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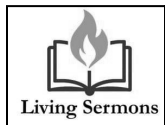
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Foreword

Prophetic Gatekeepers is more than a sermon transcript—it is a prophetic call to awakening, responsibility, and Kingdom stewardship.

In this message, Apostle Pearl Kupe presents the biblical picture of gatekeepers as men and women entrusted with the responsibility of watching, discerning, protecting, and advancing God's purposes within their generation. Drawing from Scripture, historical patterns, and prophetic insight, she challenges believers to move beyond passive Christianity into active participation in God's redemptive agenda for families, communities, nations, and the Church.

Throughout these pages, readers will encounter recurring themes of **redemptive purpose, Kingdom responsibility, spiritual discernment, righteous leadership, and national transformation**. The message particularly emphasizes the strategic role of Africa—and Nigeria in particular—in God's unfolding purposes, while reminding every believer that true spiritual influence begins with personal consecration before extending to cities, institutions, and nations.

As editors, our assignment has been to faithfully preserve the preacher's voice while presenting the message in a clear, readable, and carefully formatted format suitable for study and personal devotion. Grammatical corrections, punctuation, formatting, and obvious transcription errors have been addressed, but the heart, passion, prophetic tone, and theological emphasis of Apostle Pearl Kupe's message have been intentionally retained. Scripture references have also been presented in a more accessible manner to aid readers without altering the original intent of the teaching.

Readers are encouraged to approach this book prayerfully, testing every teaching against the authority of Scripture (Acts 17:11) while allowing the Holy Spirit to illuminate personal areas of responsibility and service.

The greatest purpose of a prophetic message is not merely to inform but to inspire faithful obedience to Christ and deeper alignment with His will.

It is our prayer that this book will awaken watchmen, strengthen intercessors, equip leaders, and encourage believers to faithfully occupy the spiritual gates entrusted to them until the purposes of God are established in their generation.

May the Lord raise a generation of faithful gatekeepers who stand in righteousness, proclaim the Gospel with boldness, and labor for the advancement of His Kingdom until "the kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of His Christ" (Revelation 11:15).

— ***Wisdom Epsi***

Chief Editor, LivingSermons.com

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Main Message

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Introduction

There are a few things I want to say.

It is interesting that sometimes we can understand and receive the ministry of a donkey, and understand that God can minister through a donkey, yet it is more challenging for some people to receive ministry that comes through someone who is fearfully and wonderfully made, formed, and fashioned after Him.

Hallelujah!

That will break some religious spirits right there.

Amen.

There are still some who say, *"I will not listen to anything that comes out of a woman."*

Praise the Lord.

You know, God will never convene a prophetic conference without demonstrating what the prophetic truly looks like. Jesus said:

"Ye shall know them by their fruits." — **Matthew 7:16 (KJV)**

We are no longer in the era where prophets are mining information from Facebook or gathering data from social media. God is raising up and demonstrating the genuine prophetic.

One thing I can tell you—and I say this as someone who has practiced law for more than forty years—is that there are certain things about my life that no amount of Facebook research could ever reveal.

That is exactly what was demonstrated here today.

Understanding Your Prophetic Assignment

He spoke about the midwife assignment.

The very first ministry we ever established is called **Hebrew Midwife Ministry**.

Immediately, I understood exactly what he was referring to.

He also spoke about government. One of the graces God has given me, as a lawyer who stands at the justice gates, is to minister at the governmental and economic gates.

Everything he spoke was one hundred percent accurate.

As a prophet operating in the office of the prophet, you must understand your portfolio and your assignment. Every prophetic calling carries a particular designation and jurisdiction.

There is a geographical jurisdiction.

There are places to which God assigns you.

Sometimes He grows you in that assignment. You begin in your Jerusalem, then move into Judea, then Samaria, and eventually to the uttermost parts of the earth.

At other times, God assigns someone to serve faithfully within a local house.

Therefore, you must understand your geographical jurisdiction so that you do not exceed it or move into territories where you have not been mantled.

But it is not only geographical.

There is also the jurisdiction of your assignment.

Just as governments have ministers of home affairs, ministers of foreign affairs, and different portfolios, every prophet has a specific area of calling.

The prophetic is not generic.

You must know what you have been sent to do.

He began speaking directly into my areas of assignment—government, speaking to kings, speaking to queens, and bringing heavenly blueprints.

That is one of the vital responsibilities of prophets.

We do not merely arrive with declarations.

We come carrying the blueprints of Heaven, bringing alignment on earth.

That is part of the prophetic mandate.

The Prophetic Is More Than Personal Details

The prophetic is not simply about telling people their telephone numbers.

I still do not understand why that has become the measure of prophetic ministry.

Did you forget your phone number?

Hallelujah!

The Lord first released me to come here in 2011, and He spoke many things concerning this nation. One thing that no one could have known naturally was the issue concerning land and property. Prophet, there are actually two properties currently before the High Court.

One property belonged to my late aunt, who had no children and bequeathed everything she owned to me. It is a very significant property. The second is a farm left behind by my

mother. Both matters are presently before the High Court, yet he mentioned property. There is no way that information could have been obtained from Facebook. That information exists only in the courts of Heaven.

A Prayer for Open Eyes

May God begin to reveal.

May God begin to open the eyes of your understanding and show you things that are not evident in the natural.

May God cause you to see beyond what human eyes can perceive.

May you begin to see with spiritual eyes.

Hallelujah!

I declare that you will not see like Lot, who looked only at outward appearances.

Lot saw the green fields, yet he did not perceive that they were leading toward Sodom and Gomorrah.

May God open the eyes of your understanding in this season, in the name of Jesus.

I pray over you today that wherever your eyes have been closed, God is opening them now.

You will see what you have never seen before.

You will perceive what you have never perceived before.

You will begin to see as God sees.

Tell somebody,

"My eyes are about to open."

Say it again:

"My eyes are about to open."

One more time:

"My eyes are about to open!"

I will see even the invisible.

I will see in the supernatural realm.

I will see from one dimension of glory to another.

I will begin to see prophetically.

Because before I can declare, I must first be able to see.

In the name of Jesus.

Place your fingers over your eyes.

Begin to prophesy over your eye gates.

Declare that wherever they have been blinded by the thinking, systems, and principles of this world, they are opening today.

Let them open to see heavenly dimensions.

Let them open to behold the heavens.

Let them align with the patterns of Heaven.

Your prophetic grace is connected to your ability to see.

To the degree that you can see is the degree to which you can function prophetically.

Wherever the prince of this world has blinded your vision, we declare that your sight is restored.

Wherever your vision has become dim, we release spiritual 20/20 vision over you.

In the name of **Yeshua HaMashiach**.

Have your seat for a moment.

God Raises Builders

I want to share a few things today.

Praise the Lord.

Amen.

I have been coming to Nigeria since 2011, when the Lord released me to minister in this land.

Many people ask about my accent.

I grew up in Canada and in the United States, although we regularly travelled back to Botswana, where my mother is from.

Earlier, the prophet mentioned pioneers.

He also mentioned my mother.

He even spoke about the little two-year-old girl.

That little girl is my granddaughter.

Her name is **Katriel**.

I prayed for her before she was born.

I called her forth, and I named her.

The name **Katriel** means:

"The Lord is my crown."

God showed her to me and said,

"You shall name her Katriel."

So I obeyed.

At the time, we were hosting Apostle Arome Osayi in Johannesburg, South Africa.

I had to travel to Botswana for the delivery of the baby and then quickly return to continue hosting Apostle Arome.

When he heard that baby Katriel had been born, he took one of the ministry cloths bearing his name, prayed over it, and instructed us,

"Throw it over baby Katriel."

Even as a two-year-old, she has already become the recipient of many prophetic prayers.

Building Nations for God's Glory

In 1968, when Botswana gained independence, it was ranked among the twenty-five poorest nations in the world.

The country's first president called my mother and said,

"Sarah, come back. Come back and build the nation. You are one of only four women in this nation who holds a university degree."

She left the comfort of Canada and returned home.

She helped build.

She continued building.

She devoted her life to building.

God is raising prophetic people who will build in this season.

Not merely people who build houses.

Not merely people who build comfortable lives.

But people who build communities.

People who build nations.

People who build for the glory of God—not for self-promotion, but for His glory.

Because my mother returned to Botswana, I remained in North America for a period.

That is why my accent sounds the way it does.

It is not because I visited America for five minutes and came back with an accent.

I actually grew up there.

Later, my mother became the **first woman in Botswana to earn a Ph.D.** and also the **first female professor in Botswana.**

I declare over you today:

You shall become a pioneer.

You shall carry pioneering grace.

You will not live as a photocopy.

