The Old Wineskins And Old Wine Of The Denominational Churches

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Part I

The overriding reason for the failure of overcomers and individuals to rule with Christ during the Millennium to arise in the Body of Christ is because there have been no apostolic and prophetic ministries prayed into the Church by Christians. Matt 9v37,38, Mark 3v14, Acts 2v40-47, 8v14-18, 11v19-30, 12v25, 13v1-3, 14v3,21,22,23,27,28, 1Cor 4v16, 11v1, Heb 6v12, 13v7, 1Peter 5v1-4, 3John v11.

One of the main responsibilities of apostles, prophets and pastors is to inspire and guide new converts into manifesting spiritual gifts and seeking spiritual ministries. 1Cor 14v1 (1Cor 11-14v40), Eph 4v7-16.

We see Barnabus taking Paul under his wing, and by His Grace, inspiring and guiding him into the greater ministries of the Church. John 1v16, Acts 9v27, 11v25,26, 13v1-3, 12v25, 15v37-39, Rom 1v5,17. Barnabus also saw in his young cousin, John Mark, what he had earlier seen in Paul. In refusing to take him on the 2nd missionary journey with Barnabus, he had shown great zeal, but without love, and here we see the apostle who wrote 1Cor 13, writing about something he had yet to experience in his own life. Paul, in later life, realised that he had been wrong about John Mark. 2Tim 4v11.

If Barnabus hadn't taken John Mark under his wing, we would not have had Mark's Gospel (which Papias, early in the 2nd century said was Peter's account of the ministry of His Lord that had been written down accurately, though not in chronological order by John Mark. 1Peter 5v13). Peter calls John Mark "my son."

Spiritual gifts and ministries ALL flow from and by His Grace. John 1v16, 1Cor 12v4 ("gifts" in Greek is "charismata," literally "gifts of grace." They are "grace gifts" and there is absolutely nothing we can do to earn them!). 1Cor 12v28, Eph 7-16.

There is therefore a great need today for Christians to pray for God to raise up full prophetic and apostolic ministries. Matt 9v37,38.

The great lie of the Devil that spiritual gifts and spiritual ministries are not needed today and were withdrawn, only being in the Church during the 1st century has completely paralysed the Body of Christ for centuries. Joshua 24v31, Judges 2v7, 21v25, 1Sam 3v1, Prov 29v18. The effect upon the Church with no apostolic or prophetic ministries operating is the same as to what happened to Israel, "every man did which was right in his own eyes...the people cast of restraint." Judges 6v11-16, 1Sam 10v5, 1Kings 18v4, 19v16, 20v35, 2Kings 9v1. Samuel, Elisha and Elijah and the other Old Testament prophets all inspired young men and women to desire and manifest spiritual gifts and prophetic ministry.

Part II

Judaism and The Temple in Jerusalem in the days when Our Lord walked the earth had so degenerated from what God had given Moses to the state where they "had a form of godliness, but denying its power." Rom 2v19,20, 2Tim 3v5. The English word "form" in Greek is "morphosin," from "morphosis" (Strong's NT: 3446), and means "a pencilled outline (of the morphe) without any inner substance or reality, the mere outward semblance, as distinguished from the essential inner reality."

The Scribes and Pharisees were the "fundamentalists" of their day, they believed in the resurrection, angels and the miraculous. They believed God had done miracles in the past through the prophets and would again do them in the future at the resurrection, but they didn't believe God was doing miracles in their day because they weren't being done through them. Hence, they persecuted God's prophets John Baptist and Our Lord, even though they hailed and celebrated the prophets of old. Such was the viciousness of their persecution that they even accused the Lord Jesus of doing His miracles by Satanic power, and whenever God has manifested His power through His ministries from the early Church right and indeed right up to the Second Coming of Christ, these ministries will also be spoken against and accused of doing their miracles by Satanic power. Mark 3v28-30, Luke 2v34, John 15v20, Acts 28v22.

The Sadducees (Priests) were the liberal modernists of their day, they didn't believe in miracles or the resurrection, their desire was for political power and money, this is how they would influence the Jews and circumstances in Judea. The Herodians were a political party and the followers of King Herod (Herod The Great) and who wanted to restore a Herod to the throne in Judea as well as the other areas ruled by Herod

the Great. They were political foes of the Pharisees who wished to restore the kingdom to David. All three of these sects, inspired and energised by the Devil, came together to murder the Lord Jesus.

