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A Message by Dr. Joseph A. Webb

Who Needs Armor?

The more I travel and meet Christian believers across the U.S., the more amazed I become by their naïve and unrealistic attitude about what they feel their lives should be experiencing today. Many express fear about the things coming up politically, financially. socially, and Somewhere they were taught, to be Christians meant automatic success and financial abundance in circumstance every of Shouldn't God cause us to abound and prosper if we are His children? Where are all the promises of "opening the windows of heaven and pouring you out a blessing you cannot contain?" Why should Christians have to go through physical, emotional and financial problems? Something has got to be wrong here.

May I remind you; ALL ERROR IS TRUTH taken to an extreme. Have you ever noticed what verses we put on our refrigerator doors and sun visors? All PROMISES! Why? Because we are human and we are Americans. We are not behind the bamboo or

iron curtain, but the PLUSH curtain. We are God's favorite children!

When was the last time you heard a message about how Jesus called Saul of Tarsus into the ministry? Did Jesus tell Saul he would rule and reign kingdoms here on earth and prosper in everything he touched? Did Jesus tell Saul he would be well received when he preached the Gospel? NO! In Acts 9, Jesus told Ananias to go meet with Saul, who was blinded and dwelling in Damascus, to tell him "he is a chosen vessel, unto Me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel:" vs.16; "For I will show him how GREAT THINGS HE MUST SUFFER for My name's sake."

In John 15:18-20; Jesus warned His disciples: "If the world hate you, ye know that it hated Me before it hated you. If ye were of the world, the world would love his own; but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you OUT OF THE WORLD, therefore the world hateth you. Remember the word that I said unto you, The servant is not greater than his Lord. If they have persecuted Me, they will ALSO PERSECUTE YOU."

In I Corinthians 4; Paul was describing what it was like to be a bond slave of Jesus Christ: Vs. 9; "God hath set forth us the apostles LAST, as it appointed unto DEATH:" In Vs. 10 Paul says: "We are FOOLS for Christ's sake...we are WEAK... We are DESPISED." in Vs. 11; Paul says: "We both hunger, and thirst, and are naked, and are buffeted, and have no certain dwelling place." In Vs. 12; Paul says: "We LABOR, working with our own hands: being REVILED, ..Being PERSECUTED, WE SUFFER IT: Vs. 13; "Being DEFAMED, we are made THE FILTH OF THE WORLD, and are the OFFSCOURING of all things unto this day." Vs. 14; Paul explains why he tells you this: "I write not these things to shame you, but as my beloved sons, I WARN YOU." Then, in VS. 16, Paul concludes by saying: "BE YE **FOLLOWERS OF ME."**

YOU HAVE GOT TO BE KIDDING!
No, He is not kidding. In another
verse, Paul says: "FOLLOW ME
EVEN AS I FOLLOW CHRIST."
Christ was Paul's example: Paul
says his life should be OUR
EXAMPLE to follow.

Do you and I really know what suffering for Christ is all about? REALLY? I have actually had people tell me I must have sin in my life because so many people dislike me because of the message

I preach. "Why are you always stirring up controversy, Bro. Webb? You need to manifest more grace. You need to promote peace and acceptance so more people will love you and listen to you. You will NEVER have a large church by saying what you are saying."

In I Thessalonians 2:4- 6; Paul explains how he handled his calling by Jesus Christ. "But we were allowed of God to be put in trust with the gospel, even so we speak; NOT AS PLEASING MEN, BUT GOD, which TRIETH our hearts. For neither at any time used we flattering words, as ye know, nor a cloak of covetousness: God is witness: Nor of men sought we glory, neither of you, nor yet of others, when we might have been burdensome, as the apostles of Christ."

Does this indicate the apostle Paul as a man pleaser? A compromiser? A Mr. Congeniality? **QUESTION:** Who are YOU following? Why do we complain when people accost us for speaking the TRUTH? Remember: "Don't think it STRANGE if the world HATE YOU." Expect it and respond accordingly: In Luke 6:22-26: Jesus said: "BLESSED (Not miserable, not legalistic, not judgmental) but BLESSED are ve, when men shall HATE YOU, and when they shall SEPARATE YOU from their company, and shall REPROACH you, and CAST OUT YOUR NAME AS EVIL, for the Son of man's sake. REJOICE YE in that day, and LEAP FOR JOY: for, behold YOUR REWARD IS GREAT IN HEAVEN: for in like manner did their fathers unto the PROPHETS...WOE unto you, when ALL MEN SHALL SPEAK WELL OF YOU! for SO DID THEIR FATHERS *FALSE* PROPHETS." TO THE QUESTION: What kind of prophet do you want to be: True or False?

