 - In other words, so that you can have fellowship with the Father as a partner, in communication with your partner, and when the time comes, share in the profits of that partnership (1 John 1:1-3, *AMPC*).



- For you to work with God in partnership, here's the message: God is light and in Him is no darkness at all.
 - Some people walk in the light of God, and walk with God. They have fellowship not only with God, but also with each other. And, the blood of Jesus continually cleanses them from all sin (1 John 1:7).
- If you believe God is dark in any way, you cannot fellowship or partner with Him.
 - Some people live their lives in sin and darkness, yet say they are living in fellowship with God. They are lying (1 John 1:6).
 - The people who walk in darkness and insist they are walking with God deceive themselves and are not speaking the truth.
 - There's hope for them. All they have to do is to confess their sin to the Lord, and He is faithful and just to forgive and cleanse them from all unrighteousness (1 John 1:8-9).
 - Repentance means literally to "turn around." The Jews have a powerful picture of repentance. It's a picture of someone walking almost to the edge of a cliff, and when he or she repents (turns around), he or she is forgiven by God and doesn't fall into eternal separation from God.

IV. Partner with God in prayer to communicate with Him and to pray His will into the earth.

- Prayer is a large part of partnership and is the communication avenue for God to get His light into the earth.
- Every move of God in the earth begins with someone praying.

Additional scriptures: Ephesians 4:1, 17, 5:11

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