On different occasions Our Lord warned the apostles to beware of the erroneous and destructive teachings (i.e. leaven) of the Scribes, Pharisees, Sadducees and Herodians. Matt 16v6,11, Mark 8v15.

The denominations today contain all three of these groups of people. By far the greatest numbers are those of the Scribes and Pharisees sect, who today are the fundamentalist evangelicals. They say God did miracles in the past through the prophets and apostles, but they (both gifts of the Spirit and the greater ministries) were withdrawn at the end of the apostolic times (even though the Scriptures and Church history show differently) and God will do miracles again in the future, at the resurrection, He just doesn't do them today, as none are being done through them. This contradictory attitude is so bizarre, because the spiritual gifts that they say no longer exist they are praying for every day!

Those who insist that spiritual gifts have ceased and are not for today, must, if they are to be consistent, insist that God has removed them all, and not just some of them. If they really believe that spiritual gifts are not for today, how is it that they pray for divine healing? For this is a gift of healing. How is it that they pray for illumination upon a problem, or guidance from God? For this is a word of wisdom. How is it that they pray for ministers of the Gospel to receive the Holy Spirit's anointing? And for Satan's power to be lifted off people? And for people to be blessed? For these are the operations of the gift of faith. How is it that they pray for material needs to be met? For this is the province of the working of miracles. How is it that they pray for a revelation of God to the soul? For this is a discerning of spirits. How is it that they pray for an inspired utterance from God to help others? For this is the realm of prophecy. How is it that they pray for the Holy Spirit to inspire them in prayer? And then reject the gift of tongues, which is the Divine answer to this request. It is a fact that Christians who say that spiritual gifts have ceased to operate in the Church, actually pray for their manifestation. Those who reject spiritual gifts completely, have in reality tried to remove God's influence from His Church, and put it in the hands of men. We must accept that God has decreed that we need these gifts, and not frustrate the wise and loving reasons for their manifestation. 1Cor 12v7-11.

The Devil again has put this evil seed into the Church, that God no longer does miracles and neither does He set the greater ministries in the Church as they are not needed because we have the canon of Scripture, which they pride themselves in. Those who believe this lie endeavour to try and support it by using 1Cor 13v10: "But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away," trying to make "that which is perfect" refer to the Scripture canon, which is completely ludicrous. The canon of Scripture is not even mentioned in 1Cor 13, and nowhere in the New Testament is the canon of Scripture referred to as "perfect."

Indeed, the very Scriptures that they pride themselves in, witness against them to the fact that God still does miracles and sets apostles and prophets in the Church today, and has done so throughout the whole of the age of grace right up until the Lord's Second Coming. Acts 2v16-21,38,39, 1Cor 12v28, Eph 4v7-16, Rev 11v3-6.

The Sadducees (and Herodians) also are to be found in the Church today in the mainline denominations, the liberals who deny Christ's true humanity and deity, His resurrection, and rejection of the gifts of the Spirit and the greater ministries of the Church.

The Herodians are those in the Church who use political power to accomplish their plans and purposes.

Hence today, the mainline denominations, including the "so called" Pentecostals, like the Jews in Our Lord's day, have "a form ("morphosin") of godliness but denying its power."

The Devil has again managed to get the people of God believing that God no longer does miracles any more, that He is not the Great I AM, but the "great I WAS." The denominations need to ask themselves the same question that Gideon put to "The Angel of The Lord" (Who was the pre-incarnate Christ), "If the Lord is with us...where are all His miracles?" Judges 6v13.

There is only ONE way to bring God's Presence and power into any individual Christian or Church, and that is by turning to the Lord Jesus in an earnest way, thirsting after Him and seeking Him diligently by praying in tongues. Psalm 24v3-6, Isaiah 44v3,4, John 7v37-39, Rom 8v26-28, 1Cor 14v2,4,15,18, James 4v6-8, Jude v20,21. And then implement the government, practices and ministries that God has revealed in the Scriptures. Luke 22v24-29, John 13v1-17, Acts 2v40-47, 6v1-7, 1Cor 11v1-14v40 (esp. 12v28), Eph 4v7-16, 1Tim 3v1-13, Titus 1v5-9, James 5v13-18, 1Peter 5v1-11.

If Christians imitate the early Church, they will certainly get what the early Church got, and more, as the latter rains far exceed the early rains! God has NOT changed; He is still the "Great I AM." Exodus 3v14, Mal 3v6, John 6v20, 8v58, Heb 13v8.

