

Creating a Climate for a New Move

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Acts 10:1-35 talks about the new move which God was about to establish. This move was the introduction of the Gospel to the Gentile nation. Before now, salvation was restricted to the Jews alone, however, God had a plan from eternity that one day, He would touch the Gentiles with the Gospel. This plan has been fulfilled when the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ was preached to you and you accepted it. Nevertheless, this had not always been the case, it started at a particular time and that is the crux of this message.

God wants to do a new thing in your life. If you can create a conducive climate for Him, He will do exceedingly above what you could ever dream or imagine. Just like Peter and Cornelius in Acts 10:1-35, you have to be prepared and learn from their experiences by creating a new climate for this new move of God. The dictionary definition of climate is a weather condition prevailing in an area in general or over a long period. So, how do you create the climate for this new move of God either as an individual or as a local assembly?

Get Into Praying and Fasting

1 There was a certain man in Caesarea called Cornelius, a centurion of the band called the Italian band,

2 A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.
Acts 10:1-2 (NKJV)

Get into praying and fasting if you want to create a new climate for God's new move in your life. Unfortunately, some Christians have become too sophisticated to pray, and prayer is no longer a part of their daily existence. Many years ago, God promised that salvation would be brought to the Gentiles, it didn't happen until two men started praying. Isaiah 66:9 is a portion of Scripture that talks about prayer. It says:

8 ...for as soon as Zion travailed, she brought forth her children.

9 Shall I bring to the birth (new move), and not cause to bring forth? saith the Lord...

Isaiah 66:8-9 (KJV)

God says that if He had a reason to bring forth, He would bring forth. If He had a reason to cause a new move to happen, He would cause a new move to happen. If He had a reason to cause your ministry to enter into a new realm, He would do it to happen. Why would He do that? "As soon as Zion travailed (in prayer) she brought forth her children. If you are going to experience a new move in your life or ministry, you must get back to praying.

It was not a coincidence that God visited Cornelius when he started praying. The same applies to Peter. As a minister of the Gospel, two minutes of speaking in tongues just before you climb the pulpit will not bring about a new move in your life or ministry, there is travail before every new move; there is need for prayer.

Get Into The Habit Of Giving

3 About the ninth hour of the day he saw clearly in a vision an angel of God coming in and saying to him, "Cornelius!"

4 And when he observed him, he was afraid, and said, "What is it, lord?" So he said to him, "Your prayers and your alms have come up for a memorial before God.

Acts 10:3-4 (NKJV)

If you want to create a new climate for God's new move in your life, get into the habit of giving habitually.

One characteristic of an aggressive giver is that he gives habitually. God said in Acts 10:3-4 that Cornelius' prayer was heard, and his giving had come as a memorial, a monument before Him. A monument is something that is always before you or reminds you of something. If your giving has become a memorial in the eyes of God, then get ready for the new move. It doesn't matter how much you have prayed, if you don't learn to give, you will not experience the fullness of the new move.

Get Into the Depth of God

7 Deep calls unto deep at the noise of Your waterfalls;

Psalm 42:7 (NKJV)

9 The next day, as they went on their journey and drew near the city, Peter went up on the housetop to pray, about the sixth hour.

10 Then he became very hungry and wanted to eat; but while they made ready, he fell into a trance

11 and saw heaven opened and an object like a great sheet bound at the four corners, descending to him and let down to the earth.

Acts 10: 9-11 (NKJV)

God revealed visions of the new move to Peter and Cornelius when they began praying and fasting. The fact that the vision came from heaven is very important. Every new move must be preceded by a vision; hence, you can't get Godly visions until you've gotten into the depth of God (Psalm 42:7). To get into the depth of God (which is the heart of God), you must get into His Word.

Trance is one of way God gives visions to people. Other ways are dreams and ideas. When you get into His Word, your deep begins to call unto His deep and you begin to understand God's mind and purpose for your life.

Another reason you should be thoroughly entrenched in God's Word is that God never gives you a complete vision; He wants you to always be expectant for a new step or phase of that vision.

