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## INFORMATION ABOUT THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

November derived its name from the Latin word “Novem” meaning (9). It is the ninth 9th month of the Biblical sacred calendar (the month Kislev), the 3rd month according to the civil calendar 5779 and the eleventh 11th month according to the Gregorian calendar. Though it became the 11th month, it retained its name when January and February were added to the Roman calendar.

Kislev is the month of Chanukah. It is the only holiday in the Jewish calendar which spans two months. Chanukah begins on the 25th day of the month of Kislev and concludes in the month of Tevet. The miracle of Chanukah reflects how the trust of the Maccabees in God, drove them to stand up and fight against the Hellenistic Seleucid Kingdom and its culture.

October, November and December constitute the last quarter of the year following the Roman Gregorian calendar. It is the fall season moving into the winter. Except for human activity, the rest of creation is drying off, dying or falling away or going into hibernation in preparation for rest and recuperation during the long winter period. It is the season when the seed must fall to the ground and begin to die (Joh 12:24). Only the barest necessities for survival remain and minimal energy is utilized.

During this period, there is heightened spiritual activity both for evil and for good. It was during the 9th month that the children of Israel led by Ezra brought repentance and restitution before Jehovah for marrying foreign wives (Ezra 10:9). During that same month the Prophet Jeremiah received a prophecy concerning Jehovah's judgment over Israel. It was a time of fasting. When King Jehoiakim heard the prophecy read from a scroll he rejected it and burnt it up (Jer. 36:9,22). Prophet Haggai received significant words from Jehovah (Hag 2:10,18) concerning blessings for a defiled people.



Alexandria, Egypt

## WHAT IS THE NAME OF OUR GOD?

According to Wikipedia "Jehovah is the Latinization of the Hebrew יהוה, one vocalization of the Tetragrammaton (יהוה) YHWH), the proper name of the God of Israel in the Hebrew Bible. The consensus among scholars is that the historical vocalization of the Tetragrammaton at the time of the redaction of the Torah (6th century BCE) is most likely Yahweh. The historical vocalization was lost because in Second Temple Judaism, during the 3rd to 2nd centuries BCE, the pronunciation of the Tetragrammaton came to be avoided, being substituted with Adonai ("my Jehovah"). The Hebrew vowel points of Adonai were added to the Tetragrammaton by the Masoretes, and the resulting form was transliterated around the 12th century as Yehowah. The derived forms lehouah and Jehovah first appeared in the 16th century.

"Jehovah" was popularized in the English-speaking world by William Tyndale and other pioneer English Protestant translations such as the Geneva Bible and the King James Version. It is still used in some translations, such as the New World Translation and Young's Literal Translation, but it does not appear in most mainstream English translations, as the terms "Jehovah" or "Jehovah": used instead, generally indicating that the corresponding Hebrew is Yahweh or YHWH." (From Wikipedia) In the Bishop's Bible (1568), the word Jehovah occurs in Exodus 6:3 and Psalm 83:18.

The Authorized King James Version (1611) renders Jehovah in Exodus 6:3, Psalm 83:18, Isaiah 12:2, Isaiah 26:4, and three times in compound place names at Genesis 22:14, Exodus 17:15 and Judges 6:24. The Leningrad Codex is the oldest complete manuscript of the Hebrew Bible in Hebrew. It is dated 1008 CE.

You can download it at [www.seforimonline.org/seforimdb/PDF/264.pdf](http://www.seforimonline.org/seforimdb/PDF/264.pdf) This Hebrew manuscript contains 50 occurrences of the full spelling of the name Yehovah. The Aleppo Codex is an ancient vocalized Hebrew manuscript. It is about 100 years older than the Leningrad Codex but it is not complete. This document contains the name Yehovah. When you look at Ezekiel 28:22 in the Aleppo Codex it says: "Thus says Adonai Yehovah.."

I encourage you this month to read and study this document for yourself. There a website that will help you. It is [www.aleppocodex.org](http://www.aleppocodex.org).

The King James Version uses "JEHOVAH" to translate the divine name in most instances. Jesus's Hebrew name "Yehoshua" (יהושע) (means "Yehovah saves" and is derived from יהוה). This Hebrew name became "Jesus" in Aramaic and "Ἰησοῦς" (Iesous) in Greek.

## WHAT IS THE MEANING OF YEHOVAH (JEHOVAH)?

According to Easton's Bible Dictionary "Jehovah - the special and significant name (not merely an appellative title such as Jehovah [adonai]) by which God revealed himself to the ancient Hebrews (Exodus 6:2 Exodus 6:3 ). This name, the Tetragrammaton of the Greeks, was held by the later Jews to be so sacred that it was

never pronounced except by the high priest on the great Day of Atonement, when he entered into the most holy place.

Whenever this name occurred in the sacred books they pronounced it, as they still do, "Adonai" (i.e., Jehovah), thus using another word in its stead. The Massorets gave to it the vowel-points appropriate to this word. This Jewish practice was founded on a false interpretation of Leviticus 24:16. The meaning of the word appears from Exodus 3:14 to be "the unchanging, eternal, self-existent God," the "I am that I am," a covenant-keeping God. (Compare Malachi 3:6 ; Hosea 12:5 ; Revelation 1:4 Revelation 1:8 .)

The Hebrew name "Jehovah" is generally translated in the Authorized Version (and the Revised Version has not departed from this rule) by the word JEHOVAH printed in small capitals, to distinguish it from the rendering of the Hebrew Adonai and the Greek Kurios , which are also rendered Jehovah, but printed in the usual type. The Hebrew word is translated "Jehovah" only in Exodus 6:3 ; Psalms 83:18 ; Isaiah 12:2 ; 26:4 ... Let us look at some examples: 1 Kings 18:24 says: Then you call on the name of your Elohim, and I will call on the name Yehovah, and the Elohim who answers by fire, He is Elohim. Isaiah 60:19 says: No longer will you have the sun for light by day, nor for brightness will the moon give you light, but you will have Yehovah for an everlasting light, and your Elohim for your glory.

The ancient Israelites used the name as a blessing in daily life. Ruth 2:4 gives us an example. It says: Now behold, Boaz came from Bethlehem and said to the reapers "May Yehovah be with you." And they answered him, "May Yehovah bless you."

## **WHY ARE WE LOOKING AT THE BIBLICAL CALENDAR?**

Our current Gregorian calendar is a solar calendar (it is based only on the length of a year as determined by the sun). The starting day of the year and the length of months are not based on any physical or Biblical principles but merely a happenstance of history.

The moon is given to mark Feasts—which are usually explained as a certain day of a certain month in the Bible: He appointed the moon for seasons [Hebrew moed means “festivals”]; the sun knows it’s going down (Psalm 104:19, NKJV).

Blow the trumpet at the time of the New Moon, at the full moon, on our solemn feast day (Psalm 81:3, NKJV).

Genesis 1:14-16 also states that the sun and moon are the two great lights to indicate “festivals, days and years”. The sun marks the days and years, but Festivals are in certain days of certain months—marked by the moon. The first day of a month (“new moon”) was observed with a special meal in the Old Testament (1Sam 20:5, 2 Kings 4:23, Amos 8:5). That practice continued in the New Testament Col 2:16.

The practice will continue during the new heavens and new earth (Isa 66:23, Ezekiel 46:1,6). New moons were not the same as the annual Feast days in Leviticus 23—there is no specific command and explanation of how to keep them. But many verses say they were observed.

