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GOD'S LIVING WORD FOR ALL PEOPLE

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“Leap Year—An Extra Day to Praise and Trust the Lord”

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Dear Friends and Supporters,

Yesterday, I thought, “Yikes, February’s over and I haven’t sent you my monthly Newsletter.” I arose this morning and realized it's leap year. *Praise the Lord, I've got an extra day to finish my Newsletter.*” If you’re like me, time sneaks up on us. One is mindful of something that needs doing, but reason there’s plenty of time left. Yet, time is like a freight train barreling down the tracks. Something that seems a long way off is suddenly upon us.

Unbelievers or agnostics think the phrase “*Praise, or Trust the Lord*” is equivalent to taking a blind leap of faith into an empty abyss. That couldn’t be further from the truth. As Believers, our faith is in the Living God and His promises etched in stone in—God’s Eternal, Living Word—amidst trials and tribulations.

Promises like, “Trust ye in the Lord forever: for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength” (Isaiah 26:4). God’s sacred Name, *Jehovah* or *Yah*, means the *ETERNALLY EXISTING ONE*. God is eternal; thus, His promises are everlasting. His unfathomable Love is also eternal (Ephesians 3:19). We possess the gift of Eternal Life if we have placed our trust in His Son, the God-Man, The Lord Jesus Christ. According to Romans 6:23: “The wages (payment price) of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.” He also promised “*God so loved the world, that He gave His only-begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life*” (John 3:16).

I don’t mean to sound preachy, just sharing the ministry God has laid on my heart as a missionary. That which is on God’s heart, i.e., taking the Good News message of forgiveness of sin and eternal Salvation to yet unreached people groups. That’s those who have yet to hear the first word of hope about God and Jesus. God’s Word is crystal. Salvation is for everyone in every generation... “Let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the Water of Life freely” (Revelation 22:17).

What does God’s Word say? Some from every *kindred, tongue, people, and nation*, will be at the *Marriage Supper of the Lamb* (Revelation 5:9). My newsletter header is, “GOD’S LIVING WORD FOR ALL PEOPLE.” Salvation is not just for those born in a Christian nation and having a biblical worldview. How can these yet unreached people have a chance? They need to hear first (Romans 10:17). Someone must take them the Good News so they can believe.

According to 2 Peter 3:9, time marches forward like a freight train towards Judgement Day, yet “The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is long-suffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.” So, who are the *us-ward*? That’s us, the Church—collective and local. Born-again Christians and each member in particular must have a part.

God’s will for us is perfectly clear: “For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. How shall [the unreached] call on Him in whom they have not believed? And, how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: ‘How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, who bring glad tidings of good things’” (Romans 10:13-15).

Prayer requests: *Success* for my coming ZOOM meeting with Chinese house-church members who plan to send missionaries around the world • *Success* for my new Thai NT translation • *Success* for my new Intelligent Design evangelism booklet in Cambodian • *Success* for my return to Thailand doing more foundational teaching • *Success* for a long-term multi-entry visa • **Success for a fair decision in my recent auto accident!!**



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