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God Does Not Change

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My Brothers, Sisters and Friends.

I greet you in the name of Christ Jesus our Lord. I rejoice in the Lord our Savior this day. His promises to us are for sure. HE IS ALL AND ALL.

God said that His Word would not return unto Him Void. We say we believe that statement made by our Lord, don't we? We say we believe that He is the same today and forever, don't we? We have the Word of God in the Bible, that God allowed to be compiled that we in this day and time might know what the future holds for us. As you read and study the Word of God, you can see the history of God dealing with His People and the promises, He made to them. We call ourselves the Children of God. Well those promises were for us today. DO YOU BELIEVE THEM?

The Christian world says we are living in the last days and that Christ's coming is near. That's a true statement my brothers and sisters. True. We are living in the time of the end where God promises are being fulfilled. All Christians are looking for Christ to return to this earth, but I believe they miss something. He said He was coming to claim His Bride, the Church. That's those that have kept His word, believed the promises and followed through and endured to the end.

I want to remind you of something Peter said to the people after the day of Pentecost. Acts 3:19-21. "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord. 20 And He shall send Jesus Christ, which before was preached unto you: 21 Whom the heavens must receive until the times of

restitution of all things, which God hath spoken by the mouth of all His holy prophets since the world began."

One of the greatest promises God made to us is. He promised that He would send His Messenger to prepare the way before Him. Deuteronomy 18:15-19. Malachi 3:1-3. Malachi 4:5-6. Matthew 17:10-13 Matthew 11:1-15. Rev.14:6. The promises of God are being fulfilled today before our eyes.

The Authority to represent Christ and His Church was brought back to the earth in 1827 by the Angel (Messenger) of the Lord. On February 4, 1927 God sent His Messenger to His Church to one Otto Fetting with the first Message to His people and the world. That, the Lord continued to do until April 1994 when men tried to direct The Church of Christ in their way instead of the way the Lord directed. And again in 2003, men tried to do the same thing again. Those two attempts by men caused many to fall away from the directions of the Lord. As always there are a few that hold on to the humble work of the Lord. All that walked away and those few that remained steadfast prayed for the Lord to send His Messenger to direct the work and keep the Church in order. After 24 years the Lord answered our

On September 29, 2018, the Lord sent His Messenger, the resurrected John The Baptist to our brother and Apostle Norman D. Lyles while on a mission for the Lord. He was in Buracho Kenya East Africa at one of the Locals. I praise the Lord this day.

If you would humble yourself as God has asked us to do and read the message or messages with your heart and mind on the Lord

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Due to the Pandemic facing our country. The dates for the 2020 General Assembly in America have been changed. The 2020 General Assembly of the Church of Christ with the Elijah Message will be held from August 9 — August 12, 2020 in Kansas City, Missouri.

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FOREWORD

The Assured Way, the official publication of THE CHURCH OF CHRIST WITH THE ELIJAH MESSAGE inc. comes to you as an expression of hope we have in Christ.

In its pages are found the thoughts and expressions of a united people, whose only aim is to promote the cause of Christ by spreading abroad to every nation, tongue, and people, the true gospel of Christ, that through obedience to his laws we might be found worthy of eternal life.

In this publication, The Record of the Nephites is quoted many times. This book was revealed and translated by the gift and power of God: The year 1828 marked the beginning of the restoration of all things. It is a history of the people who once lived in the Americas, some who are the ancestors of the Native America Indians. Though it contains a record of two other groups of people who once lived in the Americas, it is for the most part a record of the people of Nephi.

The Messages so often mentioned in this publication are messages from the Lord, brought to earth by his chosen servant John the Baptist, who comes to earth in a glorified body to finish the work given him of God; that of restoring all things (Matthew 17:11). The angel first came in 1829 and restored the priesthood authority of the Son of God, that The Church of Christ might be established as in the days of the Apostles.

In 1927, the angel messenger again appeared, and on numerous subsequent visits, has brought to us The Word of the Lord that the Church of Christ might be set in order, that a people might be prepared to be the bride of Christ. This "The Elijah Message" so many have looked for, "The midnight cry" has been proclaimed, a warning of destruction, but to the people of the Lord, a message that Christ's coming is near at hand. Fear God and give glory to his name, for the hour of his judgment has come. Awake thou that sleep and arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light.

