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THIS IS WHAT TRUE BELIEVERS IN JESUS KNOW

- God chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. He predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ.
- Jesus is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.
- God has reconciled humanity to himself through Jesus Christ.
- All things were made through Jesus, and without him was not anything made that was made.
- Jesus is the image of the invisible God.
- Jesus was with God in the beginning
- Anyone born of God does not continue to sin (e.g., no habitual, on-going sin)
- Jesus keeps us safe.
- The evil one cannot harm us (e.g., cannot take us away from the Lord, from being in the Kingdom).
- The whole world is under the control of the evil one.
- The Son of God – Jesus – has come and has given us understanding so we may know him who is true.
- We are in Jesus.
- Jesus is the true God and eternal life.
- God is love.
- In this world we are like Jesus.

Keep Your Eyes on Jesus!

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- Whoever loves God loves his brother.
- Everyone born of God overcomes the world.
- God is light; in him there is no darkness at all.
- Jesus is God the Father's son, whom he loves; with him the Father is well pleased.
- Jesus is the light of the world.
- We are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.
- It is by grace that we have been saved. This salvation is the gift of God, not by works, so that no one can boast.
- Our struggle in this life is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.
- We have the armor of God to put on, so that when the day of evil comes, we may be able to stand our ground.
- The whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time.
- In all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.
- All God's angels are ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation (believers).
- We are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God. We are both kings and priests. We will serve God and reign on earth.
- We are living in the last days, the time just before the Lord's return. Jesus Christ is coming soon (We only have hours.).
- We can do the same things Jesus did, even greater things.
- Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through him.
- Jesus died for the whole world. Unfortunately, not all in the world recognize or accept his great gift.

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- Small is the gate and narrow the way that leads to life, and only a few find it.
- Jesus is with us always, even to the very end of the age.
- God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.
- Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and praise.
- Jesus is seated at the Father's right hand in the heavenly realms. All things are under his feet. He is the head over everything for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way (The church is all those who truly believe in Jesus and have him as their Lord.).

There is so much more we could put in this list, but this is a good start! Check where you stand in a deep down absolute understanding and belief of all these points. They are all absolutely true.

This wonderful Jesus is coming so very soon. I hope you truly know that, just as you truly know all of the above points. Unfortunately, so many, even those who say they are Christians and attend some type of church, say things like "well, that has been said for hundreds of years!" But they can only say that because they don't know scripture, they don't know all the prophecies that have been fulfilled recently. They just don't know. And they don't recognize what is happening all around.

But you do. Or you should. I've written about it enough! Don't let the bored unaccepting attitude of such people keep you from telling others. After all, scripture tells us that in these very last days people will scoff and say things are continuing just as they were from the beginning of the creation (see 2 Peter 3:3-4). That scripture itself is a prophecy that is being fulfilled now by the attitude of so many who just don't know.

(Note: Most of the wonderful truths included on the list above come from 1 John, 2 Peter, Ephesians, and John 1, as well as other areas of the Bible. Just focusing on those four sections should soon get anyone grounded quickly.)

DO WHATEVER HE TELLS YOU

The most important five words of guidance I ever heard or read. Mary said them at the marriage feast in Cana in John 2. Remember? The celebration was underway when the wine ran out. Mary brought it to Jesus' attention, but he turned her away by saying it was not yet his time. Still, it was Jesus she had mentioned this to. She was a wise mother, and she said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

You know the rest of the story. Jesus told the servants to fill up containers with water. Then he told them to draw some out and take it to the head of the feast. When the water was poured out, it was now wine. And not just any wine, but the best wine.

If and when you hear directly from the Lord and he tells you something to do, there is no question of what you are to do. You are to do what he tells you. Now, in my life, I have seen that the timing of that may be immediately or sometime soon or later or you just don't know when. Obviously and definitely you have the

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right to ask for explanation or more direction if you do not understand fully what he has said. He may or may not tell you. Maybe he wants you to search that out.

Many years ago, thirty about, he told me one thing in particular I am to do that has not yet come about. You know, I might wonder when it is coming. But not if. A few times over the years I have prayed about this particular assignment and in no uncertain terms the guidance comes back: It is yet to happen.

Once many years ago I was at a program in which a famous preacher and writer from the UK was speaking. At a break I mentioned to him that God had given me a certain assignment fifteen years before and it had not yet come to pass. He replied, "It's been forty years for me."

This is God we are dealing with, God who is speaking to us, you know. It is his timing that counts, that matters. Not our timing.

I have seen so many healings and miracles, so many signs and wonders. And his word is always true. So even though I get older I know the particular thing I mentioned will still come to pass, even though it's been thirty years now.

There is no limit to God's power. All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Jesus. Everything is under his feet. And he did say that those who believe will and can do the same things he did while he was on earth, even greater. Are you aware of all the authority in Christ that is yours? Have you gone after it? Have you exercised it?

All the guidance, all the wisdom, all the direction is in that wonderful Bible. And still we get direct guidance from God, from Jesus, from the Holy Spirit. If we are open to hear. If we can hear.

God bless all of you. Our thanks always to those who support this ministry with your prayers, your contributions, and in other ways. We are living in the last of the last days and hours. You are indeed blessed because you know the truth or at least are being confronted with the truth. What you do with that knowledge is up to you, but you can never say you did not hear it.

May you live in the blessings of God always.

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