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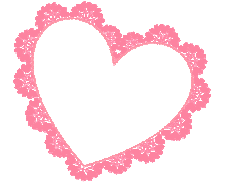
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"take heed....as to a light that shines in a dark place." II Peter 1:19

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Dear Friends,



Now we have run into His heart to hide ourselves in His faithfulness. This is where we find His strength and comfort, for He empowers us to seize what has already been established ahead of time – an unshakeable hope! We have this certain hope like a strong, unbreakable anchor holding our souls to God Himself.

The Passion – Hebrews 6:18,19



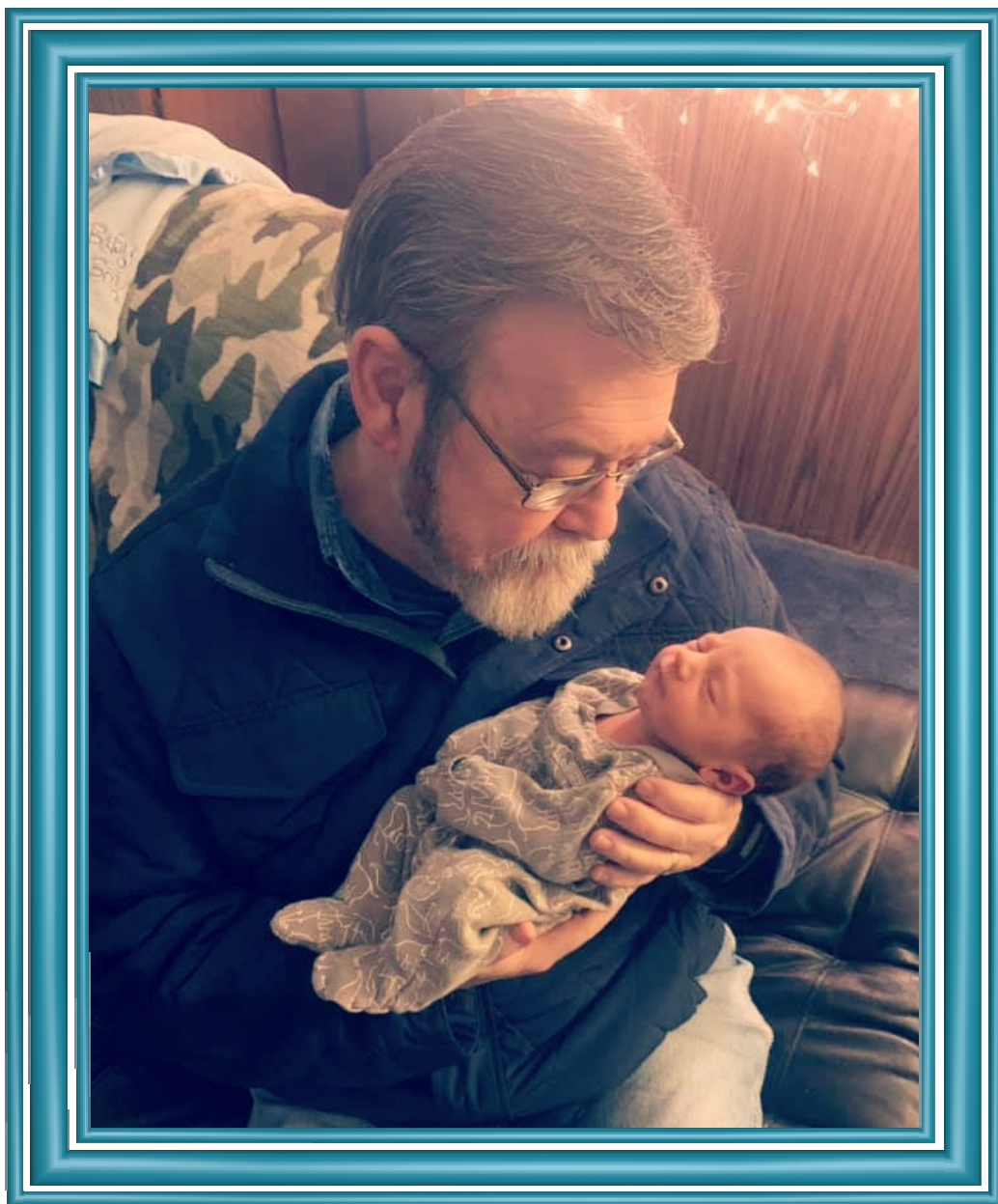
I am nearly 67. I just became a great-grandfather. A dear friend recently reminded me that “a baby is God’s desire that the world should go on.” But the state of our world! What can I do to make it better for this little man?