We hope that whosoever reads these pages might make it a matter of prayer and fasting in humility before God, that they may know for themselves, that God has again spoken and revealed His will from Heaven. To this end we dedicate *The Assured Way*.

NOTICES

The Quorum of Twelve recognizes the teaching and wording found in the Bible (Authorized King James Version), The Record of the Nephites, and The Word of the Lord: Brought to Mankind by and Angel, as our rule and guide as the stable wording of God.

It is the agreement of The Quorum of Apostles of this church that no minister of this faith is to ordain any man into the ministry of this church until said candidate has with all his heart and soul confessed he agrees with everything written in our Articles of Faith and Practice. It is each elders duty to seek guidance from and to keep the apostles informed of his works in regions he is laboring.

Ministry Notice

Be it known unto the membership and ministry of the Church of Christ with the Elijah Message that William Holden Jr. is no longer a part of the Church of Christ with the Elijah Message. He has rejected the Word of God and the Lord has removed him from the membership and ministry of His Church. According to Message 126:12 -

"... Those who reject the Words I bring shall not be found among the faithful of the Lord."

We would ask that you Please do not give heed to any communication about the church that you may receive from Mr. Holden.

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wanting to know the truth you will. But if you can't see past men, you have a problem. God said, put not your trust in man, but many do, that is why we miss what God is saying. We are to keep our hands in His hands. If we do that we can't go wrong. Remember the Lord said that if man fails, he fails of himself.

Listen to the Words of God brought to us from His presence by the Messenger.

Message 121:1, "I have come to vou from the Lord, from His presence. Fear not man whose hearts are carnal and seek their own glory. It is Satan who has sought to destroy the Work and Word of God. I am the resurrected John the Baptist, the Messenger of the Covenant. 2. I have come unto you with the word of the Lord. A message unto the people of God. You are to give it to your brethren and the Church. 3 With hold not the Word of the Lord from the people, for the Lord hath sent His Messenger with words of life for the people of the Lord."

You know it's sad when we are so full of what we think, that we can't see what God is saying to us. You know, the Lord is not going to open the door to get to us. We must open and let Him in.

You know, if God thought and looked only at what He could see of man, we wouldn't be here today. People didn't think much of Zacchaeus either but Jesus called him down from the tree and the people couldn't believe it. Luke19:1-10. Do you know the heart of the ones God uses to do His will? Please don't let what you think of me or anyone else keep you from accepting the Word of God. Only through Christ's atoning blood can mankind be saved. And we must live by every word that proceeded out of the mouth of God.

Message 121:7, "Once again the Lord has sent me to bring His Message, after breaking His silence brought forth because of the anger at the actions of evil men, who sought to take authority and power which belongs only to God."

Message 121:8, "The Lord has allowed heresies to be among you; that they, which are approved may be manifest among you. Thus, the Lord accepts the authority and Ministry and apostleship of Darrel Bellamy, Norman Don Lyles, Larry Gosier Williams and Terry Laws; who have remained faithful unto His Message, His Word and Doctrine. The Lord has witnessed the efforts of His servants and has blessed their faithfulness throughout the world: prospering the Church of Christ with the Elijah Message and allowing it to grow and be built upon His Rock."

Message 121:9, "The Lord is pleased with those whose faith has been tested as Job. They have held to His Standard and the Work has been recorded in heaven."

Message 121:10-11. "Let those who have fallen away from the Message of the Lord-Repent quickly and return; being baptized, lest their names be removed from the book of life. 11. The time of darkness, trial, and deception has passed and now is the time of refreshing. Come ye unto the living water and be healed. I have brought a message some will reject it, some will except it, never the less, the Words are from the Lord. It will bring happiness and peace to those accepting and destruction to those that reject it."

Brothers, Sisters and friends, didn't God promise you and me (His Children, His People) that He, God would send His Messenger, That Prophet, His Angel, Elijah the Prophet before Christ returns to claim His Bride?

Deuteronomy 18:18-19, "I will raise them up a Prophet from among their brethren, like unto thee, and will put my words in his mouth and he shall speak unto them all that I shall command him. 9 And it shall come to pass, that whosoever will not harken unto my words which he shall speak in my name, I will require it of him."