Most references to dates in the Bible are like those of Genesis 7:11: “In the six hundredth year of Noah’s life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month...” The day and the month are numbered, but the year is given as a year of the persons’ life, the year of a king’s life, or the year from some big event.

Although months are generally referred to by number, there are two systems of naming them in the Bible. The first system uses Hebrew names, the second uses largely Babylonian names acquired when the Jews were in captivity in Babylon. The four Hebrew names are:

- Abib the first month (Ex 13:4, 23:15, 34:18, Deut. 16:1)
  - Zif the second month (1Kngs 6:1,37)
  - Ethanium the seventh month (1 Kings 8:2)
  - Bul the eighth month (1Kngs 6:38)

The original Hebrew names for the other months are apparently unknown. (From Biblical Calendar Basics, Third edition - April 2002).

As we seek to understand the times, we will look at events that took place in each month as determined by the Biblical Calendar.

## **WHY DO WE INCLUDE A SECTION ON PRAYING THROUGH THE HEAVENS IN OUR GUIDE?**

Believers are a royal priesthood unto Jehovah (1 Pet 2:9), we have also been made kings and priests unto our Jehovah (Rev 1:6; 5:10). The priest’s lips should keep knowledge and the law should be sought at his mouth (Mal 2:7). Jehovah interprets our ignorance of various aspects of the kingdom as a rejection of knowledge with grievous consequences (Hos 4:6). Knowledge of the heavens and how to deal with them in every season is a very important aspect of the Kingdom of heaven.

In Primeval Astronomy, “The Gospel in the Stars,” Joseph Augustus Seiss explains the purpose of the stars and their constellations in their original context. In a lecture entitled, “The Starry Worlds,” first published in 1882, he attests: “Such wonderful creations of almighty power and wisdom were not without a purpose.” Seiss explains that stars and groups of stars, constellations, were created to fill the galaxy – in a particular order for a very specific purpose. God created the stars (Gen. 1:16) and positioned them in their exact places in the universe (Ps. 8:3). Stars were, “for signs and for seasons, and for days and for years, in the expanse of the heavens to give light upon the earth.” (Gen. 1:14, 15).

Stars were so important that God named them. “He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name.” (Ps. 147:4). The stars are a continual reminder that the Seed of the woman will ultimately triumph over the Serpent (Gen. 3:15). God’s revelation is constantly told in the stars (Ps. 19) — which is a message of salvation — available to every generation who professes faith. (Romans 9-11, Joel, Isa.) The entire ancient world received the gospel prior to Christ ever being born— through the stars.

## TEACHING – THE SPHERE OF MEDIA

### WHAT IS MEDIA?

The term “the media” originated in advertising over 70 years ago, but has come to refer to all forms of mass communication.

The word media is actually the plural form of the word medium, which Webster’s defines as, “a means of affecting or communicating something.” From this perspective, all communications: movies, television, radio, advertising, literature, and music are all forms of media, for they are a means of communicating something, and they do affect us.

### HOW DOES MEDIA AFFECT US?

Human beings are sensory beings. Our view of the world is shaped and affected by what we perceive through our senses. Especially through what we see and hear. The human brain is like a computer. All the information that is taken in through the senses is stored in the brain for later retrieval. This is true whether the person can understand the information or not.

If a child is unable to understand what he is seeing or hearing, the information is still stored in memory, and this information can be accessed later on when the child is old enough to understand. These images that are stored, compiled, and processed along with sounds form the core of our personalities and are the essence of who we are. However, they lack a context. That context is our worldview.

### Someone’s worldview enables him to:

- 1) Define the world around him,
- 2) Relate to the world around him and
- 3) Define his place in this world.

Let us look at an example to see how your world view affects the way you process information.

#### Person A

Data: Lying

Worldview: Christian

Context: the Bible, which says, “Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.”

Conclusion: lying is wrong

Result: a society that values truth

## Person B

Data: lying

Worldview: Humanist

Context: Man is God; therefore, he chooses what is right and what is wrong.

Conclusion: lying is wrong only if a person believes it to be wrong.

Result: a society that has little regard for truth.

Our worldview is crucial to who we are, and who we are determines what our society is. In order to control society it is important to control the sensory data that is coming in. It is important to control our worldview which is the context in which we view the sensory data that we are receiving.

### **WHAT DOES THE BIBLE HAVE TO SAY ABOUT MEDIA?**

Satan knows the power of the visual. How did he tempt Eve in the Garden of Eden? “When she saw that the tree ... was pleasant to the eyes ... she took of the fruit” (Gen 3:6). Note the progression: saw, pleasant, took.

How did Satan try to tempt Jesus Christ? He gave Him a vision of the glory of the world’s beautiful kingdoms. If Christ would just worship Satan, He could take the kingdoms for Himself (Luke 4:5-7).

How does Satan work today? Through the “lust of the eyes,” he tempts people with the attractive delights of “this world” (1John 2:16). Lust, when it has conceived, brings forth sin (James 1:15).

Surrounded by this corrupt enslaving culture, what should Christians be doing?

#### **We have three basic options:**

1. Conform to culture and go with the flow

Is this what the Bible had in mind when it warned: “Love not the world” (1 John 2:15) and, “Be not conformed to the world” (Rom 12:2)? Definitely not.

2. Convert culture

Can we not Christianize culture and turn it into a force for good? No. This world system has been judged and condemned by God.

We are called to be “salt and light” as we bear testimony to our Lord in a world that rejects Him. The system is under the control of the “god of this age,” Satan.



### 3. Confront culture

From the first century believers have been aware that their task is to swim against the tide. Our task is to be different to the world. To come out and be separate from it (2Cor 6:17), to walk a godly path in the midst of ungodliness. This means making hard choices, especially in the sphere of media.

As you consider your media choices ask yourself:

- 1) Is there any glory for God in it? (1Cor 10:31)
- 2) Does it grieve the Holy Spirit? (Eph 4:30)
- 3) Is it a good use of my time? (Eph 5:16)
- 4) Does it please the Lord? (Heb 11:5)
- 5) Is it worldly? (1John 2:15-17, James 4:4)
- 6) Is it a good example? (1Tim 4:12)
- 7) What impression does my involvement with it give to the world? (2Sam 12:14, Rom 2:24)

As believers, these are questions about how we engage with these powerful technologies and allow them to impact our lives.

Technology is always about power. Technology can be used to control people and enslave them. The Philistines prevented the Israelites from using iron because of the advantages it gave them in warfare (1 Samuel 13:19-21).

If we are not careful we can find ourselves negatively impacted by technologies. They often carry certain expectations or promote habits, and we may not question these. In this way, we are influenced by them in ways we might not have wanted.

In 1 Corinthians 6 Paul says: “I have the right to do anything” – but I will not be mastered by anything.’

In Matthew 22:34-40, Jesus explains that the purpose of everything in the Bible is to foster right relationships: love for God, and love for neighbor. ‘All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.’

It is through this lens that we should view the way we engage with all media, exploring its impacts on our relationships with God and with other people. We need to discern the effects and be deliberate about our engagement.

### WHAT IS THE STATE OF MEDIA TODAY?

British journalist and satirist Malcolm Muggeridge (1903-1990), writing before the dawn of the internet age, observed that, “The media in general, and TV in particular, and BBC television especially, are incomparably the greatest single influence in our [British] society today, exerted at all social, economic, and cultural levels.

Today, the average teenager's non-school screen time exceeds 50 hours a week. Cable TV and the internet offer them movies, music tracks, games, and social networking updates 24 hours a day.

If we are not watchful, technology can dominate our life. This can lead to numerous harmful side effects, from shortened attention spans and moral corruption to texter's thumb.

