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- realizing the power of a life in Christ-

Truths of God and Life

We are amazingly close to the return of Jesus. We are also living in a very confused nation and world, but that is in line with Biblical prophecy as to this time in history.

With that as a base, rather than focus on one issue, I have chosen to pass on in this newsletter some absolute truths that I have learned/received. They have come from study and prayer and meditation, from direct revelation in various ways, and even at times through others. Never underestimate the value of what God might say to you through others.

You may have to think and meditate on some of these awhile. As I always say, check it all out with the Bible. And as I always say as well, you can't usually receive deep truths by just sitting and listening. You have to pray and meditate. God said, "you will find me when you seek me with all your heart." That does not mean a couple minutes of reading. It means real seeking, real effort, over and over again. Even crying out to God for guidance, for answers. He also says, "call out to me and I will answer you and will show you great and mighty things you do not know." Well, do that. Don't just sit there and grow old and miss God and die. The things of this world are astoundingly insignificant and valueless. Get on to real truths, real value.

I list some here in no particular order.

1. **It is all about Jesus. Absolutely. Without Jesus, no forgiveness, no eternal life, no freedom from curses and demons. If you do not know this, you know nothing. Jesus took all your sins upon himself and suffered the punishment for you so that you might be forgiven and have eternal life with him and His Father. That's it. If you don't know Jesus you are lost. So get busy.**
2. **We just don't know everything. There is a spiritual world and a physical world. The spiritual world created the physical world, our world. We – and only a few at that – see only a tiny bit into that spiritual world. I am always seeking revelation from God. One especially close time of prayer and fellowship with Jesus, I heard Jesus say, "John, you will know a lot, but you will never know everything." We just won't, at least not here on earth. We do not know what is going on in that spiritual world. We have clues from the Bible and from prayer and Holy Spirit guidance, but we do not fully know. We have to be satisfied with that, and the realization that any God that would come into his own creation as Jesus and suffer so horribly for us is indeed interested in us, loves us, and will treat us just as he says.**

3. **All physical creation – and for that matter all spiritual creation – is caught up in a great war. Good versus evil. It is that simple. Everywhere you are, you are in that war. You do not see what is happening around you in the spiritual realm. You just see the physical results, and what happens here. I understand that C.S. Lewis once said something to the effect that every square inch of the universe is claimed by God and counterclaimed by satan. That is really it.**
4. **Adam and Eve gave away humankind's claim to the earth to satan. Jesus' coming to the earth was then like an invasion of the earth by an alien, even though he was the creator with God the father. When Jesus came he brought the kingdom of God with him. It was in him and around him. In his own words, preaching that kingdom was why he came. That kingdom is in any person who truly believes in Jesus. So the kingdom has indeed spread. But it is not out there in the world at large. Just look outside your window wherever you are. That is not the kingdom of God. You know that. Someone else is in charge of those city streets and all that happens there. But a day will soon be here when the kingdom will be there and not just inside believers.**
5. **God's ways are higher than our ways. He tells us that. We just don't know all His ways.**
6. **God does not operate in all cases by the same pat formulas. Yes, he always obeys his own words. But He changes the way he acts. The Holy Spirit may deal with a person one way one time, and then take an entirely different approach the next time.**
7. **God is a person. Amazingly, He relates to us. He cares for us. He takes human beings seriously. Look at His relationship and conversations with Moses, with Abraham.**
8. **We have no assurance we will not suffer if we follow God and his call on our lives. In fact, quite the reverse, as Paul can tell us. Jesus himself tells us of the hundred fold return we receive for all we give up for him and the gospel in this life and the next, including persecutions. My experience is the more one truly steps out for God – and is thus obviously seen as a threat by the evil one – the more he is a target. The rest of this point is that the attacks can take almost any form.**
9. **Life does not make sense outside of God. So you can easily imagine how lost and confused a person is who does not know God.**
10. **God can handle your anger, even your rage at events or situations. He is amazingly patient and long-suffering. He has a lot of love. In fact telling him all your concerns and anger is one way of beginning to communicate with him.**

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11. Heavenly hosts – angels – learn of God’s plans by watching us. The Bible even tells us that.
12. God’s laws and rules and truths and principles all indeed are true and work. If you will act on them in faith.
13. There is a time element in receiving from God. There are many possible answers as to why this is, but the fact remains that it is true. Some things happen immediately. Others may take varying amounts of time.
14. You cannot simply believe one Bible verse on a subject and ignore other verses on the subject elsewhere in the Bible. You must understand the truth they all bring to bear.
15. Jesus is coming very soon.

NEW CD: WAKE UP, AMERICA!

Let’s be clear about this – Jesus Christ is soon to come to earth. So many prophecies have been fulfilled, as we’ve discussed in our CD Prophecies Fulfilled. But the events



just won’t quit. They keep happening. Over and over, more things in line with the prophecies of the Bible are occurring in front of our eyes – if we have eyes to see. It is indeed time for America to WAKE UP! Jesus himself prophesied how at his return people will be going about daily activities – eating, drinking, buying, building, and more – and suddenly he will be here. When that happens, things will change forever. When that happens, you want to be ready. You want to know him truly and to be alert. This recording brings you up to date on very recent happenings that show how imminent his return is. You can request it by using the enclosed form, going to the ministry web site, or calling or writing the office.

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