The Apostles remembered the promise of the Lord and they made sure the saints of the Lord wouldn't forget it, neither those of the world. Acts 3:19-26, "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the time of refreshing shall come from the pre-

sents of the Lord. 20. And He shall send Jesus Christ, which before was preached unto you: 21 Whom the heavens must receive until the time of restitution of all things, which God has spoken by the mouth of all His holy prophets since the world began. 22. For Moses truly said unto the fathers, A Prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me; him shall ye hear in all things whatsoever he shall say unto you. 23. And it shall come to pass that every soul which will not hear that prophet, shall be destroyed from among the people. 24. Yea, and all the prophets from Samuel and those that follow after, as many as have spoken, have likewise foretold of these days. 25. Ye are the children of the prophets, and of the covenant which God made with our fathers, saving unto Abraham, and in thy seed shall the kindreds of the earth be blessed."

Message 107, "The Lord changes not and has been God from the beginning, shedding forth His Spirit as holy men in the past have spoken when moved by His Holy Spirit. I am the prophet born from among the brethren like unto Moses and I speak the words and will of God, the Lord Christ Jesus, Creator of the universe and all things that are therein; even mankind that hear my words which the Lord putteth in my mouth."

Brothers and sisters and friends, the Lord said that His word would not return unto Him void.

In closing. Message 121 22-23, "Behold, this is Christ Church and shall be His Bride, the remnant. The Message has been given, the Authority is certain and the Lord's work must go on.

23. It is Christ Words that will judge all men. It is Christ's Blood that must wash and cleanse all men. It is Christ's Word in the Bible, the Record of Nephites, and the Word of the Lord, I bring that shall be your rule and guide. Heed not the prophecies of man and man made doctrines and traditions that will lead men astray."

May the Lord touch each heart and bring understanding in His love.

Your Brother in Christ, Apostle Larry T. Gosier Williams. Page 4 THE ASSURED WAY }

The Way of The Lord

God created mankind and gave us freewill. The angel Lucifer attempted to overthrow God's Throne and take it for himself, and was defeated by God. He then set about to steal the hearts and minds of God's children from Him.

The first man and woman yielded to his lie and ate of the fruit of the one tree of which God forbade them to partake, the tree of the knowledge of Good and Evil. Man's unity with God was broken

In time God called the descendants of Jacob, the Hebrew people, to be His example nation. God's way of forgiveness was by the shed blood of animal and bird sacrifices, which served as a teacher until God manifested Himself in human form, the Lord Jesus Christ, and He died as the Lamb of God, our substitute. On the third day of His death He arose from the dead, and forty days later He ascended into Heaven, having commanded His followers to be filled with the Holy Ghost, His Spirit, Whom He sent as Comforter and Teacher after His departure.

Colossians 1:20 "And, having made peace through the blood of His Cross, by Him to reconcile all things unto Himself; by Him, I say, whether they be things in earth or things in Heaven."

Jesus' disciples recorded His instructions. He said: "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God." "Except a man be born of the water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter the Kingdom of God." John 3:3-8.

He said "a man ", not a baby.

But He did say: "Except you be

converted, and become as a little child, you shall not enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." Matthew 18:3.

In order to be born again the New Testament tells us in the Book of Acts 2:38 "Repent and be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost." Jesus said: "I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man comes unto the Father, but by Me." John 14:6.

Most people have not preached these Commands of the Lord, and so most people have not experienced God's Grace and Power in their lives as God has provided. However God promised to restore all things and to use in this John the Baptist, the Elias – Mathew 17:11 – preparing the ways of the Lord – Luke 1:76, Isaiah **40:3, 4.** He is the Messenger of the Covenant, the refiner of the sons of Levi, turning the hearts of the fathers and children to one another - Malachi 3:1-3: 4:5.6 - the friend of the Bridegroom, and he is announcing the Coming of the Lord again to earth to rule and reign as King of Kings and Lord of Lords.

In the 1880s amongst denominational revival in the U.S.A., a young man earnestly sought God as to which denomination He willed for him to join. He was told in a visitation by the Lord Jesus to join none of them. Jesus told him that all their ministers were corrupt, had a form of Godliness – but denied the power thereof, and that all their creeds were abomination in His sight. John the Baptist later visited him and restored to him the Authority of the priesthood under his forerunner ministry.