Tell somebody,

"My name is not Xerox."

I am not here merely to echo someone else.

I am here to release the original blueprints and patterns of Heaven.

In the name of **Yeshua HaMashiach**.

I am not here to imitate.

I am here to release the original sound of Heaven.

Receive that grace today.

Receive original grace upon your life.

May you be aligned with your original Kingdom wiring.

In the name of Jesus.

"Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the LORD is risen upon thee." — Isaiah 60:1 (KJV)

It is time.

It Is Your Appointed Time

From time to time, you will hear me say a phrase in one of our South African languages.

I am not insulting anyone.

It is a declaration.

It means:

"It is time."

It is your appointed time.

Because of the Hebrew Midwife assignment upon my life, I often declare it during moments of spiritual birthing.

I do not plan it.

It simply comes.

Whenever you hear it, connect to it.

Receive it.

Amen.

A Heart Connected to Nigeria

I have been coming to Nigeria since 2011.

By the grace of God, I have ministered in Abuja, Lagos, Port Harcourt, Kafanchan in Kaduna State, Jos Plateau, Zaria, Eti-Oni in Osun State, Benin City, Awo-Omamma in Imo State, Maiduguri in Borno State, Umuahia here in Abia State, and many other places.

Can I now claim honorary Nigerian citizenship?

Hallelujah!

I actually have more Nigerian names than Southern African names.

Among the Igbo people, they call me **Chin...**

The Yoruba people named me **Tolulope**.

The Igbo people also gave me another name.

The people of Jos gave me the Berom name **Virat**, which they told me means "**a beautiful coming**."

May you be a beautiful coming in this season.

Hallelujah!

One of my favourite names was given to me by the Hausa people.

They call me **Amina** because they said,

"You are a warrior woman."

Interestingly, those were the very first words Apostle Arome spoke to me when we first met.

In this season, it is right that we understand spiritual warfare and rise into our place as warriors.

However, my prayer for you is this:

May you be balanced in your warfare.

May you be balanced in your warfare.

One of the things I noticed while Prophet Jesse was ministering was that he spoke about loving to fight.

Yet the other night, as I sat next to him, what I discerned was an incredibly sweet, kind, and generous spirit.

That is how it should be.

Even in your fighting, there must be balance.

There must be strength, but there must also be gentleness.

God had to deal with me concerning this.

There was a season when all I seemed to do was rebuke, correct, and confront people.

I justified it before God by saying,

"Lord, You called me like Ezekiel. You told me to have a hard forehead. You said Your people are stubborn and they do not listen."

But God taught me something.

A Hard Forehead and a Soft Heart

The hard forehead does not represent a hard heart.

It represents a spirit that refuses compromise.

However, that uncompromising spirit must always be balanced with a heart full of love.

That is the message of **John 3:16**:

"For 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 (KJV)

Some prophets have become so hardened and so self-righteous that they have forgotten the heart of God.

Never forget why we fight.

We fight because God loves people.

We stand for righteousness because God desires that none should perish.

So we balance the hard forehead of no compromise with the soft heart of divine love.

Hallelujah!

As we send you out, we are sending you out with that balance.

Do not bow.

Do not compromise.

Do not surrender your convictions.

But never lose the love of Christ.

Responding in the Spirit

When I was travelling here, I boarded a flight from Johannesburg to Ethiopia.

A man came and sat beside me.

I greeted him warmly.

I smiled and said,

"Hello."

He did not smile back.

Within three minutes, he began chanting.

As he chanted, I began praying in tongues.

The louder he chanted, the louder I prayed in the Spirit.

His volume increased.

Mine increased.

This continued for an hour.

I believe he thought I would eventually fall asleep.

But I kept my eyes open.

I declared,

"I do not receive whatever you are releasing into this atmosphere."

I rebuke it.

I nullify it.

I reject it."

The Bible says:

"...while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat..." —
Matthew 13:25 (KJV)

I was not going to allow the enemy an opportunity to speak over my life.

Matching Sound with Sound

God is raising a generation of prophets who know how to respond in the Spirit.

A generation that releases a greater sound.

A generation that matches sound with sound until every counterfeit sound is silenced.

For two full hours that man continued chanting.

Finally, he gave up.

He opened his laptop and began typing.

Hallelujah!

There is a sound that is about to be silenced because the sons of God are rising.

Tell somebody,

"I will not be silenced."

Say it again:

"My sound will not be silenced."

I will release the sound of deliverance.

I will release the sound of salvation.

I will not keep quiet.

The problem with the Church is that we have remained silent while the nations desperately need to hear the voice of the Church.

Prophetic Gatekeepers at Every Gate

Not long ago, I was in Botswana.

Within a single day, the government was overthrown.

Can a nation be born in a day?

Yes.

In one day.

About two years ago, legislation known as **Bill 29** was introduced concerning homosexuality and related issues.

People began contacting me.

They asked me to speak about justice.

Because my assignment is at the justice gates, I responded.

I prepared a ten-page legal report on the history of Botswana.

Why?

Because we must have prophetic gatekeepers at every gate.

We need gatekeepers at the justice gate.

Gatekeepers at the communication gate.

Gatekeepers at the governmental gate.

Prophetic people who understand the gates where God has positioned them.

Standing for Righteousness and Justice

In that report, I referred to the Penal Code of Botswana, particularly the section dealing with offences against morality.

I spoke with the authority of the law.

I declared that the people of Botswana had established these provisions because they reflected the nation's moral convictions.

As prophets, we must stand for righteousness.

We must stand for justice.

I traced the constitutional history of Botswana.

I explained that Botswana is a republic.

I explained that Botswana is a democracy.

I demonstrated that sixty-one parliamentarians cannot simply override the democratic will of an entire nation.

Page after page contained legal reasoning.

The Church received the report.

They published it in the newspapers.

Strength returned to the Church.

Believers marched to the office of the Minister of Justice.

When the Minister met them, his first words were astonishing.

He said,

"Church, where have you been? I have been waiting for you."

Church, do you understand?

The nations are waiting for your voice.

They are waiting for the people of God to speak.

Whatever Has Hindered You Must Come Off

These shoes are disturbing me.

May I take them off?

Hallelujah!

Whatever is disturbing you in this season—

Let it come off.

Whatever has hindered you—

Let it come off.

Whatever has caused you to stumble—

Let it come off.

Whatever has blocked your progress—

Let it come off.

In the name of Jesus.

Declare it:

The stone has been rolled away.

The stone has been rolled away.

It shall never roll back again.

The angel is seated upon that stone, ensuring that what once hindered you will never hinder you again.

The Egyptians you have seen—

You shall see them no more.

The Pharaoh you have seen—

You shall see him no more.

Can I continue?

Hallelujah!

Now you are free to walk without unnecessary burdens and obstacles.

Tell somebody,

"I am trouble-free."

Trouble may come,

But you will know how to deal with it.

Because Christ has already overcome all.

Hallelujah!

Have your seat.

Understanding Times and Seasons

Prophet Jesse repeatedly mentioned the number twenty-seven.

As he spoke, I smiled.

Why?

Because on **May 27** last year, Apostle called me while I was in London.

He said,

"Mama Amina, you need to come to Nigeria and declare something over this nation."

That call came on May 27.

Guess what today is?

May 27.

Exactly one year later.

One year after that phone call, the Lord has brought me here to release His word.

We must pay attention to times and seasons.

The Bible says concerning the sons of Issachar:

"...which were men that had understanding of the times, to know what Israel ought to do..." — 1 Chronicles 12:32 (KJV)

The challenge within the Church is not always that we fail to recognize the times.

Often, we recognize the times but fail to know what we ought to do.

We are not always strategic.

We are not always collaborative.

Too often we build our own individual towers.

But in this season, God is calling us to function together.

Someone mentioned the **company of prophets**.

That is the pattern.

We will no longer function in isolation.

We will build together.

Apostles and prophets will collaborate.

Ministries will work together.

Together we will possess the gates for the Kingdom of God.

The Changing of the Guard

When Apostle called me, one of the first things that came to my mind was something my daughter had experienced while we were in London.

She had gone to Buckingham Palace to witness the **Changing of the Guard** ceremony.

Immediately, the Lord spoke to me.

He said,

"Speak about the changing of the guard."

Several speakers have already referred to this theme.

Some have spoken about a changing of the order.

Others have mentioned a changing of leadership.

Today, I want to speak specifically about **the changing of the guard** and **the raising up of prophetic gatekeepers**.

More specifically, the Lord instructed me to speak about **Mordecai gatekeepers**.

God is raising up Mordecais in this generation.

Absalom or Mordecai?

If you travel through many nations today, you will discover that the gates are occupied.

But too often they are occupied by **Absaloms**.

