

Month: January

Scripture: Revelations 3:8, Psalm 24; 7-10

Food for Thought: Year of Open Doors



Here at Equipped for Excellence Women's Ministry, we feel massive anticipation and excitement as we embrace our. **"YEAR OF OPEN DOORS"** and enter into 30 days of Prayer & Fasting.

All friends and partners of e4e you are welcome to join us on this wonderful journey and believe that this year you too will access every Open Door set before you by Jehova God himself. Every Open Door in 2015 will be like a portal that allows you entry into another dimension. Don't be left behind, join us move into another dimension by the glory of God!

Beloveds, God says we are entering a time of unprecedented change never experienced before. While the earth trembles and quakes at an alarming pace, we children of the Most High God, are awakening to fresh encounters. January to December we will encounter open door after open door!! There is a smell of fresh morning dew in the air for those who fear God. The Lord is preparing us so we are not surprised at anything that is offered by the world. God is preparing us to stay amazed at his indescribable sovereignty and majesty.

Beloved saints, the open doors set before you will usher you into your season of endless opportunities that will make it possible for you to do and become what you have always wanted to do and become. It is time for you to shock your enemies and amaze your friends in Jesus name!

Perhaps you are one of those who have never really tasted "open doors" since you were born. You've never experienced any breakthrough at any time and nothing has ever come easy for you. Your story is about to change In Jesus Name!! That good thing which you have never experienced shall be delivered to you this season. On the other hand, there are some people whose doors were opened in the past but for one reason or another, the doors were shut. The man with the withered hand in Matthew 12:10-13 once had a normal hand before something happened and it withered. Also, the widow of Nain once had a living son before death snatched him and Jesus raised him back to life (Luke 7:11-15). Beloved, every good door that closed shall be reopened this season and when He opens a door, no man can shut it.

Sometimes you may try to open doors in your own strength and fail. Sometimes you may succeed in opening a door in your own strength only to find that somebody has closed it again. When you face such situations, please allow the Lord to open these type of doors, not you. His mighty strength and power will open doors so that no one can shut them again! He will go before you and break down every hindrance and break down gates of bronze and cut through bars of iron...just so you can enter! Do not struggle in vain in your own strength against these strong barriers, but instead allow the Lord to do what He does best. He knows how to take care of you. Remember He opened the Red Sea to make His people pass through it. But He closed it when the Egyptians tried to use the way He had opened for His people. I want to reassure you that the doors that the Lord opens for you cannot be used by our enemies. The way of escape for you will become a way of destruction for your enemies.

When God opens a door for you, you do not have to fear whether anybody will close the door that God has opened for you. Sometimes we live in fear of men and of the devil even after the Lord has opened a door for us. We live in constant fear and worry whether the door will be closed again by anyone and we begin to suspect everyone that they might do something harmful to us. The Lord does not want us to live in such fear and worry. What we should really worry about are things that are hindrances to open doors.

1) **Sin.** Gen 4:7. What is sin doing at the door? To stop you from using it. You must live a lifestyle of consecration and holiness to possess your open doors. I declare you shall escape every trap of sin in Jesus name.

2. **Adversaries.** 1Cor.16:9. Many adversaries contend with your open doors. Both Satan and his demons and human agents of darkness. This is why you must not be lazy in prayer and the word. Live in constant prayer and expectation always.

May unexpected doors open and release divine benefits to you and your family. May open doors bring you face to face with your assigned and divine helpers.

Foundational scriptures and confession:

Revelations 3:8 “I know thy works: behold, I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it: for thou hast a little strength, and hast kept my word, and hast not denied my name.

Psalms 24:7-10 “Lift up your head, O ye gates; and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle. Lift up your heads, O ye gates; even lift them up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory.”

The Lord bless and keep you

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