To this young man was revealed also a book of the history of the

former inhabitants of the U.S.A. and of their source, containing also the Everlasting Gospel fullness as delivered by Jesus to the ancient inhabitants. This book is "The Record of the Nephites", a record of the people of Nephi of the tribe of Joseph, of the Lamanites their brethren, and of the people of Jared who cam from the tower of Babel having obtained the Mercy of the Lord.

The young man's name was Joseph Smith Jr., who later departed himself from the instructions of the Lord; also, a changed edition and name of the book was written. Many of his followers left him and continued to seek God, who rewarded these faithful ones and their followers.

In 1927 the Resurrected John the Baptist visited the late Brother Otto Fetting of the Temple Lot, Independence, Missouri, and gave him thirty Messages for all people to the year of 1933. Subsequently he came to Brother W. A. Draves seventy-two Messages up to 1985.

These Messages, brought by John from Jesus, have been compiled into a book called: "The Word of the Lord, brought to Mankind by an Angel" and are a confirmation of the Bible and call for repentance from sin and the traditions of men, to baptism (from the Greek word "immerse") under John's Restoration Authority and to preparation in Holiness in the Power of the Holy Spirit for the coming of the Lord, and speak of judgments to come on the earth, and of the peace from God Almighty to those who obey and prepare themselves for the greater outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

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Word Study on Humility

The Lord in His word has commanded us that we are to remain Humble before him if we want our work to be accepted of God and Man.

"Be discreet, be humble. Lift your life style to be tidy, neat, patient and full of grace. Think again, you represent the Lord's body and members in particular, that your humility will be accepted of God and man. God is just. He will open the door before you. My message is to all that will hear, listen, open and obey. Deliverance will come." Mess. 116:7;

Humility is defined in the dictionary as "a modest or low view of one's own importance; humbleness."

But true Humility to God is simply submitting our will to the will of God and allowing Charity (the pure Love of God) to rule our lives as we strive to serve him from day to day.

Word Study References:

Humility be your Mantle -- Mess. 33:10; Mess. 59:21; Mess. 68:4; Mess. 76:7; Mess. 77:2; Mess. 81:19; Mess. 102:9; Mess. 30:1; Mess. 128:5;

Humility before honor – Proverbs 15:13; Proverbs 18:12; Proverbs 29:23;

Rewards of Humility – Proverbs 22:4; Mess. 22:15; Col. 2:18; 2 Chronicles 7:14; Hel. 3:35;

Labor in Humility – Mess. 14:5; Mess. 26:4; Mess. 28:6; Mess. 28:10; Mess. 91:22; Acts 20:19; I Peter 5:5;

Humility seen and felt – Mess. 116:7; Mess. 23:2; Mess. 65:5;

Fastings in Humility – Mess. 23:18;

Prepare in Great Humility – Mess. 35:7; Mess. 37:13; Mess. 46:14;

Hour of their Humility – Mess. 40:3; Mess. 48:5; Mess. 112:6;

Truth in Humility – Mess. 43:4;

Victory through Humility – Mess. 64:13;

Heareth Prayers of Humble – Mess. 68:4; Psalms 9:12; Psalms 10:17;

Repent in Humility – Mess. 82:35;

Mighty Man Humbled – Is. 2:11; Is. 5:15;

Humble as a little Child – Matt. 18:4; Mosiah 3:18-19;

Let us remain humble before the Lord in all we say and do. May God bless and keep you in His Love.

Always Near

We may not see the path ahead,
So thickly shadows gether here,
But we can trust the One who said –
"I love thee – there is naught to fear."
Can feel Him near us day and night,"
If we but stretch our hand and cry,
"O Father!" Faith becomes a sight,
And all our griefs and fears pass by.

O near, so near! We touch the hand That bear the scar of Calvary, And though I may not understand, I know this Saviour died for me. Its love, its yearning who can tell? So welcome sunshine, welcome storm — Gods love is round me — all is well!

I steadfast trust I will abide,
Believing, come what may that He
Is ever near me—at my side—
And that is Heaven Itself to me.
What comfort in the thought that He—
We have no merit we can boast—
Is always near to you and me,
And nearest when we need him most.

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Ninetieth Message

I was awakened at 2:15 a.m., July 10, 1970 and heard the front door latch click—thus I knew the door was opening. I heard the screen door close. I hear the main door close. I wondered who may be entering at this hour. It is not unusual for any of the family to be coming late because of the work hours. So I was not frightened, but in seconds I felt the great power of God and recognized the light. Because of being able to see the clock and all around me—the light of the resurrected one, the Messenger was present.