Get Rid of Traditions And Prejudices

13 And a voice came to him, "Rise, Peter; kill and eat."

14 But Peter said, "Not so, Lord! For I have never eaten anything common or unclean."
Acts 10:13-14 (NKJV)

When God gives you a vision and it's time to put that vision into action, you must get rid of your traditions and prejudices.

Peter said, "Not so, Lord..." even though he knew that it was the Lord speaking to him in Acts 10:13-14. Traditions and prejudices have constrained the church and acted as a barrier for many believers and ministers alike. You must let go of your traditions and biases in order to embrace the new move. Get into the flow and let God do the new thing He wants to do in your life.

Some of your traditions and your prejudices stem from your perceptions of prosperity and poverty. There is no virtue in poverty; it is a curse; therefore, you must get rid of it if you want to experience a new move either as an individual or as a ministry otherwise, the new move will take place, and you will just be a spectator.

God is No Respector of Persons

It doesn't matter what traditions are evident in your life, God is no respecter of persons, therefore, that vision He has given you will come to pass. Regardless of your background or whatever situation you may be going through either as an individual or as a ministry, if it was God who gave you the vision, He will bring it to fulfillment because you are a product of a God who is no respecter of persons.



The Season of Joseph Prophecy

By Pastor Nkechi Ene (Mrs.)

"It's a new season and the time is now. It's a season of greatness but it didn't start now.

It's a new season and the time is now. It's a season of promotion but it didn't start now.

It's a new season, the time is now. A season of expanded influence, but it didn't start now.

It's a new season and the time is now. It's a season of abundant provision but it didn't start now.

It's time to enter this new season.

It's the season of Joseph. It is the season of Joseph. The time is now yet it didn't start now.

The time is now, says the Spirit of God, but it did not start now!"

"A season of greatness is the season of Joseph. It started with a dream, a dream that makes no sense. Greatness starts with courage, courage to be little and yet dream big dreams. Greatness attracts ridicule. A dream that causes others to laugh at you and not with you. Now is your season of Joseph. The time is now but it didn't start now".

"A season of promotion is the season of Joseph.

It started with your service, service that may not always be rewarded. Promotion starts with humility, humility to serve even in the prisons of life. Promotion comes with stages, with more service at each level. Recognize it, appreciate it for they are for you, not against you. Now is your season of Joseph. The time is now but it didn't start now".

"A season of expanded influence is the season of Joseph.

It started with a vision, a vision you could see so clearly. Expanded influence from humble foundations leading you to a place unknown. A journey to a destination that nobody but you seem to see. A vision that breeds persecution against you, at you. Now is your season of Joseph. The time is now but it didn't start now".

"A season of abundant provision is the season of Joseph.

It started with a little seed; your sacrifice of your time, your talent, your treasures, those are your seeds. Abundance birthed from a place of lack and needs. Provision that reaches beyond you bringing solutions to many coming to you. Giftings that cause kings to search desperately for you, for only you. Now is your season of Joseph. The time is now but it didn't start now".

"So, dream that big dream, serve in that little place, take the tough faith step, sow that precious seed. Again I say, don't be weary, dare to dream that megas dream, serve in that small hole, take the leap of faith, release that priceless seed. You have no idea, you have no clue the magnitude of the season you've just started. For when others see the season is not when you saw it. They will say, 'Your season is now', and you will reply, 'Yes, it is now but it didn't start now'. They will tell you, 'See your season, hey! It has come. See your greatness, hey! It is now. See your promotion, wow! It is has come. See your expanded influence, see your abundant provision all around you, see it is now'. You will tell them, 'Yes, it is now but it didn't start now'".

"Do you know what you started when you sow that seed? Do you know what you've begun when you serve in that place? Do you know the magnitude of what you've just begun?" says the Spirit of God.

"So watch, watch, watch. Listen, listen, listen. Look, look, look. Focus, focus, focus. Stand, stand, stand firm. Move, move, move", says the Spirit of God. "Do not waver, do not falter, do not stagger, I will bear you up. The season is unfolding right before you. Pits may take you to places of man's favour. Suddenly people may seem to stop your rising. Prisons and chains may want to close you in. My own favour waits for you, it's just round the corner, it's calling out to you, calling your name; My own favour. Do not waver, do not falter, do not stagger. I will bear you up, I will bear you up, I will carry you, I will bear you up. The season is ongoing but it didn't start now", says the Spirit of God.