It is an indisputable fact that Christians become like their spiritual leaders, if the leaders are content with the old wine and wineskins, the Christians who are under their care will become like them. Luke 5v37-39, 1Peter 1v18,19.

Part III

From 313 AD when Constantine supposedly became a Christian (although he murdered members of his family and continued in idolatry) and the publication of his Edict of Toleration (Milan), which heaped wealth, riches, position and (political) power upon the Church, the Church no longer trusted in God and His power, but in their wealth and political power, so that it lost God's presence, power and blessing that the early Church had enjoyed up until that terrible day.

John Wesley writes in his sermon "The More Excellent Way."

"It does not appear that these extraordinary gifts of the Holy Ghost were common in the Church for more than two or three centuries. We seldom hear of them after the fatal period when the Emperor Constantine called himself a Christian; and, from a vain imagination of promoting the Christian cause thereby, heaped riches and power and honour upon the Christians in general, but in particular upon the Christian Clergy. From this time they almost totally ceased; very few instances of the kind were found. The cause of this was not, as has been vulgarly supposed, "Because there was no more occasion for them, because all the world had become Christians." This is a miserable mistake; not a twentieth part of it was then nominally Christian. The real cause was 'the love of many,' almost of all Christians, so called, was 'waxed cold.' The Christians had no more of the Spirit of Christ than the other Heathens; The Son of Man when He came to examine His Church, could hardly 'find faith upon the earth.' This was the real cause why the extraordinary gifts of the Holy Ghost were no longer to be found in the Christian Church; because the Christians were turned Heathens again, and had only a dead form left."

He also said, "The Church lost as much as its spiritual power as it had gained in its wealth and influence."

From 313 AD until the present day the mainline denominations have been guilty of the terrible sin that the Jews were guilty of, and this is the charge that Stephen fired at the religious leaders of Israel just before they murdered him by stoning when he said: "Ye stiffnecked and uncircumcised in heart and ears, ye do always resist the Holy Ghost: as your fathers did, so do ye." Acts 7v51 (Acts 6v8-7v60).

We need to make our religious structure the same as the pattern laid down in the New Testament Scriptures, even as Moses obeyed the command to follow the pattern shown to him on Mount Sinai exactly when making the Tabernacle. Acts 7v44.

It is also imperative to listen to the Voice of the Holy Spirit. Heb 12v25, Rev 2v7,11,17,29, 3v6,13,22.

"The great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues...which came out of the tribulation, the great one," do NOT come out of the present mainline denominations, i.e., old wineskins and old wine BUT out of a New Testament structure, i.e., new wineskins and new wine, the same government, practices, ministries as practised by the early Church. Acts 2v40-47, 1Cor 11v1-14v40, Eph 4v7-16.

Part IV

For fifteen hundred years, Israel (religious leaders and its people) had actively rebelled against God, killing his prophets and those He sent to warn them. This culminated with the murder of the Promised One, their Messiah, the Lord Jesus. 2Chron 36v5-21, (esp. 36v16), Matt 23v1-39, Luke 19v41-44, Acts 6v8-7v60 (esp. 7v51-60).

Likewise the Church, from 313 AD, when Constantine claimed he had become a Christian and issued the Edict of Toleration (Milan) heaping wealth, position and (political) power upon it, to the present day, its leaders and people of the denominations have actively resisted the Holy Spirit and kept the Trinity firmly shut out of His Church, which the Lord Jesus purchased with His own blood, by implementing (the inspiration of which was by the Devil) non Scriptural government, practices and ministries into the Church, designed by the Devil to firmly and completely shut and lock the Trinity out of THEIR Church. Acts 20v28, Rom 10v21.

The words of the Lord Jesus in Matt 23v37, "How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing," hold true against all the denominations of the Church from 313 AD to this day, and will do so right up until the Second Coming of Our Dear Lord Jesus.

When the last great outpouring of the Holy Spirit occurs, all over the world countless numbers will respond to His Voice through those who preach the Gospel with the Holy Spirit sent down from Heaven, so that "a great multitude which no man could number...will come out of the Tribubulation, the Great One, and wash their robes in the Blood of the Lamb." Dan 11v32,33, John 10v16,27-30, Acts 2v16-21,38,39, 3v19-21, Heb 10v24,25,1Peter 1v10-12, Rev 7v8,9, 11v3-6, 12v1,6,14.