Please know; Paul warned us that men would "grow worse and worse and turn away from the truth, to men's misguided ideas and doctrines of demons." He also said: in II Timothy 3:12: "Yea, and ALL (NOT SOME: NOT A FEW) but ALL that will live godly in Christ Jesus SHALL SUFFER PERSECUTION."

Jesus did not call us to find our palm tree by the water and wait for his coming again. He said "OCCUPY till I come." "Put on the WHOLE ARMOR OF GOD, that ye might be able to stand against the WILES (Strategies, devises, schemes) OF THE DEVIL."

This is a WAR! There are two kingdoms. The Kingdom of darkness and the Kingdom of light. Jesus said: "I am the Light of the world." Before He ascended, He told his disciples; "Now ye are the

LIGHT OF THE WORLD." Don't hide your light under a bushel basket, but set it on a hill, so men can see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

There is such a need TODAY to get this covenant marriage message out! We need to believe God will fulfill His word to "turn the hearts of the fathers to the children and the hearts of children to their fathers," in these last days, Luke 1:17. We will never accomplish it if we refuse to wear the "whole armor of God;" ready to do battle every day.

When God chose His army for Gideon, he sent home those who were fearful and careless, and won the war against thousands with three hundred warriors. God is looking for truly fearless, careful, committed warriors today, to do battle for His truth.

Will you pray for us? Will you ask the Lord if you should join with us like never before. We have many projects planned to accomplish in 2013., As the Lord raises up those who will join with us to accomplish these goals, we will see many thousands of families healed and restored; not just in the U.SA., but around the world.

Maybe you have been reading our newsletters for years

and been challenged; but you have become involved never supporting this ministry. Others of you have supported us in the past, but conditions changed and you dropped your support. Would you pray and ask the Lord to give you the faith to withstand the attacks of those around you, and commit yourself to financially hold up our arms again, as we continue to do battle for the sanctity of the marriage covenant. Pat and I would love to hear from you this month.

God bless you:

Joe & Pat Webb



Dr. Webb

Holy remnants Joseph and Patricia Webb,family,The promises of God are "yes" in Christ and so through Him the "AMEN" IS SPOKEN BY US TO THE GLORY OF GOD!!! "The Ministry in you" is a letter from Christ to be written on people's hearts, known and soon will be read by everybody. GLORY BE TO GOD.

I must say that, You carry a Ministry within, not with ink, but by the Spirit of the Living God.

The Ministry in YOU will be more glorious because it brings righteousness!

I am praying that God will use your Ministry to radically touch people's lives as never before. This will come to pass very soon!!!

He will bring purpose and fulfillment to the Ministry in you and in your life with overflowing joy.

Truly, the Holy Spirit is your real motivator. He has equipped you to carry out this Divine assignment as to accomplish God's work in the end-times.

Thank you for your strong togetherness there and ever considering your time as "HIS TIME"

Holy remnants, I do not have any doubt in believing that your Ministry is one of the best things born to the body of Christ!

Your Ministry gives a new hope for ages.

Keeping focused will help you, face your future with faith.

" You are soon giving birth to this greatness Ministry of yours in the Lord."

"God is preparing you for an extra ordinary ministry that will bring revival in the end times oh holy remnants.

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Now, the world has been waiting for such a light to shine brighter and broader- the Ministries in you!

We confess that your Ministry is free and will be free indeed from any destructive attack of the enemy, in the name of the risen Christ.

In you is a great river of understanding, we feel this,- glory and honor is the Lord's. This time, God does make us a ready Body of Christ. He will teach us all of Holiness and He will perform that work in us. The Righteousness is ours for the taking! God has separated you from the beguiling whore who misleads the World by her many iniquities, luxuries, sensualities and sorceries. He has shut your eyes from evil and He has removed every image and idol. Every resemblance and fabrication of a likeness He has destroyed and will continue to destroy. He does separate the sheep and the goats by His Holy Light. How greatly we pray and repent so as to strengthen this perfect salvation in Christ Jesus the Lord, the Lamb of God. We have reached an undeniable crossroad that requires a radical response from the true Church of Jesus Christ. God will shake everything and every system until the only thing that remains is that which will not be shaken. Only Jesus Christ cannot and will not be shaken. It is not going to be any better for the World citizen, but for the Saints of God!!!

We will behold the love of God.

Holy remnants, Behold the love of God!

Pray for us in this crisis Blessings,

Abraham and family, Uganda, E. Africa >>>

A HISTORY OF MARRIAGE

by Dr. Joseph Webb

Over 3600 years ago, after forty years of faithfully leading Israel to the Promised Land; Moses preached his final sermon to the people. He concluded his teaching with a declaration of God's attitude toward His own people. In Deut. 30:19, 20; Moses said: "I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; Therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live: That thou mayest love the Lord thy God, and that thou mayest obey His voice, and that thou mayest cleave unto him; for he is thy life, and the length of thy days: that thou mayest dwell in the land which the Lord sware unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them."