"It has begun and nobody can stop it; like a wildfire it cannot be stopped. Those prison doors, they will fly open, they will. Earthquakes, they will happen, they will occur, they will occur in very very high places. Earthquakes will happen, things will shake, chains will be broken. The shift will occur in places that seemed immovable, areas that seemed untouchable, My favour will touch it, shake it, will cause it to be, My favour will move it!"

"This season breeds change for that Word over your life, it will come to pass", says the Spirit of God. "It will, it will, it will, it will, it will come to pass. That Word over your life is My Word, it will not return to Me void, it cannot return to Me void. I spoke it over your life, I gave you that

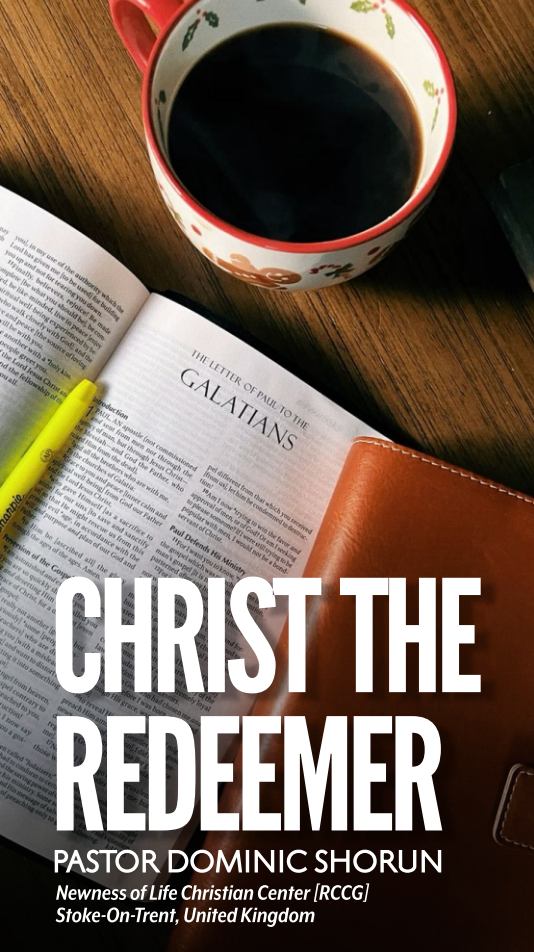
dream. No persecution can stop My Word over your life. No persecution, no prison, no pit can stop it, no pit can stop My Word over your life, no prison. It's My Word, it's My Word, it is not a man's word, it is My Word. It is Me that spoke it, it is My Word over your life! It will not return to Me void! It is My Word over your life".

"You thought you had been forgotten, you thought I've forgotten you? You thought you were forgotten but you have always been ever before Me. The apple of My eye. I do not forget the dream I gave you", says God. "How can I forget? I do not forget. I will bear you up, I will carry you. Do not forget for I will not forget. From the pit to persecution, to poverty, to the prison; the palace is calling for you. The palace is calling for you Joseph, answer. The palace is calling for you Joseph. The palace is calling for you Joseph, answer. It's calling you to your rightful place. Joseph, the King is sending for you. Your season is now but it didn't start now. The palace is calling for you, it's calling for you, and for you to your rightful place, to the fullness of the season that is now but it didn't start now. To the fullness of time that we can see now but it didn't start now. It started with a vision, it started with a dream, it started with your service, it started with your seed, it is now but it didn't start now".

"Indeed, it is the season of Joseph for you, and for you, and for you, and for you. Yes, you, yes, you, even you, and you too, and for you, and you... It is the season of Joseph. The time is now, the time is now, the time is now".

For I hear in my spirit that kairos and kronos have come to one place.