There is now evidence that the generational shift from a written to a visual culture is changing the way we think, read, and remember. The fear is that our brains are being rewired. Whatever the brain does repeatedly and frequently, it gets good at and becomes addicted to.

Sir David Frost, OBE (1939-2013), an English journalist and media personality, once humorously said that "Television is an invention that permits you to be entertained in your living room by people you wouldn't have in your house."

On the back cover of Maggie Jackson's book *Distracted – The Erosion of Attention and the Coming Dark Age* we are asked: "How did we get to the point where we keep one eye on our [iPhone] and one eye on our spouse? We can contact millions of people worldwide, so why is it hard to schedule a simple family dinner together? How did we get to the point where we tweet on holiday, text during family dinners, read e-mails during meetings and classes, and learn about our spouse's day from Facebook?"

The screen is desirable and addictive because of the fast moving, rapidly changing HD color images. Viewing is less taxing than reading and a picture is worth a thousand words.

Paul Mazur, a Lehman Brothers Wall Street banker from the 1930's said, "We must shift America from a needs, to a desires culture. People must be trained to desire, to want new things, even before the old have been entirely consumed. Man's desires must overshadow his needs."

In the documentary series *The Century of the Self*, Adam Curtis explains how American citizens were deliberately turned into consumers by the introduction of Freudian psychology into advertising.

Bob Pittman, founder of MTV, said: "The strongest appeal you can make is emotionally. If you can get their emotions going, make them forget their logic, you've got them. We don't shoot for the 14 -year-olds at MTV, we own them.

The worldview that is being pushed through the story lines of the movies is dangerous. James Cameron promotes shamanism in *Avatar*. Quentin Tarantino promotes postmodernism and a world without absolutes in *Pulp Fiction*. Occult messages and themes are found everywhere from *Harry Potter* to *Game of Thrones*.

**There is a principality that is in control of media.** In the book *The Seven Mountain Prophecy*, Johnny Enlow describes it this way:

Apollyon is the name of the ruling spirit over the Hittites. Apollyon means "destroyer" and "destruction" means to fear, promote terror, especially as it relates to wars like Iraq and Afghanistan. These demonic influences can cause deception, lack of truth telling, manipulation of truth, partial truth, and can become a source to instill fear in society. They can also shape culture to be viewed in an ungodly and humanistic

way. They promote doubt, unbelief and discontent with our national leaders in our government by often focusing on only the negative aspects of the war instead of the positive outcomes being achieved. It is more often the bearer of bad news. Media can serve as a pawn by Satan to deliver and communicate fear and despair to culture. (From Enlow, The Seven Mountain Prophecy, 49)

### **HOW DO WE RECLAIM THE SPHERE OF MEDIA?**

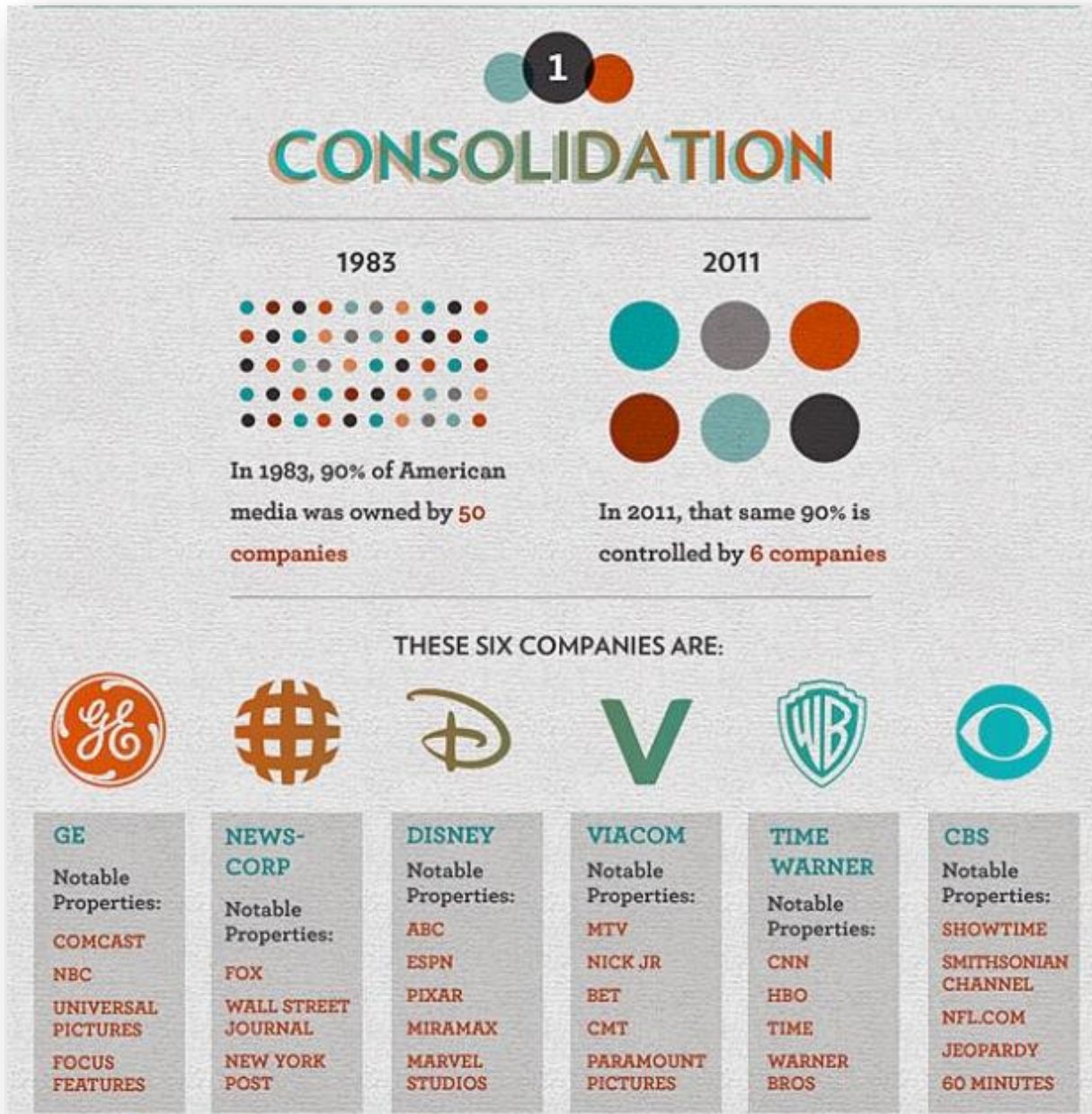
We have identified the principality that is controlling the media. This is a spiritual battle! The following prayer points are taken from an article that was published in Charisma News entitled “How Intercession Will Help Us Invade the 7 Mountains”

The media's negative, biased reporting has already made a mark on generations who are now conditioned to distrust any news report. As intercessors, we can pray for a restoration of truth on the Media Mountain as we lift up the following key points.

- Pray that those on the Media Mountain will report the truth with integrity and without exaggerating the facts.
- Pray that those shaping media coverage will report both the good news and the Good News.
- Denounce information that is reported through the lens of evil.
- Call for the voices of righteousness and truth that have not been heard. Just as Ezekiel called forth life from a dead environment, we must call out those whom God has appointed to declare His character upon a mountain that has been ruled by the forces of evil. Remember, whoever controls the language controls the culture.

Isaiah 52:7 tells us “How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news”

This was the US media landscape in 2011.