I heard his footsteps crossing the front room and coming down the hall to my bedroom. I watched for him to appear. In radiant light there he approached the open door facing me with his right hand held up near level with his chin, slightly reaching out, hand open, palm facing me tilted directly at me.

By this I know I have done well to defend his coming to me. I felt a great assurance it was well with my soul. I spoke the words, "from my precious Jesus." All this happened in less time than it takes to tell it. Glory to my Jesus—Don't muzzle the ox that treadeth out the grain.

With a stern, loud, yet pleasant voice he said, "Behold!" Immediately, I was carried away in a vision, though I knew the room ceiling was above me it was as though it were not there. I looked beyond and far, far in the heavens, I saw a Great White Throne and on it sat our Lord the Christ Jesus.

All around this throne were multitudes of people, glittering in brightness as if they were clothed in bright white raiment, their voices were ringing out—Holy, Holy, Holy is our Lord, Hosanna to His name! I saw much and heard many praises and songs of joy; a sound of music and singing, and felt a peace that permeated my whole being.

I thought, all this, concourses of angels or saints that once were on the earth. Then I appeared to be real close to them in vision, and wondered if they knew I was looking in upon them. I thought I knew men, like Adam, Noah, Abraham, Joseph, Moses and many, many others. All the righteous that was before the Christ came through the resurrection. Those that before had lived in the Lord's will, their sojourn here on earth and were counted righteous for their faith and good works. Redemption, deliverance and salvation was theirs to have to eternity with God.

Again I proclaimed, "Precious Jesus," I heard my voice, and the vision closed. Many more things I saw and heard which I have not written here.

I know my Lord lives and on the earth again shall stand with many saints with him. I want to be worthy. I understood that all righteous before Christ's resurrection were resurrected at that same time.

I want all who read these words, the angel

message to prepare for that eternal way and day with our God. Deliverance has come. I do not know how long the vision lasted but it must have been some time compared to the things I saw and heard. A great serene feeling of joyous ecstasy was all over me. I thank God for this wonderful way of life.

The Messenger was still standing there just inside my bedroom door. His hands pleasingly at his sides he stepped closer to me and began to speak on.

- 1 "Arise and write the words I will give you. Do with these as you have done with the others—publish them in the book, the Word of the Lord, and send to the ends of the earth.
- 2 Arrange so you may do more in this work, as the way opens. The Lord will direct and it will be well with you and others that hasten to follow.
- 3 I come to you with a message from the presence of the Lord. To the believing and faithful peace and joy: they delight in my coming.
- 4 Press on, greater trials await the nations, the people and the Church. Let nothing destroy your faith and good works. Deliverance has come—reach out. The way is prepared for greater outpouring of the Spirit and mighty things will be revealed, but only to the humble.
- 5 The Lord will water the seed you have sown. Many more shall yet come. Much more shall yet come to pass of miracles and healings and a better way in the lives of many.
- 6 Fret not over what men may say of you. You have those to stand by you and this work. Respect ye one another and lift each other by being faithful to this work of redemption, the plan of God.
- 7 Every tree, the churches, the Lord has not planted shall be rooted up. There are many false claims and proclaims that is of the evil one to get gain and make merchandise of

the word of God. When man is not humble and his soul is not calm, know ye this, it is not of the Lord.

- 8 Some you think to be your friends is laboring for Satan, seeking to destroy your good and this work.
- 9 Those that will work together, stay together in faith and good works.
- 10 Those that will not come to understanding of my teachings, what I have to say to all ministry—unless they hear and follow through, their works will not stand and in the end they will not be there.
- 11 Behold, it was said by the Christ, that I come not eating nor drinking and men say I have a devil—but it is they wherein is the devil. Fear them not, be calm, for I come, and I speak the truth.
- 12 In ancient times, it has been told of my coming in this day and time: the end time, the closing time, the midnight cry, the time of purifying the ministry, leading all Christendom into one fold, wherein is one Shepherd, the Christ Jesus who shall rule all nations and peace shall be from one end to the other of this world.
- 13 There are those that stumble over the words of truth and claim to love the Lord Jesus. However, if they knew him, they would be meek and lowly of heart—full of peace. Let them be delivered from the adversary and learn the full truth, more perfectly, the fullness of the gospel of Christ. There is no other way mankind can be saved. Hold to that I have given, build upon the instructions and directions I have given of the Lord. Shape your lives by the words I bring, for I come from the Lord's presence and my mission is one of love and deliverance. For the way is prepared that mankind may walk therein and be saved.
- 14 From another language and tongue the Lord has spoken to this people

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through the book—The Record of the Nephites—the language of the Nephites and Jaredites; which to hear in their language would appear as stammering lips—but what the Lord doeth he doeth well.