"The time is now. Your kairos and your kronos have merged in one place and that place is the place of favour. When your kronos merges with your kairos, the time is now, it's now, and all systems will line up because they've been prepared from when it started. Now is the season but it didn't start now. It is the season of greatness, it is the season of promotion, it is the season of expanded influence, it is the season of abundant promotion, it is your season, Joseph, the palace is calling for you. Answer and tell them that the time is now but it certainly did not start now".



CHRIST THE REDEEMER

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Galatians 3:13 says, "Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree")."

Introduction:

An Overview of the Book of Galatians
Galatians is an exciting book, a letter from Paul the apostle to a number of Early Christian communities in Galatia. The most plausible date for the writing of Galatians is 48 AD. In this book, Apostle Paul laid down the foundation of what every Christian needs to guard against. It's the most "subtle trap of legalism" that believers can fall into as this was the situation of the church at Galatia at the time.

In essence, the book is a declaration of faith and faith alone: for salvation and for spirituality. The book of Galatians presents Christ's centrality to our faith, our salvation and our redemption. The overall theme of the text is the premium price paid for our redemption and the significance of that sacrifice in our lives as motivated by the Father's Love.

Three great insights from Galatians 3:13 are:

1. Christ redeemed us from the curse.
2. Jesus became a curse for us.
3. Justice was satisfied when Jesus died.

Christ Redeemed Us From the Curse

The Greek tense used in this sentence indicates redemption is a settled action. It means that Christ has "once and for all"

redeemed us from the curse of the law. Notice He did it once and for all and we only need to receive this gracious gift by faith!

Jesus Became A Curse For Us

"Curse" is the Greek word κατάρασ (pronounced kataras) implies a doomed one. It comes from kata and ara; imprecation (condemnation) or execration/ denouncing (a person or thing cursed or detested). Paul here quoted from Deuteronomy 27:26. Everyone was under the curse for all have sinned (Romans 3:23).

We were under the curse, condemned, detested, and doomed but the Lord Jesus stood in our place. Anyone who dies on the cross is cursed, so by dying on the cross, the Lord Jesus took our curse on Himself that we might have His Blessing. He took our sentence away; He nailed our certificate of debt to His cross. He paid the penalty; He died for our guilt.

Justice Was Satisfied When Jesus Died

Justice was served and satisfied when Jesus died for the law we broke, thus paying the prescribed penalty and bearing the curse. There is no condemnation awaiting us from the law, for we died in Him (Romans 8:1). Beloved, there's no more dying to do because Christ paid the penalty for sin which is death.

It means sin and death no longer have a hold over us. "Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree")" (Galatians 3:13). However, the good news doesn't end there: We are now free from the law to be in union with another, Jesus Christ (Romans 7:4).

Paul continues, "that the blessing of Abraham might come upon the Gentiles in Christ Jesus, that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith" (Galatians 3:14).

In conclusion, please always remember this is love:

- Jesus did what I couldn't do: He kept the law.
- Jesus paid in my place for what I did: I broke the law.
- Jesus did what the law couldn't do: He made me righteous and holy.

The Holy Spirit will teach you this if you focus on the cross (Romans 8:1-4).

Beloved, Christ the Redeemer, redeemed us from the curse of the law and made the blessings of God abound to you and me through faith. Glory to God! Hallelujah!



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"This is a reset for My people; a reset. It is more than a refresh or a refuel.

This conference will reset the sight of many.

It will reset the thinking of many. It will even reset the vision of some.

As we let this happen, the clock will be reset for many too.

This meeting will release acceleration and speed for things that had been nurtured to be released.

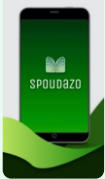
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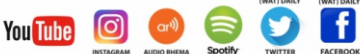
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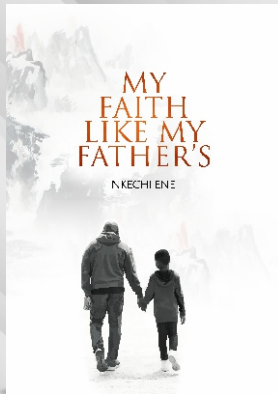


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