In a June 1, 2016 article published in Forbes Magazine, Kate Vinton wrote about the 15 Billionaires that own America's News Media Houses.

Today the traditional media houses are consolidating to prevent domination by the tech industry. (See article "Watch this Space" in Fortune, August 1, 2018).

The media landscape is changing rapidly.

We need change agents who will take over the sphere of media.

**John Calvin had the printing press. We have the internet.**

Today a fellowship can start their own online radio station with very little upfront costs. What are you doing?

In every nation we urgently need to strategize and implement the taking back of the sphere of media.

It is true what Francis Schaeffer said, "Whoever controls the media controls the culture".

### **Helpful Resources:**

Book, Change Agent by OS Hillman

Article, How Intercession Will Help Us Invade the 7 Mountains, by Tommi Femrite published in Charisma News

Christian Media Association, [www.christianmedia.org](http://www.christianmedia.org)

Christians in Media, [www.writeanswer.org](http://www.writeanswer.org)

TBA: Social Media by the Jubilee Centre

Article – Seeing Is Believing, Deepfake Video and Public Trust by Charlee New – a publication of the Jubilee Centre

## EXCERPT FROM THE BOOK 7 FUNDAMENTAL QUESTIONS BY DR. ABU BAKO

### CHAPTER ONE

#### WHO AM I?

At first glance, this appears to be a foolish question –for there is hardly anyone who does not know his name. The question, however, goes beyond identification by name. It touches the heart of your God-given identity – who are you in God, in life, in this season and generation?

#### In the beginning . . . GOD!

Show me your foundation, I will show you how long you will last: whether this foundation has to do with your marriage, education, work or business.

To do a good job of self-discovery, it is not to go and “find yourself.” Rather you need to discover your roots in . . . God!

In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth. So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth. (Gen 1:1,26-28)

- You are made in the image and likeness of God.
- You are the official representative of God.
- You are an expression of God’s heartbeat.

Consider Isaiah 49:1-2: Listen to me, you islands; hear this, you distant nations: Before I was born the LORD called me; from my birth he has made mention of my name. He made my mouth like a sharpened sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; He made me into a polished arrow and concealed me in his quiver.

God knows you by name. So, what name did God give you other than the name by which your parents and friends call you? He called you and knew who you were going to be, before you were formed in your mother’s womb.





It is important for you to know that you are not an ordinary person; neither are you an “accident” on earth. You are an arrow shot from the womb of God!

You did not only come from the quiver of your father. You came first of all from the quiver of God. From there you were deposited into the quiver of your father and then you were shot forth into the egg of your mother.

***Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are sons born in one’s youth . . . (Psa 127:4)***

God, the Archer, shot you forth like He shot forth Moses to lead Israel out of Egypt, and shot forth Joseph into Egypt to make Egypt the food basket of the world in the time of famine, therefore, you cannot be ordinary.

If you knew for a fact that you were an arrow shot forth from the womb of God your life would change radically. It would become more meaningful and relevant to the pattern of heaven.

May the Lord help you to know that you are an arrow in the hands of a mighty warrior. You are not in the hands of a novice or a starter who is trying his hand out at shooting. You are an arrow in the hand of a mighty warrior who knows how to handle you, who knows the exact target He is aiming you to strike at, so that He can achieve the results He so desires from you as His arrow.

### **GOD MADE YOU THE BEST**

After God created everything He said “It is very good,” and you were included in that statement. When God looks at you, He sees a one-of-a-kind masterpiece. There has never been anyone like you and there will never be anyone like you. God did not make you a failure.

(This book is available at Amazon.com)

### **WHAT SHOULD WE BE DOING AS KINGDOM CITIZENS IN THE NATIONS?**

Jesus instructed us in Matthew 28:19-20 (Hebrew Gospel of Matthew) to: "Go and teach them to carry out all things which I have commanded you forever."

This is what Paul did in Ephesus and in three years there was national transformation. Paul proclaimed the whole will of God Acts 20:27. As we pray for transformation in our nations what are we supposed to teach them? He said, "to carry out all things that He had commanded". We must teach them what the Bible says about family, government, politics...about all the spheres of society. We are called to be a transforming influence in society. The Bible provides us with a frame of reference for life.

The Jubilee Centre has over the past 30 years researched extensively around promoting good and right relationships at personal, organizational and public policy levels, as a practical expression of the biblical

vision of society. Visit them on the web at [www.jubilee-centre.org](http://www.jubilee-centre.org) for resources to help you to teach them. If we don't teach them how will they know what to do?

**“Jesus is LORD” is one of the most radical realities of Christianity. It means that He is the Supreme Ruler over ALL.**

Jesus was commissioned by God the Father to come to earth, destroy the works of the Devil, and restore that which was lost. Jesus OBEYED everything the Father told Him to do. When Jesus left the earth, He gave His followers the same commission He had received from the Father - Go reconcile the human family to the Father, destroy the works of the Devil, and restore that which was lost. Proclaiming Jesus as LORD means we are to OBEY what He commands us to do. You are not saved to go to heaven: You are saved to bring heaven to the earth. Matthew 6:10 -- "Thy kingdom come, they will be done, on earth as it is in heaven." (From <http://www.the-covenant-kingdom.com>)

This month as you pray through this guide ask Jehovah to show you what He would have you do to bring heaven to the earth.

## PRAYING THROUGH THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

- Proclaim Psalm 148 commanding all creation to praise the LORD at the gates of this new month.
- Declare Jesus LORD over the month. Command the lunar and solar gates of the month to be lifted up unto the LORD of Hosts so the everyday of this month will utter forth the speech that declares only His praise and glory, and reject every other voice that instructs them to do otherwise Ps 19:1-6, 24:7-10.
- This month commences with the end of the Halloween/All Souls' Day festivals of death and destruction. We know that the enemy will always perform the counterfeit of what the LORD intends for His people. Therefore declare life, resurrection, health, strength revival at the gates of this new month. Psalm 118

As you draw to the end of the year and strategize for the next, there are many decisions to be made, you are at a cross-roads and sometimes at cross-purposes. Therefore it is a season to step back, slow down, get back into focus. It is the beginnings of the season for hibernation in the northern hemisphere. Creation prepares for a time of a sabbatical, a time to rest and recuperate, a time to rebuild depleted resources to get in touch with their nature and their Creator. That way they keep that original decree to multiply and replenish themselves.



In the southern hemisphere it is the season approaching the summer holidays. A time of rest and recuperation, blossoming and fruitfulness. Only man defies this very natural pattern of rest that was set by the LORD. You may not be able to take physical time away, but you can retreat during this season by the following:

- Reduce your information intake and limit it to consuming more of the Word of the LORD. Read or listen to large chunks of scripture rather than watching TV or listening to the radio or reading newspapers. The LORD is so faithful He will ensure you receive every information you will need during this season.
- Spend quality time in song ministration and prayer to the LORD.
- Have fellowship with people who will help you grow in the word and in Biblical doctrines; this includes reading literature to this end.
- Throughout the year you have heard much. You have spoken much. It is time to begin to slow down and digest all that information. Pray and ask Jehovah the following: What is the LORD speaking for the next year? What does 2017 hold for you? What does it hold for your family? Your business or ministry? The Ecclesia? The nation? Jehovah is faithful to answer questions pertaining to His kingdom agenda without fail.
- Read Isa 50:5, Isa 30:21, Prov 18:15, Mic 6:6-8 It is time to listen to Jehovah's strategy. Spend time in silent meditation and create an atmosphere of listening to the LORD for feedback every so often. Ask the LORD to open your ears this coming month so you can hear what He is saying and His purpose and plan for each moment. Pray that you will also have the grace to humbly obey each time you hear His voice.
- Participate in various types of fasting as a way of waiting upon the LORD where possible.
- Read Job 33:14-17 This is a season that creation prepares for hibernation in the northern hemisphere? A time to retreat and meditate, plan and dream into the days to come. Pray for Jehovah-given dreams, visions concerning His plan for your life, family, the Ecclesia and territory in the days to come.