Part V

The wealth, property and prosperity that the denominations and Churches have amassed are an abomination to God. Luke 16v15 (Luke 16v1-31). This wealth has been obtained by taking it from the poor of God's people, even as the Temple in Jerusalem, which God had appointed to be the house of prayer for all nations, but had become a den of robbers. Mark 11v17. The spiritual leaders of these Churches, instead of being inspired and energised by the Holy Spirit, are inspired and energised by the Devil and the powers of darkness. Acts 3v6, 8v20, 20v33.

There is little or no presence of God in their services, and completely devoid of the power of God to deliver the sick, infirm, diseased and mentally ill people.

Part VI

The glorious Church of the last seven years of this age is not (as mentioned before) a product of the Orthodox, Reformed, roman Catholic or Pentecostal denominations, but a product of New Testament government, practices and ministries as seen and experienced by the early Church. Acts 2v16-21,38,39,40-47, 1Cor 11v1-14v40, Heb 10v24,25, Rev 6v9-11, 7,9,10,14, 11v3-6, 12v1,6,14, 20v4,5. Christians (generally) in the denominations will be totally unprepared for the Great Tribulation, being unable to stand due to the great evil that will be unleashed into the world when the Devil and his evil angels are cast out of the heavenlies into the earth and God's restraining hand is removed from them. Dan 12v1, Matt 24v12,15-22,45-25v13, 2Thess 2v1-12, Rev 12v7-12.

The great revival that is coming upon the Church will totally bypass the denominations due to their prayerlessness, worldly mindedness, and carnality; it will be a structure completely devoid of God's presence and power. Another lack in the denominations is a complete ignorance of last day prophetic truth, which will lead to Christians in those Churches being spiritually totally unprepared for the Great Tribulation. Luke 6v46-49.

Because the denominations consist of visible structures (i.e., buildings), in the countries where there will be great persecution during the Great Tribulation, these structures and the Christians associated with them will be destroyed. The only structure robust enough to withstand the great evil and persecutions of the Great Tribulation will be that practised by the early Church, which proved its ability for three centuries to withstand times of persecution and have continual revival. The structure of the early Church that was practised by Christians in communist Russia was the only one that withstood the great persecution from the communist government of that country. Dan 7v25, Rev 12v4,5, 13v7.

Part VII

As the religious leaders of Israel and its people missed the first Coming of Christ (due to a strong nationalistic mindset and a completely wrong idea about the character of Christ, Isaiah 53v1-4), as they were looking for and (erroneously) expecting a coming in glory (i.e., the Second Coming), when the Christ would (supposedly) come and throw off the Roman yoke and restore the kingdom to Israel, so the denominations will miss the Second Coming of Christ due to a fear of suffering for the Truth and the fear of men. Matt 16v21-23, Acts 1v6, John 7v13. They will (generally) be looking for a secret advent and rapture of the Church before the Great Tribulation.

As the Devil put an evil seed into the minds of the apostles that the Messiah would not suffer death, so he has put an evil seed into the Church that Christians will not have to go through the Great Tribulation, as they say that the Great Tribulation is the wrath of God (which is isn't, but the wrath of Satan, because he knows that he has a short time left upon earth after being cast out of the heavenlies at the beginning of the Great Tribulation, Rev 12v7-12) and that God has delivered them from the wrath to come. 1Thess 5v9.

As the mindset of the Christians in the denominations is that they'll miss the Great Tribulation, there will have been absolutely no preparation by them to face the great evil coming into the world at the beginning of the Great Tribulation, so when it comes, and there is no advent and rapture, they will backslide and go into apostasy, thus losing their salvation. Matt 24v12,15-22,45-25v13, Luke 6v46-49.

Part VIII

A true revival produces a deep godly sorrow for sin and a deep repentance in the individual, this produces a real earnestness in the new convert to give all to the Lord Jesus and take up his cross and follow Him and bear much fruit. Whereas, conversion of an individual in an environment where the Gospel is preached without the Holy Spirit (as is generally the case in the denominations, and will be the case during the coming revival which will bypass the denominations), produces little or no godly sorrow, leading to a shallow repentance, that yields little or no fruit in the convert, who, over the decades, will not mature spiritually, and remain a "babe," Greek, "nepios" (literally "non speaking one"). Matt 16v24, Luke 8v11-15, 1Cor 3v1-8, 2Cor 7v10, Heb 5v12-6v2. When temptation and hard times come, the convert with a shallow work of grace in their heart, will backslide and go into apostasy, hence why Paul tells us to work out our salvation with fear and trembling. Luke 6v46-49, Phil 2v12. The last great revival of this age (the latter rains, Acts 2v16-21) will soon be upon us, and will come in two stages: The first stage will occur just before the last seven years of this age starts (Daniel's 70th prophetic week), when the Lord Jesus opens the 1st Seal, which then precipitates Vladimir Putin (who will be revealed as The Antichrist at the start of the Great Tribulation) making a peace treaty with many parties, including Israel, for the last seven years of this age. Dan 9v27, Matt 24v15, 2Thess 2v1-4, Rev 6v1,2