My generation has lived through the progressive disintegration of all moral sanity. We first ignored, then tolerated, then compromised with, then partially embraced, and then finally on some levels, fully embraced ever-increasing forms of sin. Now we are faced with a battle to try to regain what was lost, and prayerfully become even more than before – the wise stewards of that treasury. Not only for ourselves, but for our children, grandchildren, and (yes!) even our great-grandchildren. Such recovery is not impossible, for recovery is the message of grace, and is the history of the entire Bible. All is not lost. There is always hope. So where are we to begin?

First thing, before ALL others, we run to Him. We run into His heart of love. We run because we are desperate, and have no confidence in man. We run to hide ourselves in Him because we need a refuge from the effects of sin and evil. We run because we know our faith is small but His faithfulness is our home. We run because we see our true condition. We all need a Savior. And He, our Lord Jesus Christ, is our Redeemer. In His heart of hearts, in His presence, in His faithfulness, in His love,

we have this certain hope, holding our souls to God Himself. And from this place of refuge, we are empowered with His strength and comfort to then humble ourselves before Him and pray.

Pray for what? What are we mostly praying for? Is it for God to deal with earthly political evil in order to correct the earthly political agenda, all for our security on a temporal level? If we were truly humble, praying as the Spirit directs, we would be praying for the full correcting of the church to become the salt of the earth and light of the world – *no matter what it costs us* – so that God’s kingdom would fully come and His will be fully done in the earth. We can all pray these 4 words: **Thy will be done.**



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Seek God's Face

If My people, who are called by My Name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and forgive their sin, and heal their land.

2 Chronicles 7:14

What does it mean to seek God's face? The Hebrew reference to the face has to do with intimate, honest, and open communion. Friendship is a 'face to face' relationship. We have in English the expression to 'face the truth.' It is an honest turning of our hidden face into the light of His searching Face. Most of us do not want such naked intimacy with God. Yet He wants nothing less. Seeking His face means that we pursue a level of deep communion with Him on a personal level, where we desire His presence and truth concerning us in our daily lives.

As we seek His face, He will be able to uncover and show us what wickedness He sees in us that has contributed to the sin of the land. And when we deal truly before God with that evil to the point we then turn from it, that very turning will then be the beginning of the transformation God uses to do just what He has promised. He will heal our land when we are no longer contributing to its sickness. God is after our total hearts, our true repentance, our purging and weeding out of the 'little sins' we have tolerated and even secretly enjoyed. He has come to deliver us FROM sin, not IN sin. He has come to redeem our souls by destroying sin and saving us. And He will set in motion forces to and through us for good, that will begin the healing of the land. We are God's people. We are called by His Name. All is not lost. Hope resides in our Redeemer. And we reside in Him. Our anchor of hope holds secure in the love of God.



Closing Thoughts...

None of us are called to address issues outside our sphere of influence. I am only suppose to do what I do. We only know in part, and prophesy in part. We all need each other, and none of us has the whole picture. There are refreshing waters of life that flow through the good of the true prophetic ministry. These messages can comfort, empower, and encourage us along the journey. Even some prophetic words will strongly clarify aspects of ministry ahead of time, for those being sent out. God is using all this to help form the body of Christ and mature us, as well as help us learn to support and love each other in these trying times. So...THANK YOU for helping us do what we do!

With Gratitude, Clay & Mary



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