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Proverbs 29:18 KJV

Where there is no vision the people perish.

We need to become familiar with the blessing. How? By knowing what it will do, knowing what it is capable of producing in our lives.

We need to develop a vision for the good life that God has already prearranged for us; without it, we will perish.

God has given us the promised land, He has given us His blessing and He has given us His glory, but we must first see it through the eyes of faith because that is the only way we will ever acquire anything that He says He has planned for us.

Determine that wavering and giving up is not an option, then it will come to pass - the possession of the land, or whatever else it is that God wants you to have.

We ought not to be surprised that we have to go through obstacles and adversity on our way to Canaan, on our way to the promised land, on our way to the fulfilment of what God has promised us as a people.

In God's mind, we already possess what He promised us. Now it is just a matter of persisting and not allowing distractions to prevent us from laying hold of what God has promised.

We need to fight the devil that tries to steal the Word, with the Word. The Word is our Sword of the Spirit. We need to take the very Word that was sown into our hearts and resist him with it.

Get your dream out of the closet. If it has not come to pass yet, then God is not done yet. You need to ask yourself this question: Have I begun to settle for less than God's best? Have I allowed myself to get into a comfort zone? Am I unwilling to continue to stretch my faith?

I SAY:

I am blessed coming in. I am blessed going out.

I am the head and not the tail.

I am above and not beneath.

Everything I set these hands to do is blessed of God.

I know that I know that nothing is impossible with my God.

I am not letting the devil interfere or distract me from getting to where God wants me to go.

Psalms 31:19 KJV

Oh how great is thy goodness, which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee.

Psalms 31:19 means that God has goodness that we have never experienced yet. So much more goodness, so much more good things that He wants to do in my life that I have never experienced.

God has a liberal and unrestrained supply that is still to come. I have not experienced it all yet, but praise God, it has been laid up for me.

It gets way better than this!

This is how you do it - PRESS (Philippians 3:14).

To press means to set in motion, drive, push, follow, strive, push forward, aspire to, be zealously behind something, endeavour with zeal, to run swiftly in order to catch something, to seek after eagerly, earnestly, speed on earnestly, apply pressure.

God has already taken care of redemption and I believe He has already taken care of salvation, but my Bible says, be not a hearer of the Word only. Be a doer of the Word.

You have to press. If it was all just going to be handed to us, then every believer would be extremely blessed, prosperous, healthy and enjoying the good life.

Look at your neighbour and say, "I press." That simply means you do not ever quit. You just keep pressing. Amen.

The fact that you have determined to press, once again, does not mean that Satan is going to just lay down and roll over and play dead. The fact that you are pressing, you are just

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announcing to the devil that the fight is on. But you are stronger than him, in Christ! You have weapons that are not carnal but mighty to the pulling down of strongholds (2 Corinthians 10:4). God is on your side and not his.

I SAY:

I PRESS! I push forward for what God says is mine! I refuse to turn back. I refuse quit. I just keep pressing. I press on, no matter how impossible it may seem, I press on. No matter how long it takes, I press on. No matter what others might think or do, I press on. Even if no one else presses on with me, I press on. I keep pressing and I will experience the greatest breakthroughs and the greatest victories. You will show me Your glory!

I want to be there for the promised completion (Hebrews 10:23,39 MSG). What is the promised completion? He wants to show you His goodness.

God said, "Tell the people in this season of showing you My glory, I will not only show you signs and wonders and miracles, but I will also bring supernatural increase into your lives, such as you have never experienced before. In the past, it has been here a little and there a little, but now it is time for you to enter into the fullness. I have declared that My faithful ones shall flourish and they shall abound and I will surely bring it to pass. It is a new day, it is a new season and no man will be able to stop what I have planned for you. So believe it, expect it, and refuse to waiver and see if your Father, the Faithful One, shall not bring it to pass in your life. You will surely see that these are indeed days of glory, days of flourishing and days of abounding for the Mouth of The Lord has spoken it." Hallelujah!

2 Chronicles 20:20 ESV

Believe in the Lord your God and so shall you be established, believe His prophets and so shall you prosper.

I SAY:

Lord, I believe Your prophets and I will prosper.

You bring supernatural increase into my life such as I have never experienced before. I enter into the fullness of this.

It is a new day and no man shall be able to stop what You have planned for me!

I believe it!

I expect it!

I will surely see that these are indeed the days of glory, days of abounding and days of flourishing for me.

The Lord bless thee, do you receive it? The Lord keep thee, do you receive it? The Lord make His face shine upon thee, do you receive it? And be gracious unto thee, do you receive it? The Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace, do you receive it? Peace translated from the Greek means prosperity. God give you prosperity in the name of Jesus.

The just shall live by faith (Hebrews 10:38). We can't afford to take a holiday from faith. We need to just live it. We need to be taking every victory, praising God for it, and then go for the next one, making every one more impossible than the previous one. Because it is only God! Only God!

"I have found that there are three stages in every great work of God: First, it is impossible. Second, it is difficult. Third, it is done." It's for a people who stay in faith. It looks impossible, and it is, without faith. Then when they stay in faith, it only becomes difficult. Then, if they continue in faith, it is done.

I SAY:

God wants me to live a blessed life.

The blessing of the Lord is on His people. I am one of His people.

His blessing is on me and I expect it to manifest every day of my life in some shape and form.

I do my part by staying in faith. It does not come automatically, just because God said it. I press. I follow the vision. I do not waiver.

I keep my eyes on God's promise of the good life, therefore Satan will not keep me from possessing it.

I choose to live outside of my comfort zone. I can go from faith to faith and from glory to glory.

I don't allow my faith to lie dormant. I live by it, and by nature, I experience supernatural increase.

The Lord blesses me.

The Lord keeps me.

The Lord makes His face shine upon me.

The Lord is gracious to me.

The Lord lifts His countenance upon me and gives me peace.

Philippians 4:19 KJV

My God shall supply all your need according to his riches and glory by Christ Jesus.

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