## **IS THIS THE MONTH OF YOUR BIRTH?**

Even if this is not your month of birth, pray into the day of your birth on a weekly basis (that is the weekday in which you were born). Take time at regular basis to be praying for yourself and prophesying over your own life. Speak into the foundations of your life and prophesy good things.

- Prophecy that you will live and not die prematurely in any area of your life. Your family will live, the work of your hand will live and grow from strength to strength Deut 33:6, Psa 27:13, 118:17.

- Prophecy and proclaim the blessing of Levi upon your life as a priest unto GOD 2 Pet 2:9, Deut 33:8-11.
  
- Prophecy the blessing of the wisdom of Issachar in every area of life. Wisdom to establish the work of your hands, your family, as you grow a year older 1Chron 12:32, Deut 33:18b-19, Pro 24:3-4.
- Prophecy and proclaim the blessing of Benjamin upon your life Deut 33:12.
- Prophecy the blessing of Joseph. Speak to the earth and declare that the earth will bring forth its best for you in this New Year. Prophecy to the heavens to declare the glory of GOD over your life every day of this New Year. Deut 33:13-17, Lev 26:4-5, Hos 2:21-22, Psa 19:1-2, Isa 55:12.
- Prophecy that you will grow in your spirit man into a mature son so that you can receive your inheritance. Wherever you go in this new year, creation will experience release from frustration because you are growing not just in years but also in maturity of spirit to take responsibility of your Father's estate i.e. the territory GOD has allowed you to inhabit. Rom 8:19-20, Gal 4:1-2
- Thank Him for your specific day of birth. Declare that day blessed.
- Thank Him that He ordained that you will be made manifest on earth on a specific day in that month at a specific hour and minute.
- Thank Him that He has a purpose for your life and it will be fulfilled.
- Ask Jehovah to forgive you where you have for one reason or another, ignored or rejected to recognize your day of birth.
- Thank Jehovah for the day of your conception. (Psa 139:13)
- Thank Jehovah that when He thought of you, he already thought of your entire life. Thank Him that He did not leave anything to chance. (Isa 49:1)
- Thank Him that he knew exactly what your redemptive purpose was going to be. (Psa 139:16)
- Pray that He will reveal the original you more and more as you enter another year of your life. (Psa 139:13-15)
- Pray that He will restore the heavenly label, and the heavenly name He gave you before you were conceived. (Jer 1:5).

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- Prophecy the blessing of Dan concerning your role as a leader. Prophecy over your inheritance that Jehovah will indeed ensure you leave an inheritance for your descendants. Deut 33:20-21, Psa 16:5-6.
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- Prophecy that you will grow in your spirit man into a matured son so you can receive your inheritance. Wherever you go in this new year, creation will experience release from frustration. Rom 8:19-20, Gal 4:1-2
- Praise Jehovah that your birthday marks the entry into another season of Jubilee. Thank Jehovah that immediately you were born, you cried out prophetically blowing your own jubilee cornet, and prophetically rejoiced in yourself. Ask Him to give you joy no matter your circumstance, to rejoice on this day.

## **FESTIVALS DURING THIS MONTH**

**THE SEASON OF KISLEV** - Begins at sundown on November 8, 2018 and will end at sundown on December 8, 2018.

Kislev is the ninth of the twelve months of the Jewish calendar.

Kislev comes at the same time as the secular months of November/December. This is a cold and dark time of year. Nature rests, and winter is upon us.

The constellation for Kislev is Sagittarius, the arching bow. The arching bow reminds us of the rainbow and of our responsibility to be guardians of the earth. In Genesis 9:12–17, God places a rainbow in the sky as a covenantal sign, indicating a promise never to destroy the earth again.

The bow of Kislev reminds us of the bows of the Maccabees who fought against the Selucids in the story of Chanukah.



## CHANUKAH

Chanukah is the Hebrew word for “dedication.” The eight-day Jewish celebration bearing that name — it is also called the Festival of Lights. This celebration remembers the dedication of the Temple in Jerusalem after it had been recovered by the Jewish forces of Yehuda Maccabee in 164 BC. The Syrian king Antiochus IV Epiphanes (a forerunner of the anti-Christ, foretold in Daniel 11:21), seeking to coerce the Jews into abandoning their religion and culture for that of Greece, had issued edicts forbidding circumcision, observance of Jewish Sabbaths and feast-days. He had defiled the Holy Temple by offering a sow on the altar and raising up in the sanctuary a statue to Zeus.

As depicted in the First Book of Maccabees (an account of Jewish history found in the Apocrypha), a revolt was launched by the priest Mattathias and later led by his son Yehuda (Judas) Maccabee. It led to the defeat of the Syrian forces, and the defiled Temple was cleansed and re-dedicated. Another account relates how during this cleansing there was only enough sanctified oil left to burn in the menorah for one night—yet a miracle occurred, and it continued burning for eight days. The victorious warrior Yehuda ordained “that the days of the dedication of the altar should be kept in their season from year to year by the space of eight days, from the five and twentieth day of the month of Kislev, with mirth and gladness” (I Maccabees 4:59). Today, part of the celebration includes the use of a special eight-branched menorah upon which a new oil lamp or candle is lit each evening. Each light is ignited from the flame of a separate “branch” called shamash—“servant.”

## THE SEASON OF KISLEV

**EVENTS IN THE SEASON OF Kislev**– (From the book, “Triumphing at the Gates of the Stars in Their Seasons” by Steve Ogan)

	Events in the Season of Kislev	Implications for prayer and Practical Action
1	Greeks set up the “abomination of desolation” in the Temple.	Pray that the release of the Redeemer’s triumphant Archer, will restrain the practice of abominations.



<b>2</b>	Ezra compels the Jews to put away their strange marriages (Ezra 9:12)	Pray that men and women who have strange marriages will willingly bring restitution.
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## COUNTERFEIT FESTIVALS

### All Saints Day, All Souls’ Day and Death Festivals

All Saints Day and All Souls’ Day are celebrated in honor of the dead on 1st & 2nd November. By this, the mysteries of the grave involving familiar spirits are activated – a platform for the devil to pollute, defile, manipulate and oppress people.

- These are the days that the LORD has made. Declare that the days that open this month belong to the LORD. Command these days to reject every speaking from the kingdom of darkness and they should only do that which Jehovah has ordained for them for you, your family and the Ecclesia. (Psa 19:2)
- Read Isa 51:16, Deut 18:18, Isa 59:21 Ask the LORD to fill your mouth with His words for these days so that you can plant the heavens and lay the foundation of the earth according to the pattern of His kingdom
- Events like All Saints Day and All Souls’ Day open up the land to defilement by familiar spirits so people are likely to experience visitations of long dead relations and loved ones which manipulate their minds, or inform their decisions on issues. The spirits also defile or oppress them. It is appointed for people to die once and not to return in any way shape or form. Close every gate the enemy may use to defile you or your loved ones, or the Ecclesia through familiar spirits. Gen 3:19, Heb 9:27
- Plead the blood of Jesus over your life and over everything connected to you. Pray that the LORD will keep His protective hand over you, your family, the Ecclesia, as the spirit of death passes over the land Psa 90, Psa 91, Exo 12:12-13

## PRAYING FOR NATIONS

### COLOMBIA

On 11 October 2018, the Colombia National Disaster Risk Management Unit (UNGRD) reported heavy rain had triggered landslides in the Los Andes neighborhood of the municipality of Marquetalia in Caldas Department. At least 12 people have died after heavy rain triggered landslides in Colombia’s Caldas Department. Meanwhile in La Guajira Department in the far north of the country over 60,000 people have been affected by flooding since early October.

