

## BE IN THE WORLD, NOT OF IT

Father, we, your children, your sons, your bride, we who you have created and called, we have been having a tough time. Lord, I ask that you bring abundance for you are a God of abundance. I ask for abundance of time, money, properties, family, health, life, fruitfulness of all that we touch....Lord abundance in everything for we are the children and family, the chosen bride of the Lord God Almighty who is the Creator of everything. Lord, abundance of freedom and the complete breaking of every evil spirit that has us in bondage and despair. Freedom in our health and wealth. Lord, open the storehouses of heaven and release all that you have. Lord, open your storehouses and release upon your people vision and hearing, smelling and taste, and feeling your heavenly realm. Lord, teach us to walk in our authority of who we are in you, but Lord, let us realize just who you are in a mighty way. In Jesus' name, amen.

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I thought I would inquire of the Lord about a subject that many are asking at one point or other in their life (at least in this century). "Lord, why can't I win the lottery. I promise I will be good with the money."

I have asked that question many times myself and never once gotten an answer...except for the time I was given the numbers but could not get out to buy the ticket in time. It was right after surgery and I was not walking fast. That ticket cashed in on those exact numbers at \$3 Million. Not only did the Lord know that I would not get there in time but I am very sure he thoroughly enjoyed my panic.

So this time, repeating the same old prayer and promise I was shown a vision. Once again I lost the argument with the Lord...I lose so many of them.

He showed me His kingdom.... a place where there is no want, where there is tremendous provision and abundance, and there is no such thing as currency. There is no money.

My only argument was, "But Lord, it takes money to make the world go round."

At that point, the Father looked at me and I was not sure if He was chastising me with a smile or it was a smile telling me not to be so silly and one-dimensional. But I knew instantly that it was Lucifer who created this burdensome system. He created commerce, debt, poverty, etc. and it is under his rule we labor. However, we can step out of his influence only if we aren't afraid. This is a tremendously deep-seated fear that must be addressed.

I argued this point, but again, I lost. I was immediately shown the vision of Jesus in need of local currency... the currency of Lucifer's realm... to pay the imposed taxes. He simply pulled a coin out of a fish's mouth.

Was Jesus something special? Yes and no. Yes, He was the son of God and no, He was like you and me...one of the masses. But He did understand the principles of the Father. I had never seen Him before in this light. I have always thought He depended on others to support Him (basically like every ministry does). But I now see it in a different light.

He walked around not in Lucifer's realm, although He lived here, but in God's realm all the time. He lived in the currency of God's realm – forgiveness and mercy, love and honor.... – and in that realm, everything for Him was supplied. And when Lucifer piped up and said, to be here you have to pay a tax, He simply provided one out of the mouth of a fish. This brings a whole new understanding to the phrase “BE IN THE WORLD NOT OF IT.”

He lived a supernatural life in a natural world. He lived by the precepts and laws of the supernatural life which transcended the precepts and laws of this natural life. He was a citizen of heaven and a citizen of earth. He was a supernatural being in a natural body. And against such revelation and commitment, Lucifer has no hold.

So, as always, I have lost the argument of the lottery ticket and most likely will not bring it up again because I finally have the vision explaining my answer – money is not God's currency of His kingdom, and what kingdom do I want to live in – God's or Lucifer's?

Well, color me embarrassed that I didn't know that before and color me troubled because it requires a trainload of trust and faith to believe that God loves me so much that He would never want to see me in a position of less...less than my need...less than my requirement to accomplish my calling.

Which brings me to the next vision, the one that actually is for this newsletter.

I asked the Lord for the vision He would like me to send out for the New Year. He immediately showed me a man and a woman in a very intimate situation.

The love that flowed between the two was so strong it was visual... a reddish, misty hue embraced them. The vision continued for about an hour, finally the Lord told me, “This is the year ahead. I will enter into a deeper relationship with my people. We will know each other intimately. A deeper depth of relationship is the call for 2007. All who are willing to enter in, will be able to enter in. I will be a lover of my people.”

I am so looking forward to this year. It is a year of being with the Lord. It is a year of entering into such a dimension with Him that it is just the beginning of why we were created.

I have been told many times that “You were created for great things in the Lord.” This is absolutely true of all of us. We were created to be His bride. There is no greater calling anyone can have on their life...any of our lives. We will co-work with Him, but more, there is so much more, we will have a relationship with Him that is beyond what any of us can imagine.

Can you imagine that the one person who loves you CAN AND WILL create the moon for you, create the sun for you, create a flower that has never before existed... just for you, create a new galaxy in your favorite shade of color, will spend absolutely forever doing things that please you because He loves you that much. Can you imagine being with such a PERFECT and WONDERFUL lover that He will admire and “ooooh” at everything you do.. He loves you that much. And the best part, the absolutely best part, is that we will love Him that much.

Full relationship. One in mind and spirit.

My heart soars as I find myself once again in the center of the universe, lying there listening to the unity of life...there is no "twang" or black mark, but every voice of every cell joins together in unity and love. It is so peaceful and enthralling it takes my breath away. We will be in that time. We will have that union. We will never again be lonely, hurt, sorrowful, or poor....we will reap the promises of the Beautides and the promises God Himself has made over and over again on our behalf.

Father, let it be on earth as it is in heaven. Lord, bring us to that place we were in before we sinned. Lord, cleanse us of our sin, of our disobedience, of our lack of love, for that is really the sum of sin – our lack of love for you, ourselves or your creation. Lord, give us this new year a revelation of you and who we are in you. Lord, not the preconceived ideas and ideology that we have learned from the pulpits, but a revelation right out of your heart. Father, it is time that our eyes were opened and our ears unstopped. Lord, for everyone who desires this relationship with you, I ask you now to do a mighty miracle on their behalf. Lord, I command the blind to see your face and the deaf to hear your voice, your heart beat. Lord, I command the rain come down from heaven and wash your people in and out. Father, cleanse our hearts for we repent of lack of fellowship with you, ourselves and others.

Father, Send your angels to protect us and minister to us. Let them whisper in our ears stories of your greatness and your mercy so our love increases and abounds. Father, give a revelation of sight and sound. In Jesus' name, amen.

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Well, that is January's newsletter. I hope you enjoyed it. I am still waiting for the vision regarding "Key to See" and when I get it...so will you!

I want to thank everyone for your letters. It greatly encourages me and makes me feel connected; like I have family and friends.

Thank you  
God bless you all  
Jessica