- 15 Yet there are those that imagine a vain thing, making evil thoughts against my words, and the Lord's plan.
- 16 All that are heady and highminded seeking prominency, shall be brought low. Some will learn and yet know this work is true, though they fail.
- 17 When the rivers of the seas flow towards the heavens, then many that believe not, shall say, 'The Lord he is great, he doeth all things well. Surely, these things are true and he has spoken.' Some will believe, but Woe to

the slow to hear.

- 18 As it was in the days of Noah, the doubter, the disobedient, the sinner were all taken away in their unbelief.
- 19 Does not the revelation say that I come with the everlasting gospel, to preach to them that dwell upon the earth? Who is man that claimeth to have more than this?
- 20 When men work in subtle manner he destroyeth himself. Seek to deliver and save all that will come this way.
- 21 Let all labor that can. Send others into the field of service.
- 22 Let the Church stand firm that the residue of troubles will not harm you.

- 23 There will be many troubles and trials within and without the homes, the nations and the church, until you will rejoice to stand together. Let peace rule your lives—watch what you say and do, and where you are.
- 24 Let the Assembly of the people be in peace. Let the conferences of the apostles and bishops continue throughout the year and always to come closer to each other and the Lord's will.
- 25 Pray the Lord of the vineyard to send forth men of renown and faith to work in this way. Let the women help all they can—there is much to be done.
- 26 I leave peace with you and I shall come again, when the Lord directs. Amen."

The Messenger left, it was 5:50 a.m.

Words of Encouragement

"Press on, greater trials await the nations, the people and the Church. Let nothing destroy your faith and good works. Deliverance has come—reach out. The way is prepared for greater outpouring of the Spirit and mighty things will be revealed, but only to the humble." — Mess. 90:4

Though we are living in the time of the end and we know that Christ's coming is near at hand, we must strive to remain faithful and obedient to the Lord's instructions in His word. We cannot allow the condition of this world to stop us from proclaiming the gospel of Christ and sounding the Midnight Cry to a dark world filled with confusion and chaos.

The Lord has warned us of the events that we now see happening in our world today and there are greater trials to come, but the end is not yet. We still have much to do in

this work of the Lord. So, We must continue to trust Him in all our ways and continue to press our way into His Kingdom.

"Verily, the powers of evil shall be overcome and peace shall reign. Those that learn of me and press into my kingdom, I shall bring peace unto you. Verily, verily, I shall walk and talk with you, your hearts shall be full of love. My Zion shall be a place of peace, a nation of righteousness, where, in obedience to my gospel, salvation shall be found." — Mess. 43:8;

The Lord said that He would walk and talk with us if we abide in Him and His word abides in us. He will never leave us or forsake us, but we must trust that all is in His hands. And He has told us that our timing is not His timing. So we need patience to wait upon the Lord, because we know His word will not fail.

"Where are those with patience that believe in God's words and plan?" — Mess. 82:8;

We all see the suffering and panic in the world today, but we know what the Lord has told us. He said he would stand us in Holy places while the indignation passes over, so we have no need to fear. We must be a light to all of those around us that they might see Christ in us as we are called to be the light of the world.

"Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

— Matt. 5:15-16;

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Whom God Chooses

When God wants to drill a man,
And Thrill a man, and skill a man;
When God wants to mold a man;
To play the Noblest part;
When He yearns with all His heart
To Create a so great and bold a man
That all the world shall be amazed,
Watch his methods; watch his ways,
He ruthlessly perfects
Whom He royally elects!

He hammers him and hurts him,
And with mighty blows converts him
Into trial shapes of clay
Which only God understands,
While his tortured heart is crying.
And he lifts beseeching hands!

He bends but never breaks,
When he's good He undertakes.
He uses whom He chooses
And with every purpose fuses,
But every act induces him
To try His splendour out —
God knows what He's about!