### INDONESIA

Indonesian officials announced the death toll nearly reached 2,000 from a devastating earthquake and tsunami on the island of Sulawesi on 28 September. Officials warn that thousands more are believed to still be unaccounted for. The official toll hit 1,948, mostly in the hard-hit city of Palu.

## UGANDA

At least 41 people were killed after a river in eastern Uganda burst its banks on Thursday, October 11, sending a torrent of mud and rocks into homes. An estimated 400 people are still missing.

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Areas of the US were devastated by Hurricane Michael which made landfall in the Florida Panhandle on October 10, 2018. At least 27 deaths have been blamed on the hurricane across four US states - a number expected to increase further.

**Please use these prayer points as you pray for the nations listed above:**

- Pray for the victims- that Jehovah would comfort them, pray that family members will be reunited.
- Pray for healing and mercy - God is our comfort and strength Psalm 46:1, Psalm 57:1-2
- Pray for wisdom and safety for those responding to the people in need. Pray for the safety of the rescue workers.
- Pray for the Body of Christ in the nation. Pray that the Body of Christ will be a witness of God's compassion and care for all who suffer. God is inviting us to be His watchmen in prayer and find Him as our refuge in hard times.

## NATIONAL DAYS

The following nations celebrate national days in this month

- 1) Algeria 1 November (start of the War of Independence in 1954)
- 2) Angola 11 November (Independence from Portugal in 1975)
- 3) Antigua and Barbuda 1 November (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1981)
- 4) Barbados 30 November (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1966)
- 5) Bosnia and Herzegovina November 25 (Dan državnosti; Statehood re-established in 1943 from the Independent State of Croatia)
- 6) Cambodia 9 November (Independence from France in 1953)

- 7) Dominica 3 November (Independence from United Kingdom in 1978)
  - 8) Latvia 18 November (Declaration of independence from Russia in 1918)
  - 9) Lebanon 22 November (Independence from France 1943)
  - 10) Mauritania 28 November (Independence from the France in 1960)
  - 11) Micronesia 3 November (Independence Day, from the US-administered UN Trusteeship 1979)
  - 12) Monaco 19 November (the levée of Prince Albert II in 2005)
  - 13) Myanmar 14 November
  - 14) Oman 18 November (birthday of Sultan Qaboos bin Said al Said of Oman)
  - 15) Panama 3 November (Separation Day, the 1903 separation from Colombia)
  - 16) Poland November 11 (Independence Day restoration of independence from Austro-Hungary & Russia 1918)
  - 17) St Eustatius (Netherlands) 16 November (The “flag incident” of 1776; the United Provinces (Low Countries) (informally) recognize the independence of the United States)
  - 18) Scotland 30 November (St Andrew’s Day, patron saint, now a bank holiday)
  - 19) Suriname 25 November (Independence from the Netherlands, in 1975)
  - 20) Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus 15 November (Declaration of independence from the Cyprus in 1983)
  - 21) Yugoslavia (former state) 29th November (Republic Day, Socialist Republic 1943 (and 1945)
  - 22) Albania 28 November ("Dita e Pavarësisë", declaration of independence from Ottoman rule in 1912)
- Using Acts 17:26-28, pray into the womb of time for the above nations. Thank God that He is the One Who determined the boundaries of each nation at an exact time and season during a particular year for the purpose of redeeming each of these nations and causing men to seek Him and find Him.
  - For each nation celebrating an independence day, pray that the LORD will follow this with the independence of His people from the kingdom of darkness into His glorious kingdom of light. Many will have a personal encounter with Him which will lead to their decision for salvation over eternal death. Pray that the people in each of these nations will choose life and that there shall be fellowships which will be on hand to receive and disciple them into strong disciples of the LORD. Matt 28:18-20.
  - Thank the LORD that He is Governor over the above nations and He rules justly (Psa 22:28)
  - Pray that a level of kingdom governance will begin to reflect in each of the above nations as they mark various milestones during this month.



- Prophetically proclaim Isaiah 61 to the Ecclesia in each of the above nations.
- Pray that the LORD will strengthen the weak hands and knees of the Ecclesia in each nation. One common feature in each of the above nations is that the Ecclesia is not very strong. There is a strong

occult presence in each of these nations. Pray that the LORD will raise a prophetic Ecclesia to deal with all forms of occult in this season.

- Pray for nations that have turned heavily to Secular humanism because of the relative successes they have enjoyed in areas of economic development. Many of these nations have become centers of immorality and defiance of the LORD. Pray that the LORD will in this season do something that will cause the people in these nations to turn their hearts back to Him.

## NATIONAL ELECTIONS

We encourage you to keep praying for a nation's election for at least 2-3 years before the fact. That way, you pray without the frenzy of campaigns and the attendant pressures. Also Jehovah can begin to reveal the person whom He wants to raise in position of leadership.

Be like Mary who anointed Jesus for his death and burial way before the actual event. While everyone else was scrambling around to do their good deed after He had died, and missed the opportunity because He was risen, she could rest content that she had done her bit on time. Be like the five clever virgins who paid the price of preparation before-hand, so that when the bride-groom did appear, they entered into their rest while the foolish virgins scrambled around trying to do a hasty last minute job.

Let us not be fire-fighters and crisis intercessors. Such an important matter as a nation or region, or constituency leadership should not be taken as lightly as it has been done in the past. Let this sacred new year commence a new beginning and new attitude toward matters of elections.

### NATIONAL ELECTIONS – (NOVEMBER & DECEMBER)

#### November

- 4 November: [New Caledonia, Independence referendum](#)
- 6 November:
  - [Guam, Governor](#)
  - [United States, House of Representatives](#) and [Senate \(one third\)](#)
- 7 November: [Madagascar, President \(1st round\) and Parliament](#)
- 18 November: [Guinea-Bissau, Parliament](#)



- 24 November: [Bahrain, Parliament](#)
- [Chad, Parliament](#)
- [Taiwan, Constitutional referendum](#)
- 25 November: [Switzerland, Referendums](#)

## December

- 10 December: [Libya, President and Parliament](#)
- 19 December: [Madagascar, President \(2nd round\)](#)
- 23 December: [Democratic Republic of the Congo, President and Parliament](#)<sup>[17]</sup>

## Unknown date

- [Bangladesh, Parliament](#) (between 31 October and 31 December)
- [Fiji, Parliament](#)
- [Mali, Parliament](#) (November or December)
- [Togo, Parliament](#) (by November)

- Thank GOD for the above nations that have different types of election activities over the next two months.
- Pray that GOD's Shalom shall brood over each territory as they participate in elections.
- Pray that the elections will be free and fair and that the individuals whom GOD has marked for leadership will emerge as winners as the Ecclesia partners with GOD in making the proper selection
- Pray that the Ecclesia will no longer be used as a pawn in campaign activities in these nations. Rather the Ecclesia will have a strong voice in representing the kingdom of GOD in the national matters.
- Pray against the party spirit that breeds division in the Ecclesia whenever election seasons come.

