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Foreword

*It is with deep reverence and a strong sense of stewardship that I present this publication, *The Power of Divine Encounter*, a sermon by Dr Paul Enenche.*

This message is not merely a teaching; it is a prophetic call into the depths of spiritual transformation. Across generations, the story of Scripture has consistently revealed one undeniable truth: a single encounter with God can alter the course of a human life, redefine destinies, and shift the direction of entire nations.

From Jacob's night of wrestling to Moses at the burning bush, from Peter's call by the sea of Galilee to Paul's encounter on the road to Damascus, the pattern remains unchanged. God still meets men, and when He does, nothing remains the same.

In this message, Dr Enenche carefully unveils the dimensions and effects of divine encounter—how it locates a man, restores what is broken, redirects destiny, unlocks hidden grace, counters spiritual opposition, and ultimately positions a believer for visibility and global impact. More importantly, he draws attention to the urgency of response: sensitivity to God's timing, desperation in seeking Him, undivided focus, persistent prayer, and obedient action.

This is not a book to be read casually. It is a call to attention. It is a reminder that destiny is not accidental, and that spiritual moments are never to be ignored. Every generation has its divine windows, and those who discern them are the ones who step into transformation.

In His service and for His glory,

— Wisdom Epsi
Chief Editor, *LivingSermons.com*

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Main Message

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Introduction

I welcome everyone here briefly tonight for this brief pre-encounter session that will usher us into praying.

We have read already Genesis chapter 32, so we go straight there.

Scripture Reading: Genesis 32:24–28

“And Jacob was left alone; and there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day.

And when he saw that he prevailed not against him, he touched the hollow of his thigh; and the hollow of Jacob’s thigh was out of joint, as he wrestled with him.

And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.

And he said unto him, What is thy name? And he said, Jacob.

And he said, Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel: for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed.”

The Lord bless His Word in Jesus’ name.

Charge: The Power Of Divine Encounter

Tonight, I am going to quickly give a charge on **the power of divine encounter**. The purpose of a convention such as this is to experience a divine encounter. We are here tonight to prepare ourselves for a divine encounter. There are two things we must understand:

1. The power or value of a divine encounter
2. The pathway to a divine encounter

What happens when God encounters a person? What is the product of a divine encounter?

And secondly, what do I do to experience a divine encounter in a program such as this?

We begin with the power and value of a divine encounter.

1. A Divine Encounter Locates And Diagnoses A Life And Destiny

A divine encounter locates a man. It identifies where you are. It diagnoses your life and destiny. Where am I on this journey of life? Where am I currently?

When Adam fell and Eve sinned, God encountered them in the garden of Eden. “And the Lord called unto Adam, and said, Adam, where art thou?” (Genesis 3:9)

This question is very important for every one of us today:

Where are you in God’s plan and purpose for your life?

Where are you in your journey of destiny?

Where are you in what you have been called to do?

Are you on course or out of course? Have you lost direction?

A divine encounter brings diagnosis so that life can receive needed treatment and adjustment. Like in medicine, treatment follows diagnosis.

2. A Divine Encounter Brings Restoration To Life And Destiny

If a person is wrongly located or going in the wrong direction, a divine encounter brings restoration. “The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want... He restoreth my soul.” (Psalm 23)

It restores intimacy with God. It restores relationship. It restores prayer life and the Word. It restores vision.

Moses is an example. The burning bush encounter brought him back to a vision he had lost for 40 years.

What God placed in his heart earlier was revived at the encounter. A divine encounter ensures that what God intended for your life does not perish, does not get lost, and does not end in frustration. It restores vision, intimacy, passion, and relationship with God.

3. A Divine Encounter Changes The Direction Of A Person's Life

One encounter can change direction completely. Moses moved from tending sheep to becoming a deliverer. "From this day forward, you shall bring My people out of Egypt."

Peter experienced it at the miraculous catch of fish:

"From henceforth thou shalt catch men." (Luke 5:10)

Paul (Saul of Tarsus) encountered God on the road to Damascus, and his direction was completely transformed. A divine encounter changes the course of a life.

4. A Divine Encounter Opens A New Chapter

Every genuine divine encounter opens a new chapter. For Moses, it was a new chapter of signs, wonders, and power. For Peter, it was a shift into a new assignment and dimension. A new page is opened. A new horizon is revealed.

5. A Divine Encounter Unlocks Potentials

A divine encounter reveals what a man carries. Moses carried a rod, but did not know it was an instrument of power until God revealed it.

"What is that in your hand?"

Peter did not know the apostolic and evangelistic grace upon his life until encounter revealed it.

There are gifts, mantles, and graces in many lives waiting to be unlocked—apostolic, prophetic, healing, administrative, financial grace.

One encounter unveils them.

6. A Divine Encounter Counters The Agenda Of The Enemy

A divine encounter breaks negative patterns and satanic verdicts. Jacob carried a negative identity for years, but one encounter changed his name and destiny.

“Thy name shall no more be called Jacob, but Israel.”

Every agenda of darkness over a life is broken by divine encounter. Even Gideon experienced this when God broke generational limitations in his father’s house.

Every altar resisting destiny is brought down by encounter.

7. A Divine Encounter Produces Public Acknowledgment And Visibility Of Grace

A divine encounter removes obscurity. “And they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.” (Acts 4:13)

The devil wants gifted people hidden, but encounter breaks that covering. Grace becomes visible. Power becomes acknowledged. Destiny becomes recognised.