At the same time Moses predicted Israel would turn away from the Lord and be destroyed, because they would refuse to hear His voice.

It is impossible in today's society to emphasize the importance of hearing and obeying God's voice for all the same reasons Moses listed before the nation of Israel. The United States has had more light than Moses ever had, and more Divine guidance from its founding fathers than any other nation in the history of mankind.

Jesus warned us: "A little leaven leaveneth the whole loaf: The sowing of tares will diminish the harvest. To understand why we are where we are today concerning the corruption of the covenant concept of the marriage, we must go back to find when the leaven was first planted.

Jesus and Paul clearly taught the permanence of the marriage covenant to all of the disciples. Every disciple clearly taught the same truth. For sixteen hundred years and up to about seventy five years ago, every Bible teacher clearly taught the sacredness of the marriage covenant.

In the early sixteenth century, Desiderius Erasmus, a Roman Catholic teacher, declared he disagreed with the Church's teachings and said; "someone needs to go back and REINTERPRET scripture." proceeded to do so and teach a distorted interpretation scripture, until he was stopped by the Roman Church. It was too late though, for Erasmus "laid the egg," and the Reformers hatched them.

Martin Luther, picked up Erasmus's teachings and said: "I don't submit to the Roman Church." and his first demonic, unprecedented decree was: "All divorce matters should be decided by CIVIL JUDGES AND MAGISTRATES, and not by the Church." By introducing this teaching, Luther re-wrote scripture to say: "What the State has joined together; the State can separate." As other reformers came along, they elaborated on this error until they said; "Incompatibility is ground for divorce, and the innocent party can remarry." These distortions are taught today as "the Traditional

Protestant View" and is taught in virtually every Protestant seminary as New Testament truth.

Moses tells us; God brought Eve unto Adam and said: "For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and cleave to his wife, and they shall be ONE FLESH. Whosoever therefore, God has joined together, no man may separate." The Reformers passed this divine authority to human, civil judges who began to redefine marriage according man's reasonings to desires. Thus; they have left the definition of marriage to the imagination of Civil leaders, who are now redefining it as any two persons, "so long as they both shall LOVE."

What is the fruit of this demonic teaching?

- 1. By age 30, three quarters of women in the U.S. have been married and about half have cohabited outside of marriage.
- 2. The probability of first marriage dissolution is substantially higher for women who did not grow up in a two-parent intact family.

3. 54% of divorced women remarry within 5 years and 75% remarry within 10 years.

ΑII of these facts illustrate Paul's description of the "Latter times." I Timothy 4: 1, 2; "Now the Spirit speaketh expressly (in specifically expressed words; distinct, clear words.), that in the LATTER TIMES some shall depart FROM THE FAITH, (genuine New Testament teachings) giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils. (As the serpent in the garden told Adam and Eve; "Hath God said?", so shall the enemy distort the teaching on covenant marriages.) Speaking LIES in HYPOCRISY, (Men and women playing the part of one speaking for God, when in reality, they are speaking lies.) having their conscience seared with a hot iron:"

In verse 16, Paul implores Timothy to: "Take heed unto thyself and unto the doctrine; continue in them: (DON'T CHANGE THEM.) For in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee."

Erasmus planted the poisonous seed; the Reformers watered and elaborated upon it, and the result has been the destruction of families; because this lie has now permeated the present day churches.

Should we take our marbles and give up? Should we succumb to the onslaught of angry people who do not want to hear this truth? Should we acknowledge we are in the minority and face REALITY??? NO! NO! Jesus asked if there would be "ANY FAITH when he returned". He also said: "OCCUPY. till I come." Paul said: "Ве ve steadfast, unmovable, ALWAYS abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as you KNOW your labor IS NOT IN VAIN IN THE LORD." He is coming again for those who, "Love appearing." Paul said in I John 3:3: "And everyone who hath THIS HOPE in him, PURIFIES HIMSELF, even as He is pure". Let me say again: we are either GOERS, OR SENDERS, DISOBEDIENT. We all are partakers in this harvest of souls. IF we profess Jesus Christ is Lord of our lives; We only have one option, Matt. 5:16: "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father, which is in heaven."