## PRAYING THRU THE HEAVENS

- For any army to win a war, they will ensure their air-force is in place. Whether it is simple Calvary in ancient times, or soldiers positioned on the city walls, or on high hills or elevated places, these have the best view of the battle. For you to overcome the enemy in this spring season, ensure that the heavens are in agreement with you. Speak to the heavens over the month and ask them to declare the glory of Jehovah. Command the sun, moon, stars and every heavenly being to do Jehovah's bidding, and to do that which they were created for - to give Him pleasure (Ps 19:1-2, Rev 4:11)

GOD created the heavens and gave them their role in creation – to determine the times and seasons on

earth (Gen 1:14-18). It is a must for every kingdom citizen to study and understand the heavens and know our role as stewards of His estate toward them – not the ungodly astrology, horoscope and other occult practices.

Once we acquire GOD's ordained knowledge for the heavens, we will be able to set up their dominion here on earth (Job 38:31-33). Remember that in Mathew 28:18-20 Jesus commissioned the fledgling Ecclesia with all the authority given to Him to go out into all nations and disciple them. This authority included that which is in heaven and on earth. It is our duty to answer in the affirmative, the question that Job was asked concerning the visible firmament in Job 38:31-33. (For further teaching on "Understanding the Heavens" make a request of the teaching by email).

## LUNAR MOVEMENTS

### Crescents and Quarter Moons

When the moon is shaped like a C or its mirror image (Sickle), it is considered a crescent moon. The quarter moon is shaped like a D or its mirror image and considered to be a bow. The occult will use the bow shaped moon to shoot arrows of wickedness to the unsuspecting in order to draw unfair advantage in various areas of life. The occult use the crescent moon as sickles (e.g. Hecate's sickle), for harvesting the gains of the ignorant and for demonic strength and fortification with intense enchantments.

- Proclaim Psalm 148 and Command all creation especially the crescent and Quarter moons to praise GOD as instructed in Psalm 19.
- Proclaim Psalm 64 and fasten that judgment into the heavens.
- Proclaim Isa 26:1-9 and command the heavens to receive this instruction and reject every other voice of destruction; pray for strength and fortification "Trust in the LORD forever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength". Isa 26:4
- GOD abhors enchantment so He warned His people not to be involved in enchantment. (Lev 19:26b) Pray that the occult, involved in intense enchantment will equally and certainly face the fierce wrath of GOD. Is 13:9

### The Full moon will occur on 23 November 2018 @ 00:00 UTC

- Praise GOD for the full moon this month.
- Declare that as the moon has waxed into fullness this month, so shall you receive a double portion of the prophetic release which will wax to fullness during this season.

- Command the full moon to declare the glory of GOD alone and reject every other instruction from any other source that is not ordained by GOD. Psa 19.
- Proclaim Zech 9:15-17; In this month, command the full moon to praise GOD. As the enemy comes in like a flood, as he comes as a terror by night or shoots arrows that fly by noonday, the Word of the LORD will be your shield and buckler. Psalm 91
- Ask Jesus who is the Conquering King, to ride forth victoriously on behalf of righteousness, humility and truth during the full moon season. Every enemy instruction for the full moon to strike the righteous by night will be returned to sender as the moon rejects every other instruction except that which is from the LORD Psa 45.3-6
- During full moon seasons the gravitational pull of the moon on the earth causes an ebb and flow of waters resulting in tidal action and instability of the waters on earth even in bodies of all creatures. Pray that the waters of your body will stabilize and be still during the full moon season when the waters ebb and flow, and body fluids are also affected adversely. Ask the LORD to be the stability of your times; pray this for your economy and for the political landscape in your territory.

**The Last Quarter moon will occur on 29 November 2018 while the First Quarter moon will occur on 15 November 2018.**

- Command the Quarter moons to praise GOD in this season.
- Pray that GOD will teach your hands to war and your fingers to do battle so you can break the steel bows of the witches, wizards, sorcerers, necromancers, diviners, monthly prognosticators, astrologers, traffickers of familiar spirits and the queen of heaven (Ps 18:34; Ps 144:1)

**The New Moon occurs on 7 November 2018 @ 00:00 UTC**

- Command the new moon to praise GOD who created it to mark the times and seasons. Psalm 104:19, 136:8-9, 148:3,
- Command the new moon to receive instruction only from GOD and from Kingdom citizens to fulfill only the purpose which GOD created it for in this season. Pray that the moon shall reject the incantations, prognostications and manipulation from any other ungodly source.
- Pray that as the new moon waxes as a witness in the sky, so shall their desire to know the true LORD GOD grow with it.
- Pray that GOD should cut off those that handle the sickle in the time of harvest against the ignorant and cause them to flee. (Jer 50:16)

- At the new and crescent moon proclaim and enforce Num 23:23 over your life, family, and the ignorant in the Ecclesia and territory.

## SOLAR MOVEMENTS

From November 23, 2018 to November 29, 2018 the sun passes through a cluster of 44 stars in the constellation called **Scorpio symbolized by a scorpion**. This represents Jesus as the Redeemer who goes through conflict with the enemy in order to redeem His people. Stars: The Scorpion seeking to wound, but itself trodden under foot. The Serpent and the Man struggling.

The Mighty Man kneeling on one knee, humbled in the conflict, but holding aloft the tokens of victory, with his foot on the head of the Dragon; wounding Him that cometh, attack of the enemy, battle, the cleaving as in conflict, the enemy, the wounding. Jer 36.23, Psa 22.16

- Proclaim Jer 51.20-23. As the heavens declare, once judgments are meted out, it is time to enforce the decrees against the enemy. Pray that Jehovah will use you and the Ecclesia, His instrument of transformation in this coming season of conflict with the enemy in order to bring redemption
- Pray for the Ecclesia at large for a spirit of increased evangelism in this season. As trials increase many are losing hope in all they had held onto as their hope. May the Body of Jesus arise to reveal Jesus as the only HOPE of the nations. Col 1:23-28
- Have seasons of praise to Jesus Who is forever the Savior of the entire creation. The heavens remind us of this most important role that all creation awaited and was so effectively achieved on the greatest altar ever erected at the Cross of Calvary. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you a fresh revelation of the Cross and how to continually and daily bear your cross as you emulate Jesus. Pray this especially for every kingdom citizen in the territory 1 Cor 2:5-9, Phil 3:7-12, Col 1:15-22, 5:5-9

The other three smaller group of stars called decans that form part of Scorpio describes the conflict in detail.