Both Absalom and Mordecai sat at gates.

Yet they carried completely different agendas.

Absalom sat at the gate to steal the hearts of the people.

Mordecai sat at the gate to preserve the purposes of God.

One represented rebellion.

The other represented covenant.

One sought self-exaltation.

The other sought Kingdom preservation.

Part of our prophetic responsibility in this season is to reclaim the gates.

We must take our rightful positions.

The era of Absalomic gatekeepers must give way to the rise of Mordecai gatekeepers.

A Prophetic Commission

At the conclusion of this message, the Lord instructed me concerning what must happen.

Men of God—Apostle Gideon, and all the other speakers present—the Lord said that as sons of this soil, you are to prophesy over this generation.

You are to commission the Mordecai gatekeepers.

That assignment does not belong to me.

It belongs to you.

You will breathe upon them.

You will declare the word of the Lord over them.

You will announce the changing of the guard—

From Absalomic gatekeepers...

To Mordecai gatekeepers.

Amen.

Hallelujah.

Prophetic Milestones

In the prophetic, time matters.

Numbers also matter.

As I understand it, this year marks the twentieth anniversary of RCN's journey, beginning with the House of Prayer.

Hallelujah!

Someone also mentioned the prophetic ministry of **P. Elton**.

As I revisited his prophetic words concerning Africa, I discovered that in **1986** he released a significant prophetic word concerning this continent and the key nations that would help ignite revival across Africa.

That observation brings me to the first point I want to share...

The Changing of the Guard

As I listened to the previous message, I almost thought, *"Lord, he has already preached my message!"*

He ministered on so many of the things the Lord had placed in my heart.

But that is how God works.

He was laying the foundation.

The first thing we must understand about the changing of the guard is that it is taking place on two different levels.

First, there is a changing of the guard in which an older generation faithfully passes the baton to a younger generation.

Second, there is also a changing of the guard in which God replaces gatekeepers who have failed to fulfill their assignments.

That is what is happening in the spirit realm.

A Heavenly Transfer of Responsibility

In the military, the changing of the guard is an official ceremony.

The soldiers who have been on duty hand over the responsibility of protecting the palace to another group of soldiers—the new guard.

Likewise, Heaven is raising a new Kingdom guard.

When Heaven initiates a changing of the guard, the narrative of a nation changes.

Its trajectory changes.

Its testimony changes.

There is a divine recalibration.

A new regiment is rising.

A new battalion is taking its place.

Understanding Your Redemptive Purpose

The first requirement for the new guard is this:

You must understand your **redemptive purpose**.

Tell somebody,

"Redemptive purpose."

What does that mean?

Redemptive purpose simply means that God created you with a specific assignment.

He designed you intentionally.

Before Jeremiah was born, God declared:

"Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations." — **Jeremiah 1:5 (KJV)**

Before Jeremiah entered the earth, God had already placed within him everything necessary to fulfill his assignment.

The same is true for every one of us.

God has deposited redemptive gifts inside each person.

Tell somebody,

"You have redemptive gifts."

Only a few of you believe that.

The rest of us who believe will carry on!

Do you believe it?

Amen.

Redemptive Gifts

When I teach on redemptive gifts, it normally takes me three full days.

There is so much to understand.

For example, one of the unique redemptive gifts God has given women is connected to the womb.

As a woman—with a womb—you possess the God-given ability to receive a seed and multiply it.

That is a powerful redemptive grace.

A woman can take very little and multiply it.

She may have a small salary, yet somehow she feeds seven children.

She stretches resources.

She increases what has been entrusted to her.

That is a redemptive gift.

However, if you do not understand how that gift works, it can also multiply the wrong things.

If you receive the seed of gossip...

Nobody can spread gossip quite like a woman.

Why?

Because the same gift that multiplies blessing can also multiply corruption if it is surrendered to the wrong seed.

But when women receive the seed of prayer...

My God!

When women begin to pray...

Everything changes.

There are redemptive graces attached to who we are as individuals.

Some are connected to our unique design.

Some are connected to our responsibilities.

But nations also possess redemptive gifts.

Nigeria's Redemptive Assignment

This is the primary reason God sent me here.

He said,

"Remind Nigeria who she is."

Remind her of her identity.

Remind her of her redemptive purpose.

Remind the Giant of Africa of what she carries.

That is my assignment.

Sometimes it is difficult for people to receive prophetic truth from those within their own nation.

So God sends someone from outside.

I stand before you not as a Nigerian, but as a Kingdom citizen.

And I have come to remind Nigeria that she carries a continental assignment.

She carries a continental grace.

She has a responsibility to Africa.

And she must fulfill it in this generation.

The Enemy Always Tries to Pervert Your Gift

One thing I have discovered is this:

Whatever God has uniquely graced you to become, the enemy will always try to distort.

He attacks your identity.

He twists your redemptive gift.

From the very first time I came to Nigeria in 2011, I noticed something remarkable.

I have travelled to more than seventy nations.

I have never encountered a people who give like Nigerians.

Nigerians are givers.

Perhaps you do not believe it.

But I am telling you the truth.

Before travelling here, I told my daughter,

"Take two suitcases and only pack them halfway."

Otherwise, you will pay excess baggage fees on the journey home because Nigerians are going to give you so much.

We arrived.

Before long, I found two beautiful dresses waiting for me.

That is who Nigerians are.

They are generous.

That is why the enemy works so hard to paint Nigeria with the image of fraud and deception.

He seeks to distort the very gift God placed within this nation.

Your true gift is generosity.

Yet the enemy wants the world to see only the counterfeit.

I have watched Nigerians give away shoes.

Jewelry.

Clothing.

Possessions.

Sometimes they walk away with almost nothing because they have given everything.

I have never seen generosity expressed quite like this.

The enemy always seeks to twist whatever God has ordained.

He wants to redefine your identity.

But God says,

"You are givers."

That is who you truly are.

Africa's Redemptive Purpose

Now let me remind Africa of her own redemptive purpose.

The enemy has also distorted Africa's identity.

Consider what happened when Jesus was a child.

The angel appeared to Joseph and said:

"...Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt, and be thou there until I bring thee word..." — Matthew 2:13 (KJV)

Where did Joseph take Jesus?

To Egypt.

Where is Egypt?

It is in Africa.

When Herod sought to destroy the Christ Child, Heaven chose Africa as the place of refuge.

Can you see Africa's redemptive purpose?

Africa was created to be a refuge.

Yet today the narrative has been reversed.

Instead of being seen as a place of refuge, Africans are called refugees.

Many nations say,

"We do not want them."

But that is not God's story for Africa.

Africa, you are not called to be a refugee.

You are called to be a refuge.

Africa Is a Breadbasket

Africa, you are not called to be a begging bowl.

You are called to be a breadbasket.

That is why God filled this continent with extraordinary resources.

Gold.

Silver.

Platinum.

Rich soil.

Abundant land.

He did so because Africa is called to feed the nations.

When much of the world depends upon genetically modified food, God is raising agricultural prophets within Africa.

Africa will feed the world.

Tell somebody,

"I will feed the world."

I will feed the world with bread.

I will feed the world with the Gospel.

Africa, this is your time.

Stop begging for permission to preach everywhere.

When God sends us, we go as Kingdom envoys.

We go as ambassadors.

We go as diplomats of Heaven.

We preach the Gospel in season and out of season.

Africa's Turn in the Relay Race

Let me tell you something.

The advancement of the Gospel is like a relay race.

America has run its leg.

Europe has run its leg.

Asia has run its leg.

Australia has run its leg.

But now...

It is Africa's turn.

Today is Africa's time.

Tell somebody,

"The baton is waiting."

Stretch out your hand.

Be ready to receive it.

We are not carrying a corrupt gospel.

We are carrying the incorruptible Seed.

We are not carrying a compromised message.

We are carrying the true Gospel of Jesus Christ.

We are coming as prophetic intercessors.

We are coming as gatekeepers.

Declare it:

"I am coming!"

I am an African gatekeeper.

I am a prophetic gatekeeper.

I am taking the baton.

I will not miss my appointed time.

I will not neglect my responsibility.

Do Not Drop the Baton

Africa, there is a window of opportunity.

In every relay race, the handover of the baton is one of the most critical moments.

The one receiving it must be ready.

Tell somebody,

"Be ready to receive."

Do not drop the baton.

A dropped baton can cost an entire race.

Stretch out your hand.

Receive the evangelistic baton.

Receive the prophetic baton.

Do not drop it.

Do not miss your assignment.

Africa, the baton is now in your hands.

Reach for it.

Take hold of it.

Run your race.

Do not look back.

Do not become distracted by what is happening in another lane.

This is your moment.