Many today are more committed а certain denomination or movement than they are to teaching all of the scriptures; but Jesus said: "By this shall ALL MEN know that you are my disciples; THAT YOU HAVE LOVE ONE FOR ANOTHER." I remember when the disciples came to Jesus and said: in Mark 9:38-40 "Lord these others are preaching and casting out demons in Thy name: Tell them to stop it: They don't belong to denomination."(my paraphrase) Jesus said: ' Forbid them not: for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me; For he that is not against us is on our part.". Dear heart: When we stand before Him; the LABEL will be gone. Only those who have repented of their sins and committed their lives to the Lordship of Jesus Christ will be there to receive their reward. The Kingdom of God is larger than our group. Do we all have the same conscience? No. Some have weak and some

have strong consciences. Paul warned us not to use our consciences to judge each other. Let me ask you one question before we try to defend our personal opinion or doctrine. The group you or I Do we have belong to: representatives of our group in EVERY nation, EVERY tribe; and EVERY tongue? This is a very important question. If you or I have ALL the truth and anyone else who disagrees with us won't make it; We have a real with problem scripture. Revelation 7:9 tells us: "After this I beheld, and lo, a great multitude, which no man could number of ALL nations, and kindreds, and people, tongues, stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, CLOTHED WITH WHITE ROBES, and palms in their hands; and cried with a loud voice, saying, Salvation to our God which sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb." QUESTION: IF YOU or I HAVE ALL THE TRUTH; how did all the rest of them get to come before the throne with us? Did they climb up by some other method or way? Are they the ones Jesus spoke of when He said in John 10:1: "He that entereth not by the door

into the sheepfold, but climbeth up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber." Or do you suppose we could have some SOME precious truths that others don't have, but they have still made Jesus Christ Lord of their lives and serve him in Spirit and in truth; trying to serve the Lord as best they know how? May God help us to see" the harvest is great, but laborers FFW". the are Separate sheep from goats; but not sheep from sheep!

Are you supporting God's laborers, or just your select group of laborers? May God help us to lift up the arms of any we see honoring God's word and trying to snatch souls out of the fires of hell, before it is too late. May God help us examine our hearts anew and ask Him to show us which servants we are to encourage in their labor for the Lord.

The poison is in the Church and only the Truth will set people free to love and serve Him. Do you believe the marriage message needs to be lifted up in the Church? Are you a part of the problem, or a part of the solution? "Let those who have eyes and ears see and hear

what the Spirit desires to say to THE CHURCH" today.

By getting the true marriage message out, we have chance to reestablish marriages around the world and restore godliness in the midst of a godless world. If you believe this message about covenant marriage, then become a part of all we are doing. Join many others who faithfully finance our efforts every month and pray for fruit. You must KNOW He wants you to be a part of our support system, and then respond accordingly. God bless you as you pray and seek His face about this vital message and AMEN! ministry. Joseph Webb >>>



Points to Ponder:

I quote one of our Founding Fathers, John Adams, "Facts are stubborn things; and whatever may be our wishes, our inclinations, or the dictates of our passions, they cannot alter the state of facts and evidence."



In Psalm 12:6; we find the "facts" about God's word. "The words of the Lord are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times." The Living Bible adds: "He speaks NO careless words."

If you and I only speak the Word, and not our own opinions, the enemy is totally disarmed, with no lasting authority in anything he speaks. After we have spoken what the Word says, the rest is up to the Holy Spirit. Let's be people of the word! >>

WHAT A WONDERFUL WAY TO EXPLAIN IT!!!

A sick man turned to his doctor as he was preparing to Leave the examination room and said,

'Doctor, I am afraid to die. Tell me what lies on the other side..'

Very quietly, the doctor said, 'I don't know..'

'You don't know? You're, a Christian man.

And you, don't know what's on the other side?'

The doctor was holding the handle of the door:

On the other side came a sound of scratching and whining, And as he opened the door, a dog sprang into the room

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And leaped on him with an eager show of gladness.
And when the door opened, he sprang in without fear.
'Did you notice my dog?
He's never been in this room

before. He didn't know what was inside..

Then Turning to the patient, the doctor said,

He knew nothing except that his master was here,

I know little of what is on the other side of death, But I do know one thing...

I know my Master is there and that is enough.' >>>



Failure to communicate!

A judge was interviewing a woman regarding her pending divorce, and asked, "What are the grounds for your divorce?"

She replied, "About four acres and a nice little home in the middle of the property with a stream running by."

"No," he said, "I mean what is the foundation of this case?"

"It is made of concrete, brick and mortar," she responded.

"I mean," he continued, "What are your relations like?"

"I have an aunt and uncle living here in town, and so do my husband's parents."

He said, "Do you have a real grudge?"

"No," she replied, "We have a two car carport and have never really needed one."

"Please," he tried again, "is there any infidelity in your marriage?"

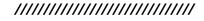
"Yes, both my son and daughter have stereo sets. We don't necessarily like the music, but the answer to your questions is yes."

"Ma'am, does your husband ever beat you up?"

"Yes," she responded, "about twice a week he gets up earlier than I do."

Finally, in frustration, the judge asked, "Lady, why do you want a divorce?"

"Oh, I don't want a divorce," she replied. "I've never wanted a divorce. My husband does. He said he can't communicate with me".



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