The Holy Spirit will bypass the denominational churches, as they are not prepared for revival, and He will fall upon and fill those small groups and individual Christians who have been earnestly seeking Him in prolonged prayer, even as the disciples did in the Upper Room before (and after) the Day of Pentecost. Psalm 24v3-6, Acts 24v46-49, Acts 1v1-8,14, 2v42, 4v24-31, 12v5, 1Cor 14v15,18, 1Thess 5v16,17. This first outpouring of the Holy Spirit (the latter rains) will bring about a deep conviction of sin in the individual bringing about a deep work of grace in the new convert. During the first and second half of Daniel's 70th prophetic week, the Trinity will bring about the greatest revival that has ever occurred upon earth. The first three and a half years will get the Church ready for the Great Tribulation, before which the second wave of the latter rains will occur, which will bring a new authority and power into the Church, that of judgement and discipline of the wicked (both humans and angels) at the will of the believer (the greater ministries of the Church) and individual groups of believers (Churches), and the ability to strike the earth with every plague as often as the individual desires, even as the Two Witnesses will do for three and a half years in and around Jerusalem. This second wave of revival will also bring a multitude of believers into the Church, which no man will be able to number. Dan 11v32,33, Zech 12v8, Matt 18v18-20, Rev 7v9,10,14, 11v3-6, 12v1,6,14. God will keep, guard, protect and provide for a great multitude, which no man can number, during the Great Tribulation, even as He did with Israel for forty years in the Wilderness. Neh 9v21, Rev 7v9,10,14, 12v6,14.

The second wave of the last great revival of this age will coincide with the beginning of the last world war of this present age, that will continue right up until the Second Coming of Christ immediately after the Great Tribulation of those days, Who will destroy the wicked and to bring His people home and set up the Millennium Kingdom upon earth. Dan 11v29,30, Matt 24v29-31, Acts 2v16-21,38,39, 2Thess 1v5-10, 2v8-12, Rev 11v15-19.

Part IX

Many Christians around the world in the denominational churches, especially those who are in the countries controlled by Antichrist during the Great Tribulation, because of believing erroneous doctrine on the Second Coming (and so not being prepared for the Great Tribulation) will (when the Lord Jesus does not return, as they believe, just before the Great Tribulation) backslide and go into apostasy. Many Christians will even believe that Antichrist is the Christ due to him sitting in the Temple in Jerusalem claiming that he is God and the great lying signs, wonders and miracles that the False Prophet does to support his false claims, that Antichrist is God. Mal 3v1, Matt 24v11,23,24, 2Thess 2v1-12, Rev 13v1-18.

At the beginning of the Great Tribulation, the False Prophet will (falsely) claim that the Millennium has started and that it is the time when he "shalt break them with a rod of iron, and shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel," and that God has set his king upon His holy hill of Zion, that it is a rule of stern justice. Two thirds of the Jews will follow Antichrist, accepting him as their promised Messiah, and many Christians will believe the lie and accept him as their Christ. Psalm 2v6,9, Zech 13v8, Matt 24v24, 2Cor 11v14.

It is a great calamity that the vast majority of Christians in the Anglican, Orthodox, Reformed, Pentecostal, Roman Catholic and Independent Churches are in a comatose state regarding the Second Coming of the Lord Jesus. Matt 24v4,23-25,Mark 3v5, Luke 21v8, 2Thess 2v1-3,9-12, 2Tim 3v1-5 (esp. v6). The ignorance of these Christians within the denominations is very great and their knowledge about this critical event varies from the bare minimum to nil. This terrible state of affairs will continue (and indeed worsen), and when the last great revival of this age occurs, it will bypass the vast majority of these churches because of their refusal to seek Him. A small number of Christians in the denominations will respond to it and will be happy to listen to Christians outside of their denominations who have light from the last day prophetic Scriptures and are looking for His Second Coming, so as to get ready for the Great Tribulation and the dark evil days that are just around the corner.