This is your race.

Run it with all your strength.

If you have ever watched a relay race, you know something very important.

The fourth runner—the anchor runner—is never the slowest member of the team.

The anchor is the one trusted to finish the race.

The Gospel has travelled through many generations.

It has passed through many nations.

But Africa...

You are the anchor leg.

You are the one carrying the final stretch.

You are coming with prophetic teaching.

You are coming to rightly divide the Word of God.

You are coming to teach.

To train.

To equip.

To activate.

Africa, you are running now.

You will run with fire.

You will run by the power of the Holy Spirit.

You will overtake where others have slowed down.

You are the anchor leg.

You are the anchor.

You are the "Usain Bolt" of this relay.

In every relay team, when speed is needed most, the fastest runner is placed at the end.

That runner catches up.

That runner overtakes.

Tell somebody,

"I am ready to catch up."

Say it again,

"I am ready to overtake."

Pursue.

Run.

Overtake.

Recover all.

Recover all.

Recover all.

A Polished Arrow

Africa, this is your time.

You are a polished arrow in the hands of the Mighty Warrior.

The Lord will release you.

He will shoot you toward your divine assignment.

You will not miss your target.

You will not miss your mandate.

You will not miss your prophetic agenda.

You are securely held in the hands of the Mighty Warrior.

He is releasing you for Kingdom purpose.

For Kingdom advancement.

For the expansion of His Kingdom.

Go with fire.

Go without looking back.

Do not look into another person's lane.

Keep your eyes on Jesus.

*"Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith..." — Hebrews
12:2 (KJV)*

Move forward.

Forward only.

Go with fire.

Go with fire.

Go with fire.

Nigeria's Continental Responsibility

I came to stir you up. Nigeria...

Do you understand what you carry?

You carry a continental grace.

Your prophetic grace must be released.

Your apostolic grace must arise.

Nigeria, stand up.

Recognize your prophetic identity.

Recognize your redemptive assignment.

The continent is waiting.

This is bigger than Nigeria.

It is about Africa.

Nigeria's calling extends beyond her borders.

She has been entrusted with a continental responsibility.

A Nation That Never Loses Its Identity

There is something I have observed during my travels.

I have visited many nations across the world.

Wherever I go...

I find Nigerians.

When I was studying law in Edinburgh, I looked for Nigerians just to braid my hair!

They are everywhere.

But I have noticed something else.

Nigerians are perhaps the only African people who enter another nation without losing their identity.

They do not lose their culture.

Some of us move abroad and quickly adopt everything around us.

We dress differently.

We eat differently.

We speak differently.

In many ways, we become thoroughly colonized.

Not Nigerians.

No.

They carry their culture wherever they go.

They carry their pounded yam.

They carry their pepper.

Yesterday my daughter and I were laughing because after eating Nigerian jollof rice, she woke up the next morning and said,

"Mom, that jollof dealt with me thoroughly!"

I told her,

"It was cleaning you out."

It was detoxifying you.

The Prophetic Brings Cleansing

That experience reminded me of something.

That is what the prophetic does.

Whatever toxins are present, the prophetic comes to remove them.

The apostolic comes to cleanse.

Sometimes that process is uncomfortable.

Detoxification rarely feels pleasant.

Yet it is necessary.

That is why some people resist the prophetic.

The prophetic exposes.

The prophetic purifies.

The prophetic cleanses.

God is raising you as a prophetic vessel that will bring cleansing wherever He sends you.

Become the Pepper

The more I stayed in Nigeria, the more fascinated I became with pepper.

It seemed to be everywhere.

The food was full of fire!

We usually eat food with salt.

But here...

Pepper arrived with authority.

Before long we found ourselves speaking in tongues!

I realized something.

Nigerians carry their pepper wherever they go.

Just as they carry their culture, they carry their fire.

Wherever they are, their identity remains unchanged.

Their spiritual DNA remains intact.

I declare over you today:

May you become fire.

Hotter than the hottest pepper.

May you carry prophetic fire.

May the fire not simply remain in your food.

May it burn within your spirit.

May it become fire shut up in your bones.

You are not merely eating the food.

You have become the food.

Tell somebody,

"I am the pepper."

Say it again,

"I am the pepper."

I am pepper to the kingdom of darkness.

I see God raising a generation who will confront Satan with holy fire.

There is a fire in Nigeria that will consume every strange fire.

Every counterfeit fire will be swallowed by the authentic fire of God.

Wherever you go...

Leave fire behind.

Let people encounter the fire of God.

Fire That Removes Every Virus

It is time.

Nigeria, arise like pepper.

Do you know what pepper does?

It drives out what does not belong.

Years ago, while I was serving as an attorney in the Attorney General's Chambers of Botswana, I became ill.

My Deputy Attorney General, who was from Ghana, told me,

"Madam, take pepper soup."

I asked,

"How do you make pepper soup?"

He simply replied,

"That is your own challenge."

So I gathered every kind of pepper I could find.

Black pepper.

White pepper.

Red pepper.

Everything I had.

It was certainly not authentic Nigerian pepper soup.

But it worked.

When I woke up the next morning, I was completely well.

I learned something.

Pepper removes sickness.

Pepper drives out infection.

Pepper cleanses the body.

In the same way, God is raising a generation of prophetic gatekeepers who carry spiritual fire that removes every virus within society.

Not merely physical disease.

But spiritual corruption.

Moral compromise.

Deception.

Unrighteousness.

Jesus Himself gave gifts to the Church.

*"And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists;
and some, pastors and teachers." — Ephesians 4:11 (KJV)*

You are one of those gifts.

Therefore, do not simply consume the fire.

Become the fire.

Tell somebody once again,

"I am the pepper."

I do not merely eat pepper.

I have become the pepper.

When I wake up—I am pepper.

When I sit down—I am pepper.

In the city—I am pepper.

Outside the city—I am pepper.

Go forth as fire.

Go forth bringing cleansing.

Go forth bringing sanctification.

Nigeria, function according to your God-given DNA.

Function according to your assignment.

Hallelujah!

The Watchman at the Gate

We have spoken about redemptive purpose.

Now let us return to the work of prophetic gatekeepers.

The changing of the guard is ultimately about guarding the gates.

I believe it was Evangelist Peter who reminded us that a gatekeeper must both **watch** and **keep watch**.

That is very important.

You cannot guard what you have not first watched.

If you attempt to protect without discernment, you will eventually fail.

The work of a gatekeeper is twofold.

You must watch.

And you must guard.

That is why I began by reminding Nigeria of her redemptive purpose.

You are a people who, once you have made a decision, cannot easily be moved.

Once you embrace something wholeheartedly, you remain committed.

In many ways, you have resisted being colonized in your identity.

Others have changed their clothing.

Changed their food.

Changed their culture.

Changed everything.

But Nigerians have held firmly to who they are.

Even recently I said to myself,

"Perhaps I should begin wearing more of my own national clothing."

I had become so accustomed to wearing beautiful Nigerian attire.

That is how influential your culture is.

Therefore, in this season, be intentional about what you accept.

Be intentional about what you reject.

Once you make the right choice, do not move from it.

Stand firm.

A Generation That Will Equip the Nations

I have often smiled at the determination of Nigerians.

Every time I host visitors from Nigeria and watch them unpack, bottles of pepper begin appearing from every suitcase.

Once I suggested,

"We have Nando's here."

They looked at me and replied,

"Don't play with me."

I realized how seriously Nigerians protect what they value.

That same determination must now be applied to your Kingdom assignment.

Africa's redemptive purpose is to become a place of refuge once again.

I also sense something prophetically.

Many of you have faithfully equipped people within your local communities.

But I believe the Lord is expanding your influence.

I see students coming from Europe.

From the United Kingdom.

From many nations.

They will come to Africa to be trained.

Therefore, begin preparing your teaching materials.

Develop your training modules.

Build systems that make it easy for international students to learn here.

Why?

Because people will come to Africa to receive impartation.

They will come because they will witness the fruit.

As Jesus declared:

"Ye shall know them by their fruits." — **Matthew 7:16 (KJV)**

The fruit will become the evidence.

The fruit will become the testimony.

The fruit will draw the nations.

The Evidence of the Prophetic

If I were standing in a courtroom, I would say that fruit is **Exhibit A**.

In court, you cannot simply make a claim and expect the judge to believe you.

The judge asks,

"Where is the evidence?"

"Show me the demonstration."

That evidence is presented as **Exhibit A**.

I declare over you that in this season your prophetic ministry will not merely be spoken about—it will be demonstrated.

You will have Exhibit A.

Exhibit B.

Exhibit C.

Exhibit D.

In fact, you will not need to announce your prophetic grace because it will already be evident.

