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CANADA: P.O. BOX 75120, WHITE ROCK, BC V4A 0B1 U.S.A.: P.O. BOX 2, BLAINE, WASHINGTON 98231 Very dear Family!

We are in the **magnificent season of celebrating Jesus** coming to earth to show us the Father; to die for us and pay the price for our sin, sickness and lack. And He is still here, Risen Lord, our Emmanuel (God with us!)

This is a season where we pay attention to how **God spoke up with men and women; how they heard His voice** via angels, dreams and His Word. These people like John the Baptists parents, Zechariah and Elizabeth, shepherds, men from eastern empires (wise men), and of course, Mary and Joseph.

Think about this - they each connected to the grace of God speaking to them. What the Lord told them was impossible for them to accomplish but He provided a way, direction, provision and His supernatural power where needed!

I noted studying each of them that they were **people of prayer**. They loved God and looking to do

their part in His plans. Little did they know what their humble lives were in for!



Men and women of prayer. As you read this letter, **please lean in with fresh ears**. I know God wants to show each of us how to **be in sync with the Living God**. Prayer is the key. It is the difference between your best and receiving God's best.

Prayer is about **God wanting to fellowship with you** as His son or daughter. You are loved more than you know. **He wants you to walk and talk with Him in the cool of your day**. He wants you to know Him. Remember Daniel told us that the people that know their God will be strong and do mighty things.

Prayer is not fervent worry toward God. It's not about soothing our conscience or about trying to beg God or "force" Him somehow to pay attention to us. This is mentally exhausting and painful!

As my pastor says (and I'm very grateful for his recent teaching on prayer) - prayer is not a magic wand. "God has already done for us Everything that we need now and in the future." Jesus died on the cross for you and me **before we were born**. He said "it is finished" on that cross. He wasn't just saying he was dying - he was proclaiming that payment for our sins - finished. What was needed for us to come into God's family - finished. On the cross Jesus finished all that was necessary for us to have a new covenant with God.

So, imagine if you had an older brother who passes away and leaves **everything** he owns - massive provision - to **YOU in his will**. What do you have to do to receive?

You would find the lawyer in charge of the will, go through the steps to receive your inheritance - right? The only way

you or I would not inherit is if we don't show up to receive.

What are those steps to receive? When you arrive at the office you **show your identification**, proving your right to inherit. Then you'd sign documents confirming you are who you are who your brother designated as heir. He has already signed with his own name declaring his purpose. After that you would receive the keys or codes to unlock what is now yours. Then go receive.

These are simple principles - the essential essentials! This is the process for your spiritual life to receive what your elder brother, Jesus, has for you in His Will.

Romans 10:9-10 shows us how to become the brother of Jesus Christ. We believe in our hearts that God raised Jesus from the dead and we say out loud: "Yes, Lord, I believe. Come into my heart." You become a new creation in Christ Jesus (2 Corinthians 5:17).

Hebrews 2:11 TPT tells us that "Jesus, the Holy One, makes us holy. And as sons and daughters, we now belong to his same Father, so he is not ashamed or embarrassed to introduce us as his brothers and sisters."

Let's break this down: Jesus died and was raised up - but He left His last will and testament declaring that all who believe in Him are heirs together. Wow!!

Jesus is our <u>elder brother</u>. (Hebrews 2:11)

Jesus is the Word - and the scriptures are His last Will and Testament. "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God." John 1:1 and then "The Word became flesh and dwelt among us ... the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth." John 1:14

Jesus gave us **His Name** to use. ("Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son." Luke 10:17).

Jesus left us **access** to <u>all provisions</u>, <u>solutions</u>, and <u>relationship with God</u> as Father - in His Will. He gave us a destiny and mission here on earth. (Matthew 28:18-20)

Jesus Himself is our lawyer. He mediates the will and He advocates for us along with the Holy Spirit. 1 Timothy 2:5 "For there is one God and mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus", and 1 John 2:1b "... we have an advocate with the Father - Jesus Christ, the Righteous One."

Do you have Identification? <u>Jesus IS our ID!</u> Galatians 2:19-20 TPT "...My old identity has been co-crucified

with Christ and no longer lives. And now the essence of this new life is no longer mine, for the Anointed One lives his life through me — we live in union as one!..."

There are many scriptures clearly state that He has given us a new identity in Him:

"Christ's resurrection is your resurrection too. This is why we are to yearn for all that is above, for that's where Christ sits enthroned at the place of all power, honor, and authority! Yes, feast on all the treasures of the heavenly realm and fill your thoughts with heavenly realities, and not with the distractions of the natural realm. Your crucifixion with Christ has severed the tie to this life, and now your true life is hidden away in God in Christ." (Colossians

3:1-3 TPT)

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2 Corinthians 5:17 AMP states: Therefore if anyone is <u>in Christ</u> [that is, grafted in, joined to Him by faith in Him as Savior], he <u>is a new creature</u> [reborn and renewed by the Holy Spirit]; the old things [the previous moral and spiritual condition] have passed away. **Behold, new things** have come [because spiritual awakening brings a new life].