When God is at work in a man, his generation cannot ignore him.

Prophetic Declarations

Every covering cast over your life is broken.

Every veil over your destiny is destroyed.

Your generation shall acknowledge the hand of God upon you.

Jesus Himself had an encounter:

“And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee...” (Luke 4:14)

And His fame went ahead of Him.

There is a realm where heaven announces a man before his manifestation.

This is the power of divine encounter.

8. A Divine Encounter Impacts Nations And Territories

Give the Lord praise.

A divine encounter impacts the destinies of nations and territories. One divine encounter upon one man becomes impact upon a nation, upon a territory, and upon a region. The Lord sent a word into Jacob, and it lighted upon Israel, a whole nation (Isaiah 9:8). A word into a person became light unto a nation. Gideon, while threshing wheat by the winepress under oppression, had one encounter, and that encounter became the deliverance of a nation.

For 430 years, Israel was under Egyptian bondage until God gave one man an encounter—Moses—and that encounter terminated national captivity.

Beloved, the reason God must encounter you is because there are people whose deliverance is tied to your life.

There is a generation waiting for your rising. There is a community waiting for your manifestation. There are widows, orphans, and the less privileged waiting for the hand of God upon your life. If you do not rise, many will remain in bondage. But your rising will mean their liberation.

There is a generation tied to your assignment.

Testimony Of Impact

After a crusade in the Philippines—Pagadian, Baguio, and Manila—great things happened. The entire police force of the nation requested for ministry to them. The second-in-command of the police leadership made a request.

A force of about 220,000 policemen and women, including their spouses, requested teaching on family life and kingdom principles. This is the impact of encounter—one meeting affecting an entire national system.

Why must you rise?

Because there is a generation tied to your grace.

A Prophetic Charge

There are people waiting for the manifestation of your life. There are assignments that must not be abandoned. There are destinies that depend on your obedience.

You cannot afford to live below your assignment. Somebody must press into God and declare:

“My generation is waiting for me. I will not fail my generation.”

Summary: Value Of Divine Encounter

1. It locates you and reveals your true condition.
2. It restores vision, intimacy, and spiritual fire.
3. It changes the direction of a man's life.
4. It opens a new chapter in destiny.
5. It unlocks hidden potentials and graces.
6. It counters the agenda of the enemy.
7. It produces public acknowledgment and visibility of grace.
8. It impacts nations, territories, and generations.

Pathway To Divine Encounter

How do we experience divine encounter?

1. Sensitivity To God's Timing And Purpose

Be sensitive to seasons and divine timing. "When the day of Pentecost was fully come..."
(Acts 2:1)

Many miss their encounter because they are not in position—distracted, careless, and unaware. But there are those who perceive the moment and align with God. We are in a kairos moment—a season of divine visitation.

Do not miss it.

2. Desperation For Divine Encounter

Spiritual encounters respond to desperation. "I will not let Thee go, except Thou bless me." (Genesis 32:26)

Like Elisha pursuing Elijah, desperation becomes a magnet for impartation. A casual heart does not receive divine encounters.

3. Undivided Focus And Undistracted Attention

“And when they saw Me being taken...” (2 Kings 2:10)

The apostles remained in one place in unity and focus until Pentecost came.

There are things that are taught, and there are things that are caught.

What is caught requires focus.

Do not lose your moment.

4. Intense Supplication For Divine Encounter

“And they continued in prayer...” (Acts 1:14)

Encounters respond to persistent prayer. “I will not let You go until You bless me.”

Nothing precious comes without spiritual pressure.

5. Sensitivity To Divine Instructions

“Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it.” (John 2:5)

Divine encounters are sustained by obedience. One instruction can determine one transformation. Some will leave with what they are taught; others will leave with what they are instructed to do.

Instruction is the bridge to manifestation.

This is Pentecost season in church history. We are standing in a prophetic cycle of divine visitation.

God moves in times and seasons.

We must not miss our moment.

We are in a kairos hour of divine encounter.

Final Exhortation

Now is the time to press into God.

Now is the time to seek His face.

Now is the time to cry for encounter.

Your life must not remain the same.

Your destiny must not remain unchanged.

Altar Call And Prayer

Everywhere you are, if your life is not right with God, make it right now.

Ask for mercy. Ask for forgiveness. Ask for cleansing.

Say:

“Lord Jesus, I surrender my life. Have mercy on me. Forgive my sins. Make me new. Let my life align with Your will.”

Closing Prayer

Father, in the name of Jesus, touch every life here tonight. Let no one leave the same way they came. Give each person a divine encounter. Let destinies be transformed.

Let lives be restored. Let Your name alone be glorified.

In Jesus' name. Amen.



About the Speaker

Dr. Paul Enenche is a Nigerian pastor, teacher, and revivalist, widely known as the Senior Pastor of the Dunamis International Gospel Centre. He is recognised for his passionate preaching, prayer ministry, and dedication to advancing the Gospel across nations.

Born in Orokam, Ogbadibo LGA of Benue State, Nigeria, Dr. Enenche founded the Dunamis International Gospel Centre on November 10, 1996, beginning with a small gathering in Abuja. From those humble beginnings, the ministry has grown into a global work with branches across Nigeria and many parts of the world.

Through his teachings and ministry, Dr. Paul Enenche continues to inspire believers to live by faith, pursue intimacy with God, and become instruments of transformation in their generation.



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