People will recognize it from afar.

Things will begin to shift.

Atmospheres will change.

Strongholds will be shaken.

Why?

Because you were never created to be a thermometer.

You were created to be a thermostat.

A thermometer merely reports the temperature.

A thermostat changes it.

God did not send you simply to describe culture.

He sent you to transform it.

Called to Influence, Not Conform

You are not here to blend into Babylon.

You are here to stand within Babylon without partaking of its corruption.

Like Daniel, you are called into places of influence while remaining uncompromised.

Many of you are prophetic people assigned to the marketplace.

God is positioning you at tables of influence.

But understand why He is seating you there.

You are not there merely to eat.

The table is a place of positioning.

It is a place of authority.

It is a place of government.

I declare over you:

When you arrive at the table, you will not become the menu.

You will not be consumed by the system.

You will negotiate.

You will legislate.

You will declare.

You will influence.

Africa has served at many tables.

But too often she has not participated in making the decisions.

That season is ending.

In this new season, Africa will help determine policy.

She will negotiate concerning her diamonds.

Her platinum.

Her oil.

Her gas.

Her agriculture.

God is raising marketplace prophets.

Gatekeepers in business.

Gatekeepers in government.

Gatekeepers in education.

Gatekeepers in media.

Possessing the Gates of Influence

I see God raising men and women who will transform the media.

You will produce new films.

You will take over the airwaves.

You will occupy radio stations.

You will influence television.

You will renew minds.

You will change cultures.

Why?

Because you are seated at the gates.

You are not merely visiting the gates.

You are possessing them.

The Battle at the Gates

The problem is not getting to the gate.

The problem is arriving there without understanding what to do once you are there.

The gate is a place of authority.

It is a place of governmental influence.

When God spoke to Abraham, He said:

"...thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies." — **Genesis 22:17 (KJV)**

This is the first time Scripture introduces the language of gates to Abraham.

Notice what God promised.

He first declared blessing.

Increase.

Multiplication.

Those are the promises we usually celebrate.

But many believers stop reading before reaching the second part of the promise.

The blessings are connected to possessing the gates.

If the gates remain under enemy control, access to blessing remains contested.

The prophet Isaiah also speaks of battle at the gates.

There is warfare around every gate of influence.

Therefore, do not imagine that Kingdom inheritance simply happens by osmosis.

Impartation Does Not Replace Process

People often come to me and say,

"Woman of God, I want your grace for the nations."

As though I could simply lay hands on them and transfer forty-three years of prayer...

Forty-three years of studying the Word...

Forty-three years of worship...

As though none of that mattered.

Should I have simply gone to Billy Graham and said,

"Papa, give me your grace."

There is such a thing as impartation.

We believe in it.

But we must understand what impartation actually does.

When hands are laid upon you, the Holy Spirit activates and stirs what God has already deposited inside you.

He awakens your assignment.

He does not replace it.

You were designed before you were formed in your mother's womb.

Why would you abandon the assignment God uniquely gave you in order to imitate someone else's?

Do not become a carbon copy.

Become who God created you to be.

The Assignment of the Gatekeeper

Everything ultimately returns to this issue of gates.

Everything flows through the gates.

The Lord has instructed me to write extensively on this subject.

My book, **Possessing the Gates of Nations**, will soon be released.

It examines each gate individually:

- The communication gate.
- The governmental gate.
- The justice gate.

And many others...

Each gate operates according to a different Kingdom blueprint.

Each requires a different strategy.

But before we discuss strategy...

We must first possess the gates.

That is the mandate.

Because in the spirit realm there is no vacuum.

If the Church is not occupying the gates...

The enemy certainly is.

How do we know who occupies a nation's gates?

We simply examine the fruit.

Laws Reveal Who Sits at the Gates

I can visit almost any nation and, by examining its laws, identify the principal spiritual powers influencing that nation.

If a nation legalizes abortion...

Legalizes prostitution...

Legalizes homosexuality...

Its laws reveal the spirit governing its gates.

Scripture declares:

"Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people." —

Proverbs 14:34 (KJV)

The Church often speaks about being the *ekklesia*.

We quote the Greek word.

We explain that it means "the called-out ones."

Yes.

But called out for what?

Called out to govern.

Called out to legislate.

Called out to influence society.

Not merely to discuss Greek definitions.

We must demonstrate Kingdom government.

We must establish heavenly blueprints that align earthly systems with Heaven's pattern.

The Gates Determine What Enters

Gates are places of strategic importance.

They are ports of entry.

They are points of access.

Whoever occupies the gate determines what enters...

And what leaves.

Again, that is why the condition of a nation's laws reveals who controls its gates.

The Church often claims to possess the gates.

But the activities within the nation frequently tell another story.

It is entirely possible to stand at a gate and still not know what to do there.

Africa Must Stop Begging

When I read about the lame man sitting at the Beautiful Gate, begging, I asked myself,

"Is this not a picture of Africa?"

The richest continent in the world... Yet sitting at the gate begging.

Borrowing.

Seeking financial assistance.

Appealing to international institutions.

Writing messages saying,

"I am a poor missionary from Africa."

Africa... Stop begging. Your continent is extraordinarily rich.

The issue is not poverty. The issue is stewardship.

The issue reminds me of the four lepers in **2 Kings 7**.

When they entered the abandoned Syrian camp, they found silver and gold.

Then what did they do?

They hid it.

Africa is not poor.

Too often, her wealth has simply been hidden.

Resources have been taken for private gain instead of public blessing.

But God is raising prophetic gatekeepers who will not hide the silver and the gold.

Declare it:

"When God entrusts me with wealth, I will not hide it."

We must break free from greed.

A Call to Authentic Prophets

We are also witnessing another danger.

Some people pursue prophetic ministry merely for money.

Others pursue visibility.

Self-promotion.

Image.

In Southern Africa, we have even begun referring to some as "**prophetic slay queens.**"

Everything is about appearance.

Long eyelashes.

Designer labels.

Photo opportunities.

Luxury branding.

Yet there is little substance.

Little prayer.

Little prophetic burden.

Some prey upon desperate women by promising marriages and children in exchange for offerings.

That is not the prophetic.

We are finished with that.

Tell somebody,

"I did not come to play."

And I certainly did not come to **prey** upon God's people.

We came to **pray**, not to prey.

The Holy Spirit is not for sale.

The gifts of God cannot be purchased.

The Gatekeeper as a Security Checkpoint

Let me conclude this section by speaking briefly about the nature of gates.

A gate functions as a security checkpoint.

It is also like an embassy.

Recently, while travelling from Abuja to Makurdi, we passed through a checkpoint.

Immediately I sensed that something was wrong.

Young boys had placed logs across the road.

I asked our escort,

"Is this a genuine security checkpoint?"

He replied,

"No, Mama."

He explained that some politicians allowed these boys to collect money and then shared in the proceeds.

As I reflected on that moment, I noticed something interesting.

They stopped every other vehicle.

But when our convoy approached with its lights, they stepped aside.

They recognized authority.

They recognized the light.

Let Your Light Shine

There is a light that God is placing upon your life.

It is a light that counterfeit systems will recognize.

Even darkness will acknowledge it.

There is a light within you that pushes back darkness.

When light appears, darkness cannot remain.

It must flee.

It must give way.

The problem is not that darkness is too strong.

The problem is that too many believers have failed to show up.

Tell somebody,

"I will show up."

Darkness does not chase light.

Light chases darkness.

You are that light.

"Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the LORD is risen upon thee." — Isaiah 60:1 (KJV)

Arise.

Shine.

Occupy your gate.

And let the light of Christ transform the nations.

The Prophetic Light Gatekeeper

Come on, tell somebody, **"You are light! You are light! You are the prophetic light gatekeeper. You are the prophetic gate. You are light!"**

Arise and shine!

The problem is that you've been sitting down.

It is not time to sit down.

Come on, shake somebody and declare,

"It's not time.

It's not time to sit down.

It's not time to sit down."

“Why sit we here until we die?”

That was the question asked by the lepers.

Why do we sit here until we die?

We will not die.

We are rising.

Tell somebody,

"Let us go!

Let us go!"

Man of God, let us go!

Such great grace.

Great grace.

Thank You, Lord, for the great grace upon Your servant.

Stop Hiding Your Light

The blue light must be seen.

Tell somebody,

"Stop hiding your light."

The Church has been too intimidated.

That is why, on the plane, I refused to be intimidated.

I think the man thought that because he was male and I was just a woman, I would be intimidated.

But he did not know that the Spirit of God has no gender.

The Spirit of God in me responded.

You Are an Embassy

Sit down for just a few minutes while I share this.

You are not only a security checkpoint.

You are an embassy.