Now that we are clear on this wonderful Will of our elder brother (Jesus) we can show our "ID" by speaking up, using His Name as He told us to and choosing to receive. He has given us **keys to His kingdom** and all His Will and provisions through faith and through the Name of Jesus.

However, does anyone here have a problem? You may be thinking I love this teaching but I can't seem to get answers to some of my issues.

I want to let you in on a secret... **The problem with the problem is not even really the problem!** (I promise I am not making light of any situation you face.)

Not going to God is actually the problem and thinking God won't or can't help is the problem.

In Christ is every solution. God knows that He has resolutions for you. He wants us to come in, give your situation to Jesus and let His life give you rest. He wants us to connect with Him and be confident of the Love God lavishes for us. (1 John 3:1).

Have a relational, trusting, faith-filled lifestyle.

"So above all, **constantly seek (talk with your Father)** God's kingdom and his righteousness, then all these less important things will be given to you abundantly. **Refuse to worry about tomorrow,** but deal with each challenge that comes your way, one day at a time. Tomorrow will take care of itself." Matthew 6:33-34 TPT

Worry disconnects you and me from this process of receiving.

It's also important to **come to God with a joyful heart.**We don't have to be happy about certain circumstances
- BUT **we know Who** we are going to visit when we pray.
The Lord of breaking through! The Father who loves and said that if He did not spare His own Son how will He not also freely give us all things we need. Come to Him with a **trusting heart** - with eyes on Jesus, the Author and Finisher of our faith. He is the reason we have joy.

Psalm 100:4 TPT exhorts us: <u>"You can pass through his open gates</u> with the **password of praise**. Come right **into his presence** with thanksgiving. Come bring your thank offering to him and affectionately bless his beautiful name!"

So here is a key - if you are worried, **use the password** into His presence. PRAISE Him. If you are not worried and have become skillful at resting in His grace you still use the same pass code.

Many of us have had a lot of **Zoom calls** in the last few years. For most of those calls a passcode was required. Without the passcode you might log on and then just be sitting in the cyber waiting room staring at a screen with no people. When you enter the passcode - **you're in** and can have conversations!!

Psalm 100:4 says that praising God is a password

into His life, His blessings. This verse is NOT suggesting that praising God is like a magic formula to obtain answers. No, it is however, a **key to keeping your heart** centered on Him. There is a biblical way of approaching God and that is



to stop focusing on our feelings of fear, unworthiness, guilt, condemnation (you know what I mean!).

So disconnect from anxiety and connect with Authority and intimacy with Father. Break from the burden and join your life with Jesus. He tells us in Matthew 11:28-30 TPT: "You have entrusted me with all that you are and all that



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Prayer Requests

Please feel free to write a short <u>Prayer Request</u> so that we may stand with you in these turbulent and unprecedented times. HEBREWS 13:5-6 "I will never leave you, nor forsake you' so that we may boldly say, 'The Lord is my Helper; I will not fear what man can do unto me."						

you have. ... "Are you weary, carrying a heavy burden? Come to me. I will refresh your life, for I am your oasis. Simply join your life with mine. Learn my ways and you'll discover that I'm gentle, humble, easy to please. You will

find refreshment and rest in me. For all that I require of you will be pleasant and easy to bear."

So we approach God celebrating His goodness and that He has made a way for us to connect - through Jesus Christ. We celebrate that God, El Shaddai Himself, is our Father. We choose to honor Him. We choose to thank Him for all He has done and all that we will receive from Him in the future.

To help you on this track <u>I'd like to</u> send you Don Gossett's book: **"Praise:**The Password to Blessing". Praising God helps us to focus on His nature and

character. Praising God helps us keep our hearts focused on His grace and kindness.

As we celebrate this Christmas season we can see in all those in the original account that **Praise is a password into the grace of God** for their lives:

Mary magnified the Lord when she received His grace-filled Word that she would give birth to the Son of God.

The angels glorified God when Jesus was born and

filled the atmosphere with reverberations of heavenly music as grace and truth Himself came as a baby. Shepherds came to show their awe.

Wise and seeking men from eastern lands followed God's

gracious leading and showed up. They bowed down, gave gifts and worshiped.

Today let's honor the reason Jesus came - we, Team Bold Bible Missions, are continuing to reach out and send materials for prisoners; plant churches and send messages out via Radio waves and Internet to help people know Jesus and walk with Him.

Thank you for your generosity at this time as you join with us to bring help and healing through the Words and power of Jesus.

Thank you for helping us **pray and proclaim "Peace on Earth,** Good will

toward all men" (Luke 2:14). Let's continue to lift up and pray for the peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6) and the region surrounding. For protection, wisdom and resolution.

Trusting and Praising God along with you,



Debra Gossett



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Action Card Dear Debra. Help me to come into God's family and find a new covenant with God.	DON GOSSETT Radio Ministry						
Please send the book Praise - The Password to Blessing I am excited to build churches in Africa and support the ongoing missions of <i>Don Gossett Ministries</i> . I commit to pray for the radio broadcasts, prison, internet and book outreaches of Don Gossett Ministries (aka <i>Bold Bible Missions</i>). Yes Debra, I'd like to stay connected. Here's my info:							
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