As with Israel of old, only a tenth of believers in the denominations will respond to His urgent pleas to draw near to Him in earnest prayer. Psalm 24v3-6, Isaiah 6v13, Matt 24v7,8, Luke 21v11, James 4v7,8, 1Peter 5v6,7.

It Matt 24v45-25v13 we see the evil steward and foolish virgins as representing comatose pastors/ teachers and Christians in the denominational churches.

Part XI

During the Great Tribulation the Devil, energising his evil servants, Antichrist and the False Prophet, will set up a mock Kingdom of Heaven upon earth, a Devilish parody of God's Millennial Kingdom, and will mimic God's plan for the Temple in Jerusalem during the Age of Law, when His purpose for it was to be a house of prayer for all nations, where all peoples of the earth could come for healing of sicknesses and diseases, getting their burdens lifted, being blessed and their needs met. Isaiah 35v5,6, Mark 11v17.

During the Great Tribulation the False Prophet, in the presence of Antichrist, will by evil power do great lying signs, wonders and miracles by satanic power. This Satanic power will be used in many different ways, one of them being that people will come to the Temple and receive healing for their sicknesses and diseases, and get their needs met by this evil power. The cost to the individual partaking of satanic power for such a purpose will be having to worship the Devil, Antichrist and his image. By this they will then receive the mark of the Beast, which will enable them to buy and sell in the countries under the control of Antichrist, and ultimately ensuring their eternal damnation in the lake of fire. Dan 8v24, Matt 24v24, 2Thess 2v9, Rev 13v12-17, 14v9-11.

Many Christians in the denominational churches in the countries under the control of Antichrist, because of their great dearth of last day prophetic truth and prayerlessness, will listen to their spiritual leaders, who share their same spiritual deadness, and at the beginning of the Great Tribulation seeing the happenings in Jerusalem and being so awe struck by them, will accept Antichrist as the Christ, and backslide and go into apostasy, with them even making pilgrimages to the Temple in Jerusalem to worship him, thus ensuring that they go into the lake of fire at the Lord's Second Coming. Matt 24v45-25v13.

Conclusion

The great burden upon the Trinity's Heart at this present critical time is that every individual Christian should earnestly seek Him in a new and living way, and if not already, get baptised in the Holy Spirit and diligently exercise the gift of tongues building themselves up in their most holy faith, to get ready for the great evil that is not far of. Psalm 24v3-6, Luke 21v36, Rom 8v26-28, 13v11-14, 1Cor 14v2,4,15,18, 2Peter 3v12, Jude v20,21.

The following prophecy was given to me for the Church in June 2019:

1) Paul states in 1Cor 14v15: "What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also." In his teaching to the Corinthian Church, he gives them direction on a balanced prayer, praise and worship life in their Christian walk.

The Lord Jesus said to me very recently that today there is much "praying with the understanding" (praying with the mind), but little "praying with the spirit" (praying in tongues), and that this is one off the main reasons for a powerless Church.

He then went on to say that if we use the gift of tongues diligently (like the early Church did, 1Cor 14v2,4,18, Jude v20,21) we would see mighty signs, wonders and miracles happen when the last great outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon all flesh occurs (Joel 2v28-32 with Acts 2v16-21), thus fulfilling John 14v12-14.

He then went on to say that any Church or Christian who neglects to use it diligently, will see little or nothing happen and will be living in defeat.

2) Acts 2v16-21: The Lord Jesus showed me the following regarding the coming revival: He showed me a person rolling a snowball up a mountain, as they got further up to the top it became harder to roll the snowball because as it rolled up the slope it gathered more snow on it, thus getting heavier and requiring more effort to get it to the top. However, once the snowball had reached the top and it was pushed down the other side, it didn't just roll down the mountain and continue to get bigger as it went down the slope, but it triggered a massive avalanche that covered the whole side of the mountain.

What the Lord Jesus is saying is that we need to continue to pray diligently in tongues, and even when it gets harder to pray because of attacks from Satan and the power of darkness, it is essential to pray through until we get the answer and the Lord Jesus pours out of His Spirit upon all flesh, thus fulfilling Joel's wonderful prophecy. Joel 2v28-32, Acts 2v16-21,39, Eph 6v10-20.

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