Embassies issue visas.

They have the authority either to approve or decline entry.

One of my daughters came to me from a township in South Africa called Mamelodi. The name means "*the place of singing.*"

She said,

"Mama, there is a gang operating in Mamelodi, and they are demanding protection money."

Guess what they called themselves?

Boko Haram.

Even gangs understand the power of names.

They were entering shops and demanding protection money.

I asked her,

"What are you doing about it? You are the legitimate gatekeeper that God has assigned there."

I told her,

"I cannot go with you, but go to the borders of Mamelodi. Begin to speak to the gates. Begin to declare to the gates. Overthrow every illegitimate, Absalom gatekeeper that has occupied that territory."

Declare:

"Your visa has been declined.
Your visa has been nullified.
Your visa has been revoked."

Because you are the legitimate gatekeepers established by God.

They went to the borders.

They prayed.

They decreed.

They spoke over the territory.

Within six months, the leader of Boko Haram in that area was captured.

After the leader fell, everything else collapsed.

Retract Every Illegal Visa

I came to tell you that you have authority to approve or decline visas.

There are some spiritual visas that need to be withdrawn.

Some things have been allowed into Nigeria that must now be rejected.

Rise and declare:

"We nullify your visa.
We retract your visa.
Your visa has been declined."

Let's spend just one minute praying.

Declare:

"Corruption, your visa has been withdrawn.
Your visa has been nullified.
Your visa has been revoked."

Begin to retract.

Begin to decline.

Begin to overthrow.

Begin to remove.

Your visa is void.

Your visa is cancelled.

Hallelujah!

Understand that you are an embassy.

You are an ambassador representing Heaven.

You possess authority to approve or decline—but only as long as you remain aligned with the Kingdom blueprint.

The moment you step outside God's mandate, that authority no longer operates on your behalf.

Gates Are Everywhere

Have your seat for a moment.

Gates are everywhere.

When you travel through airports, you find gates.

It always amazes me that airports often have prayer rooms.

Yet many believers ignore the chapel and spend their time in the duty-free shops searching for perfumes.

Meanwhile, followers of other faiths are praying because they understand the power of gates.

You're busy negotiating over a bottle of perfume while others are securing spiritual gates.

Some airlines always route you through their home nation before taking you elsewhere.

Naturally, they do it for economic reasons.

But there is also a spiritual dimension.

Every time I arrive there, I raise an altar to God.

I declare,

"You did not bring me here for nothing.
I am a gatekeeper."

I establish an altar.

Travel with Spiritual Discernment

As you travel, may you travel with spiritual discernment.

May God give you understanding that you are not merely a tourist.

You are a prophetic gatekeeper.

May He reveal signs and symbols to you.

When you enter a city, may you immediately discern its ruling principality.

I once entered Jwaneng, the diamond capital of Botswana, after being invited to preach.

The moment I entered the city, I noticed signs of Freemasonry everywhere.

I went into my hotel to sleep, but the Holy Spirit woke me.

He kept saying,

"Wake up!

Wake up!

Can't you hear?"

May you hear the sounds that require your attention.

Sleep will not hinder you.

I followed the sound.

I found Freemasons wearing Scottish kilts and playing bagpipes.

Immediately, I began to pray.

I began to overthrow.

I began to overturn.

I confronted the spirit of Freemasonry that has held parts of Africa captive.

Remember Cecil John Rhodes, the thirty-third-degree Freemason who declared,

"I will give the Queen Africa from Cape to Cairo."

As prophetic gatekeepers, we must reverse such declarations.

We must proclaim:

"Africa belongs to Jesus Christ."

We must confront every stronghold connected to Freemasonry, including those tied to immorality and every ungodly agenda.

National Discernment

That evening, when I entered the meeting, I told them,

"Tonight we are going to pray against the principality of Freemasonry."

The congregation erupted.

They said,

"We were testing whether you were a genuine prophet.

The Freemasons have been troubling this city."

We went to the city gates.

We prayed.

We overturned.

We overthrew.

Within six months, the pastor called me.

He said,

"The hotel where we placed you belonged to the Freemasons.
We intentionally put you there to see whether you would discern it.
They have now sold the hotel and left the country."

May God open our eyes.

As Prophet Jesse said, prophetic discernment is for national benefit.

It is not so that we can boast on social media about how powerful we are.

It is so that the trajectory of a nation changes.

May God show you every altar.

Every principality.

Everything that must be uprooted.

As you travel, may you not sleep spiritually.

May you see into the realm of the Spirit and uproot, tear down, and remove every ungodly structure.

Begin with Your Own Gates

Let me speak briefly about Absalom and Mordecai.

Airports have gates.

Cities have gates.

Even your own body has gates.

Your ears are gates.

Your eyes are gates.

Your mouth is a gate.

Your mind is a gate.

One thing I will leave with you is this: God always starts where you are.

Do not claim governmental gates while you cannot govern your own body.

You want Parliament, yet you have no control over your own zipper.

Yes, I said it plainly.

You must first govern your own gates.

Your mouth gate.

Your ear gates.

Your eye gates.

You allow every form of trash to enter.

Yet you say you want to be a gatekeeper.

You are not guarding your ears.

You are not guarding your mouth.

You are not guarding your eyes.

In church you are waving your hands.

At midnight you are watching pornography.

Now it becomes quiet.

Amen.

We must deal with these things.

Deal with the gates of your own body before you pursue governmental gates.

If you attempt to confront principalities while your own gates remain open, they will deal with you.

Compared to what happened to the sons of Sceva, your experience will look small.

Gain control over your own gates.

God always begins with you, exactly where you are.

Hallelujah.

Amen.

Gates Are Places of Strength

Gates are places of strength.

They are places of fortification.

Study this when you return home.

When your gates are unmanned, you become vulnerable.

Deuteronomy 3:5 (KJV) says:

"All these cities were fenced with high walls, gates, and bars..."

Gates provide strength.

They provide security.

Gates can be strengthened.

The sons of God must know how to strengthen righteous gates.

Psalms 147:13 (KJV) declares:

"For he hath strengthened the bars of thy gates..."

Gates can also be shattered.

The sons of God must know how to shatter the gates of destruction.

Psalms 107:16 (KJV) says:

"For he hath broken the gates of brass, and cut the bars of iron in sunder."

There is so much more I could teach about gates.

My manuscript on this subject reached seven hundred pages.

I eventually divided it into three separate books because there was simply too much material.

Understand this:

When the right gates are strengthened and the wrong gates are shattered, nations align with their redemptive purpose, and righteous rulers are empowered.

Study **Isaiah 45:1–2 (KJV)**.

Absalom and Mordecai at the Gate

God is raising a new generation of Mordecai gatekeepers.

Notice the similarity between Mordecai and Absalom.

Both sat at the gate.

Yet they sat there with completely different agendas.

It is not enough simply to occupy a gate.

Like the lepers, you can sit there and do nothing.

Like the man at the Beautiful Gate, you can sit there begging.

No.

We are called to **possess** the gates.

In **2 Samuel 15**, Absalom positioned himself at the gate.

He arrived early.

Very early.

Church, it is time for us to arrive early.

Whenever someone came with a grievance for the king, Absalom would ask,

"What city are you from?"

Mordecai also sat at the gate.

Read **Esther 2:19** and **Esther 2:21 (KJV)**.

Mordecai was seated at the king's gate as well.

The difference was not their position.

The difference was their purpose.

Absalom and Mordecai: Two Different Gatekeepers

Absalom was very charming and exceptionally handsome.

2 Samuel 14:25 (KJV) says:

"But in all Israel there was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him."

Absalom was celebrated for his appearance, his charisma, and his charm.

I want to say something to us.

Many believers fail to exercise the gift of discernment because they become captivated by appearances.

These counterfeit prophets always make themselves look impressive—well dressed in designer clothing, presenting a polished image, taking pictures with expensive-looking luggage, and creating an image that attracts people.

Instead of examining the substance of what they teach, people become mesmerized by appearances.

If you simply listened carefully to what they were teaching, you would know that there is no depth and no Word.

Discern the Doctrine

How can someone follow a man who publicly declares that the Bible does not explicitly teach that sex outside marriage is sin?

Kindergarten!

I beg.

Yet he has hundreds of thousands of followers.

Hundreds of thousands.

That tells me many people do not know the Word of God.

When a man proclaims such things, what agenda is he promoting?

Anyone who teaches that is encouraging people to engage in unlawful sexual relationships.

Such a person cannot be advancing the Kingdom of righteousness.

It is common sense.

It still amazes me.

The video is available.

Exhibit A.

He openly said,

"The Bible doesn't explicitly say that sex outside marriage is sin."

Really?

What is fornication?