**SERPENS and OPHIUCHUS, HERCULES** represents the struggle with the enemy.

**Serpens** – the Serpent; stars the serpent held; Gen 3.15 bruise the head; Psa 91.13 tread on the adder; the accursed, encompassing, the reptile

**Orphiuchus** – the serpent holder; fighting with Satan; the Desired, holding the serpent, his foot on the head of the scorpion Hagg 2.7; enfolding, in the foot bruised, the wounded, contending, head of him who holds

**Hercules** – the mighty one; stars: who cometh; he who bruises, his foot over the head of the dragon a Strong one; Rev 19.11 white horse; conqueror. Stars: the strong, the wounding, punishing, treading under foot, the branch kneeling, head of him who bruises, breaks, who kneels, who cometh to labor, to suffer

- Proclaim Rev 4-5 Praise Jehovah that the heavens declare every step that was taken by Jesus to secure all of creation's redemption as He endured the judgment of Jehovah and then arose to enforce it over the kingdom of darkness.
- Read Rom 8:19-20, Col 1.15-20 Throughout His passions from the betrayal, the last Supper, to the intercession at Gethsemane, the false accusation and torture at the hands of Pilates soldiers and the Via Dolorosa to the Cross Jesus was contending with the enemy in both a mortal and an immortal combat to secure redemption for the sons of men and physical redemption of all of creation. Each stage of His passion was a statement of judgment on the enemy. He wrested from him the keys of death and hell. He led captivity captive and released from eternal bondage the entire universe. All creation breathed a sigh of relief as the First fruit among many brethren, a matured Son was made manifest to release creation from the bondage it had suffered since the fall of man. Celebrate Him in praise for defeating death and the grave for all of creation
- Pray that the Holy Spirit will help you grow in areas where you are still being spiritually childish, oversensitive, or irresponsible or unaccountable. Jehovah is looking for matured sons who will be useful stewards for Jehovah's estate. If you are to be an instrument of justice and righteousness then you will need to be mature and responsible with an understanding of your legal authority as a kingly priest before. Pray that your territory will not be ashamed before other nations because you and other kingdom citizens in the territory are matured sons who will contend with every enemy at the gates. Pray that you will grow up and become such a son who will partner with Jehovah in the Great Commission. Psalm 127, Jer 49:1-2, Gal 4:1-3.
- Proclaim the blessing of Asher (Gen 49:20, Deut 33:24-25) and Isaiah 35, over your life, your family, and kingdom citizens in the territory.

From 30th November to 17 December 2018 the sun will move into the cluster of 134 stars in **OPHIUCHUS**.

This represents the struggle with the enemy. In Scorpio we see merely the effort to wound the mighty Man Ophiuchus the healer in the heel; but in Ophiuchus we see the effort of the serpent to SEIZE THE CROWN, which is situated immediately over the serpent's head, and to which he is looking up and reaching forth. The contest is for dominion.

It was the Devil, in the form of a serpent, that robbed the first man of his crown; but in vain he struggled to wrest it from the sure possession of the Second Man and the last Adam - Jesus. Not only does he fail in the attempt, but is himself utterly defeated and trodden under foot. Throughout His passions from the betrayal, the last Supper, to the intercession at Gethsemane, the false accusation and torture at the hands of Pilate's soldiers and the Via Dolorosa to the Cross and the resurrection, Jesus was contending with the enemy.

- Read John 1:12, Heb 2:9-18 It is a season to join the heavens and all of creation as they declare the glory of the Jehovah in His capacity as our Kinsman Redeemer, as our Savior and Deliverer, the First-fruit among many brethren, the Healer of the breach between man and Jehovah, the Son who has made all who believe to become sons of Jehovah.
- Proclaim Psalm 45 and 136 The Victor Jesus then rides forth victoriously on behalf of humility, righteousness and truth. Take time to praise Jehovah Who is revealing His overcoming power in the heavens over this entire season. Praise Him who has not left Himself without a witness in the heavens.
- Proclaim Psa 103:1-3, Isa 53:5-6, 1 Pet 2.24. The heavens declare that our Healer has arisen. Do you have any infirmities? Join the heavens in declaring divine healing from the Healer Himself who destroyed the works of the evil serpent including infirmities.
- Read Col 1:15-20, Rev 4:11, 5:12-14. Praise Jesus that He triumphed over the enemy so completely and all the authority, all the power, all the dominion was given to Him. He is crowned with many crowns and rules all things in righteousness and justice.
- Read Matt 28:18-20, Mark 16:15-18. Pray that in this season Jehovah will reveal to you a glimpse of this authority and power that was released to you through Jesus to overcome in your generation

even as the heavens declare. When the grace is no longer there, the punishment for those who reject Jesus will be great.

- Read Prov 11:30b Pray for the Ecclesia to preach more about the second return of Jesus, not to redeem, but to judge. Pray that in the midst of all the festivities there will be sobriety with regard to the reality of this Savior and Redeemer, Who will return as Judge over Creation.

**DRACO (The Dragon)** represents the old serpent or the devil cast down from heaven. Since the fall of Adam and Eve in the garden, the devil has caused untold harm to humanity. His purpose is to ensure that on the Day of Jehovah he will have as many people as possible condemned with him to the lake of fire. Hell was never created for men but for the dragon and his surrogate spirits. It will be much more harrowing should any man be cast out of Jehovah's presence on that Day.

- Pray for yourself. Do not be deceived, Jehovah cannot be mocked. What you sow is what you will reap. Examine yourself. Are you living a life which will be found worthy to enter into the Master's joy, or will you be cast into the outer darkness with the dragon? Ask Jehovah for a spirit of repentance and reflection over your life. Ask Him to help you walk in line with Him so that you will be found worthy to enter into His rest. Pray this for the Ecclesia in your territory.
- Read 1 Joh 3:8; Have you often been tormented or seen great suffering because of the works of the devil? There is a season when all of it will be over. The pain, the death, the destruction will come to an end both in your lifetime, and ultimately when the causer of all pain – the devil himself will be removed and all of creation will go back to its original order before sin entered the earth. Praise Jehovah for this hope and assurance that we have in His divine justice against all evil and unrighteousness.
- Read Num 6:23-26, Deut 28:1-13 and proclaim these blessings over your life and family for this coming month.

## **PRAYER REQUESTS FROM GAPNET PARTNERS**

We receive prayer requests from our GAPNET Partners every day. We will put the general categories from those requests here and ask you to remember to pray for them during the month. Thank you.

- Please pray for healing for those in the GAPNET family that are sick.
- Pray for those who are struggling with addictions.
- Pray for strong Christian families.
- Pray for our ministry partners for financial provision.



- Pray for Christian spouses for our children.
- Pray that the leaders of the nations would have a Damascus experience.
- Pray for our children who are disappointed with the Body of Christ and sees it as hypocritical.
- Pray that they will build a personal relationship with Jesus.
- Pray for the financial resources that we need to advance the work of the Kingdom in the nations.

## PROPHECIES FOR 2018

The prophecies for 2018 will be posted on the GAPNET website once they become available. Also refer to the website for the complete 2017 prophecies and those from previous years that continue to be fulfilled.

## PROCLAIM

THE LORD IS WITH ME; HE IS MY HELPER. I LOOK IN TRIUMPH ON MY ENEMIES. IT IS BETTER TO TAKE REFUGE IN THE LORD THAN TO TRUST IN HUMANS. IT IS BETTER TO TAKE REFUGE IN THE LORD THAN TO TRUST IN PRINCES. ALL THE NATIONS SURROUNDED ME, BUT IN THE NAME OF THE LORD I CUT THEM DOWN. THEY SURROUNDED ME ON EVERY SIDE, BUT IN THE NAME OF THE LORD I CUT THEM DOWN. THEY SWARMED AROUND ME LIKE BEES, BUT THEY WERE CONSUMED AS QUICKLY AS BURNING THORNS; IN THE NAME OF THE LORD I CUT THEM DOWN. I WAS PUSHED BACK AND ABOUT TO FALL, BUT THE LORD HELPED ME. THE LORD IS MY STRENGTH AND MY DEFENSE; HE HAS BECOME MY SALVATION. SHOUTS OF JOY AND VICTORY RESOUND IN THE TENTS OF THE RIGHTEOUS: "THE LORD'S RIGHT HAND HAS DONE MIGHTY THINGS! THE LORD'S RIGHT HAND IS LIFTED HIGH; THE LORD'S RIGHT HAND HAS DONE MIGHTY THINGS!" I WILL NOT DIE BUT LIVE, AND WILL PROCLAIM WHAT THE LORD HAS DONE. PSALM 118.7-17

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