Is that not explicit?

What is adultery?

Is that not explicit?

Unless you no longer understand English.

Amen.

Be discerning.

Counterfeit ministries operate through deception, cunning, and confusion.

Do not mistake charisma for anointing.

The Anointing Removes the Burden

Never rely on personality or charm.

It is the anointing that removes burdens and destroys yokes.

Allow the Holy Spirit to minister through you.

Hallelujah.

Some people even rehearse before mirrors.

They practice their smiles.

They ask themselves,

"What expression will impress people the most?"

No.

Do not depend on charisma.

Depend upon the anointing.

The Holy Spirit is the One who changes lives.

Mordecai Exercised Authority

Esther 9:4 (KJV) tells us:

"For Mordecai was great in the king's house, and his fame went out throughout all the provinces: for this man Mordecai waxed greater and greater."

Mordecai was not known for outward charm.

He was known because he exercised great authority in the palace.

God positioned him there.

His authority increased because Heaven had appointed him.

The agendas were completely different.

Two Different Agendas

In **2 Samuel 15**, Absalom rose early every morning.

Why?

His entire purpose was to hijack people who belonged to his father, King David.

He even stole David's trusted counselor, Ahithophel.

The agenda of Absalom is always to hijack what belongs to another.

Such people are not appointed by God.

They are self-appointed.

They are self-proclaimed.

Most importantly, they always point people to themselves instead of pointing them to Jesus.

They want you to believe that your miracle comes from them instead of from Christ.

Mordecai always pointed people toward the King.

He remained loyal to the King.

He remained loyal to the Kingdom agenda.

He never built his own following.

The Spirit of Absalom

Watch carefully.

Absalom sat at the gate for one purpose—to draw people to himself. That is one of the clearest signs of the spirit of Absalom.

When someone continually draws people to himself and convinces them that no miracle can happen outside his ministry, you are looking at Absalom.

Perhaps we should give him a nickname.

Let's simply call him "**Absi.**"

When everything becomes about him...

When every testimony points back to him...

When every answer supposedly comes only through him...

Who is that?

Absi.

But the one who continually points people to Jesus—

Who is that?

Mordecai.

I am helping you remember.

Absi belongs to one camp.

Mordecai belongs to another.

You are not part of the "Absi WhatsApp group."

Mordecai's Assignment

Mordecai held an official appointment.

He was serving on a national assignment.

He sat at the king's gate for Kingdom purposes.

His mission was national preservation.

He did not hijack agendas.

He did not build his own tower like Nimrod.

Instead, he carried the burden of Nehemiah—to build what belonged to God.

That is the nature of Mordecai.

God is looking for Mordecais in this generation.

Absalom is marked by rebellion and disloyalty.

He stole his father's counselor.

Mordecai is marked by fierce loyalty to the King of kings and Lord of lords.

Mordecai represents righteousness and justice.

Absalom represents rebellion and theft.

A Call to Nigeria

My time is almost gone.

I believe you have heard what the Lord wanted to say concerning Nigeria.

Nigeria—

Remember who you are.

Remember your continental mandate.

This is not merely about Nigeria.

It is about Africa.

That is why you must arise into your continental redemptive purpose.

Arise, Nigeria.

Arise!

Jehovah Sabaoth, Arise!

One of my apostolic sons from Jos Plateau wrote a song crying out to God on behalf of Nigeria.

It calls upon **Jehovah Sabaoth**, the Lord of Hosts, to arise and defend His cause.

Can we pray for one minute?

Can we ask Jehovah Sabaoth to arise on behalf of Nigeria?

Come on, Nigeria.

Join me.

Let us cry out to God.

Begin to pray.

Jehovah Sabaoth...

Arise!

Nigeria, arise on behalf of the continent.

Nigeria, this is your appointed time.

Arise in righteousness.

Arise in justice.

Commissioning the Mordecai Gatekeepers

I now want to invite Apostle Gideon...

Prophet Jesse...

Apostle Austin...

and the other men of God.

Please come.

Come and make prophetic declarations.

This is a generation of Mordecais.

I said,

This is a generation of Mordecai gatekeepers.

If you are a Mordecai, lift your hands before the Lord.

Declare:

"God, I am a Mordecai.

I receive my assignment."

Let every Absalom be unseated.

Let every Absalom be overthrown.

Let every Absalom be exposed.

The Mordecais of Nigeria are rising.

Lift your hands.

God is commissioning you.

God is releasing you.

You are a Mordecai.

You will not abandon your assignment.

You will not surrender your position.

Arise and shine.

Your light has come.

Nigeria shall not go down.

Nigeria shall be saved.

Rise on behalf of the continent.

Take your position.

Overthrow the spirit of Absalom.

Defeat every counterfeit agenda.

Prophetic Declaration Over Nigeria

"I want us to lift up our hands toward heaven and declare over our nation:"

Nigeria, arise and shine,

for your time has come,

and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

Arise from the dust.

Come out of your season of oppression.

Enter into your redemptive purpose.

We speak to the soil of our land.

We speak to the North and to the South.

We speak to the nation whose land the rivers divide.

We call forth the prophecy of **Isaiah 18**.

A people of smooth skin,

a mighty people,

a people whose land the rivers divide—

we call you into your destiny.

Nigeria,

we call forth the glory of the Lord over you.

We declare that the season of oppression comes to an end.

We declare that the season of kidnapping comes to an end.

We release the sword of the Lord.

We declare that the season of terrorism comes to an end, in the name of Jesus Christ.

We declare that the persecution of the Church comes to an end.

We speak prophetically over the six geopolitical zones.

We prophesy to the Middle Belt.

We prophesy to the North.

We prophesy to the South.

Come into your season of rest.

We judge every throne that has oppressed this land.

We judge every power that has resisted the purposes of God for Nigeria.

We declare that the glory of the Lord is rising over this nation.

A new season opens before us.

The Lord Himself rises over Nigeria.

In the mighty name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

A Prophetic Prayer Over Nigeria

We call our walls **Peace**.

We call our gates **Salvation**.

We declare that violence, wasting, and destruction shall no longer be heard in our land, in the name of Jesus.

The wickedness of the wicked shall no longer prosper.

The blood of tyrants shall no longer stain our cities.

We speak to the North.

We speak to the South.

We speak to the East.

We speak to the West.

Only the purpose of the Lord and those ordained by God shall stand.

“Lift up your heads, O you gates; and be lifted up, you everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in!”

We speak to the northern region of our nation: **Let the King of Glory come in.**

We speak to the southern region: **Let the King of Glory come in.**

We speak to the western region: **Let the King of Glory come in.**

We speak to every gate of this nation: **Let the King of Glory come in.**

Today we stand upon this altar and upon the labors of our forefathers.

We activate every prophetic word spoken over this nation—from the Presidency to the Legislature, to the Judiciary—in the name that is above every other name.

The wickedness of the wicked shall advance no more.

Today we judge the spirit of kidnapping. We halt its advance in the name of Jesus.

We judge every altar that empowers it.

We silence them.

We remove their confidence.

We take away their strength in the name of Jesus.

Right now, in the Spirit, we extinguish their lamp.

We strip away their strength.

We extinguish their light in the name of Jesus.

The Scripture says:

"Fear not what they fear, neither call a confederacy what they call a confederacy. Let the Lord alone be your fear and your dread."

He also said,

"Hold your peace, for the battle is the Lord's."

Today we turn this battle around in the name of Jesus.

Let the economic strength of the South strengthen the North.

Let there be a divine union between the North and the South so that there will be true deliverance and the rebirth of the revival that God has ordained.

We speak to governments.

We speak to palaces.

Align yourselves with the will and counsel of God in the name of Jesus.

Every prophetic word spoken over this nation shall not fall to the ground.

We see judges arising.

We see princes arising.

We see kings arising.

We see the downfall of the wicked in the name of Jesus Christ.

We cut off their influence.

We silence their voice.

We destroy their strength in the name of Jesus.

A New Day for Nigeria

We declare a new day over you, Nigeria.

We stop the flow of innocent blood.

We rebuke the spirit of death. We command it to return to where it came from.

Nigeria, arise!

Open your mouth and swallow your enemies in the name of Jesus.

Today we stir the fire of revival within your soul.

We speak to your life.

We speak to your destiny.

Take your place upon the world stage.

Serve the nations.

Carry revival.

Administer the fire of God to the nations of the earth in the name of Jesus.

The Collapse of Darkness

Today we decree that every structure of darkness that has sustained evil, corruption, death, manipulation, extremism, terrorism, and every form of wickedness that has stood against the Church and God's purpose in this nation—

Let those structures collapse!

Let them collapse!

Let them collapse!

Instead, we establish structures of righteousness.

Structures that will sustain revival.

Structures that will preserve purity.

Structures that will uphold righteousness.

Every prophetic word spoken over this nation shall come to pass.

Thank You, Father.

Glory be to Your name.

In Jesus' mighty name we have declared. Amen.

Lift Up Your Heads, O Gates

“Lift up your heads, all you gates.

Be lifted up, you everlasting doors,

that the King of Glory may come in.

Who is this King of Glory?

The Lord strong and mighty.

The Lord mighty in battle.

He is the King of Glory.”

Let every gate within Nigeria be lifted up.

Let the King of Glory enter every tribe, every ethnic group, every state, and every region in the name of Jesus Christ.

Let there be unity between Northern and Southern Christians.

May the burden of what the North is suffering enter into the hearts of believers in the South.

May the South arise to strengthen the North.

May the Church become one in this nation.

May the Pentecostals, the Anglicans, the Roman Catholics, and every expression of Christ's Church stand together as one Church against one enemy in the name of Jesus.

We Close the Gates to Wickedness

Lord, frustrate the plans of the crafty.

Nullify every wicked agenda concerning this nation.

In 2027, no wicked ruler shall govern Nigeria again.

We close the gates of politics against wickedness.

We declare that righteousness shall arise in this nation.

Let the iniquity of this land come to an end in the name of Jesus Christ.

Lord, raise Kingdom resource managers from within Your Church.

Raise prophetic men.

Raise prophetic women.

From the South to the North, let them arise in the name of Jesus Christ.

Against Terror and Violence

Every terrorist group, every bandit, every violent power, your reign over this nation ends today.

We attack the strength behind your operations.

We confront your sponsors.

May confusion arise among them.

May division come between them and every foreign supporter.

Let the head turn against the head.

Let Nigeria be delivered from their hands in the name of Jesus Christ.

As the Church, we push back every force of terror from this nation in the name of Jesus.

Let Revival Arise

From this altar, let revival arise.

From this altar, let the Church arise again.

From this altar, let the Church in Nigeria return to her prophetic mandate, take responsibility for Africa, and carry the Gospel to the nations of the earth, in the name of Jesus Christ.

Lord, arise.

Let Your enemies be scattered.

Let them melt like wax before the fire.

In the mighty name of Jesus,

Nigeria shall be free again.

In Jesus' mighty name we pray.

Amen.

A Prayer of Repentance

Lord, we stand upon every prophetic word that has gone forth concerning Nigeria.

Today we also come in repentance on behalf of this nation.

For Your Word says,

"If My people, who are called by My name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land."

Because we have come before You in repentance, we know You are faithful to heal our land.

Therefore we pray:

O Lord, heal Nigeria!

Heal Nigeria!

The land is well situated, but the waters are sick.

Heal the waters of Nigeria.

Heal us from devastation.

Heal us from pain.

Heal us from every work of the enemy.

Deliver us from every activity of Satan.

I see a new Nigeria.

I see a healed Nigeria.

The enterprise of kidnapping shall no longer be attractive.

It shall no longer prosper.

In Jesus' mighty name. **Amen.**

Nigeria Shall Rise Again

Banditry in our land shall become obsolete. It shall become a thing of the past.

The land will no longer swallow her inhabitants.

Standing here in the Benue Valley, we speak over Nigeria:

Peace to your borders.

Peace to your borders.

Peace to your borders.

Let there be peace.

Let there be tranquility.

Let there be prosperity.

Let me hear a loud **Amen!**

Let the heavens be opened over Nigeria.

Let righteousness rain down.

When the enemies gather and speak a word against this nation, it shall not stand.

When they take counsel together, it shall come to nothing.

Nigeria, prosper!

Nigeria, prosper!

Nigeria, prosper!

We push you into prosperity.

Let there be a shift.

Let there be a shift.

Let there be a shift.

Let there be a shift.

Let there be a shift.

Let there be a shift.

We prophesy:

Revival!

Revival!

Revival!

Revival!

Can I hear the sound of revival?

Can I hear the sound of revival?

Hit the drums!

Hit the drums!

It is a new sound.

I can hear the sound of rain.

Can you make some noise?

Can you jump to your feet?

Shout!

Shout!

Shout!

Shout!

Somebody shout!

It is a new Nigeria!

It is a new Nigeria!

It is a new Nigeria!

It is a new Nigeria!

I hear the sound of the abundance of rain.

Out of Them Shall Proceed Thanksgiving

As we were shouting, one Scripture settled in my heart, and we're going to act on it for one minute if you believe it.

"And out of them shall proceed thanksgiving, and the voice of them that make merry: and I will multiply them, and they shall not be few; I will also glorify them, and they shall not be small."

That is the story of Nigeria from today.

That is the sound of Jubilee.

That is the story of Nigeria from today.

He said,

"Out of them shall proceed thanksgiving..."

Can that thanksgiving proceed from your heart for one minute?

For Nigeria.

For Nigeria.

Out of them shall proceed thanksgiving.

Lift your voice!

Make a sound!

Make a sound!

Make a sound for Nigeria!

Those online and those on-site—make a sound for Nigeria!

And by implication, for Africa.

By implication, for Africa.

Shout!

Shout!

Shout louder!

It is our day.

It is a new day.

It is a new day.

It is a new day.

I am convinced in my heart:

It is a new day.

Out of them shall proceed thanksgiving.

Wave your hands before the Lord.

Thank You, Jesus.

Glory!

Hallelujah!

Hallelujah!

Hallelujah!

A Prayer for Mercy

Lord, look upon this land.

Look upon this nation that You have formed for Yourself and made for Your own glory.

Look upon all that the enemy has done wickedly in this land.

Look upon the perpetual desolation.

For the dark places of the earth are full of the habitations of cruelty.

Look upon our land.

Lord, stretch forth Your mighty hand.

Let the abundance of Your mercies be poured upon our nation once again.

Lord, we ask for Your mercy.

Whatever it is—especially as Your Church—we ask for Your mercy.

Where we have walked by sight instead of by faith, Lord, have mercy.

Where our fathers before us failed to seek Your face and Your will...

Where they entered into covenants and agreements outside of Your counsel...

Lord, have mercy.

Plenteous grace is found in You.

Today, Lord, in the multitude of Your mercies, forgive.

Forgive.

Forgive.

Forgive the backsliding of Your people.

Forgive us, Lord, for the days, the seasons, and the years when we followed our own wisdom instead of Your voice.

From the North of this nation to the South, let Your mercy flow like a river.

Pour out Your mercy upon our land again.

Forgive us, Lord.

Please forgive us.

Forgive the alliances that You never ordained but into which we entered.

Forgive us for revealing secrets to enemies whom we called friends because we failed to seek Your face.

Forgive us for emphasizing what was never Your heartbeat.

Forgive the generations before us for abandoning the precious things of the faith in pursuit of trivialities.

Forgive us for neglecting the calling, the mercies, and the stewardship You entrusted to us.

Forgive us for abandoning our calling at the gates.

Forgive us for trading our birthright for temporary pleasures.

Lord, please forgive.

Return to Our Land

Lord, we ask that You would return again.

Walk through this land of desolation.

Just as You passed through Egypt, Lord, we ask that You pass through Nigeria.

Return, that our eyes may behold You once again.

Step into our land so that this nation may once again experience the weight of Your majesty.

Let Your holiness blaze like fire.

Let Your mercy pour like rain.

And let Your righteous judgment come upon every work of evil.

Come through our land again and do what only a merciful and gracious God can do.

Lord, we ask that the destiny of this nation will not be wasted.

Let our eyes behold the days You have spoken concerning Nigeria.

We have waited for this moment.

Lord, let it come.

Let it come.

Let it come.

Let the days of prophecy come upon this land in the name of Jesus.

Our own strength did not give us this land.

You gave it to us.

Therefore, Lord, preserve it for us.

Thunder from heaven.

Let Your voice be like thunder upon many waters.

Put the fear of the Holy One of Israel into the hearts of the enemies of this nation.

Though they gather together, they do not gather by Your command.

Therefore, let them be scattered for our sake.

Scatter them for the sake of Your purpose concerning Nigeria.

In the name of Jesus.

Nigeria, Arise!

Out of the ashes,

let Nigeria arise again.

Let Nigeria arise again.

Now we speak directly to you, Nigeria:

Arise!

Arise!

Arise!

God—our God—shall bless you,

and all the ends of the earth shall fear Him.

Nigeria, arise!

Yes!

Against all odds, **Nigeria, arise!**

The voice of victory shall once again be heard in our land.

Our merciful God has looked upon us with mercy,

and **Nigeria shall rise again.**

In Jesus' mighty name. Amen.



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