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## Editor's Words By Gloria Jean Woodard

### WALKING INTO YOUR SEASON THROUGH THE GLORY OF GOD

God never changes! His Word never changes! His vision and destiny plan for our life never changes. We must understand that God wants to walk with us until there is a **true change** in us while He works through us. It's not all that complicated for God. But it may be for us. So He will wait to act until He finds the right man or woman through whom He can work.

As we enter this Fall Season, there is a clear Word coming forth. If we will listen and hear that message, great things will come to

pass. What is the Spirit of God saying to you as He leads you into this season? It is simply this –God is looking for walking partners. God desires a walking relationship that involves action as well as companionship, dialogue, and intimacy. God wants to keep our PASSION full, while His involvement is eternal.

This is not the time to be weak or even stagnant, because seasons change; and for us to change, there's action involved.

Have we not seen the Power of God at work? Have we not even seen the Provisions of God at work? Well, there's always a Purpose at work

also. Just as the waters come and resided; the sun came and dried.

It may not look good right now for the economy or even for some homes. However, our walk of faith will determine our attitude which propels us into a new dimension of altitude.

So men and women of God, fix your eyes on the One who has committed to walk with you into your season through the glory of God.

*To every thing there is a season and a time to every purpose under the heaven. Eccl.3:1*

*God Bless!*

10/12/2008

## A Back-up Plan

In October I lost my main e-mail address. I was just shut out and shut down. There were files on there that I couldn't get back.

Right before the November Newsletter and November Sunday

School Lesson was to be done and published, my main desktop computer went out. I had to put it in the shop. Well I had another computer, a laptop. Even though the computer had crashed; they had to strip the files off the computer's hard-drive, put

them back on, and all of it didn't come back the same.

During this test, thoughts came. What if they couldn't save my files? It would be hard for me to start everything back over! It would be hard to even

recreate all that I had put on the computer because some came by trial and error.

So I came to the conclusion that what was done was done and not worth the worry of trying to recreate it all over again. I'd just have to start from "Now," where I am!" The encouraging Word is: *Then Jesus*

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# A Thankful Gratitude Of Praise—Grateful

When you think of the goodness of God in your life, turn your view to His Son. Grateful declares a feeling of thanks, gratitude and praise.

- Thankful for His grace and mercy.
- Having a gratitude (an appreciation) that can be expressed in one's actions.
- Praise unto an Awesome God for what "He's" done in your life.

Everyday there are changes going on in our lives (some more than others). Can we say, I'm thankful for this situation or grateful for this test and still give an attitude of praise? Not all the time and really not when it disrupts our lives.

As people cross my path, it is an encounter for God to shine in my life and theirs. What do I have to share or what do they have to share with me. The sharing is something God has imparted within each of us for someone else. This is not a time of live and let live. It is a time of sharing, the simplest thing. *God loves you. Jesus died for your sins. And He's coming back to take us with Him!*

Have you gone through something? Or have you come up against some difficulty? And during this time are your eyes fixed on the difficulty or the "One" who can do the impossible in this difficulty?

My prayers are with you, and after praying, praise comes to say that God already knew about it and can handle it. Don't allow the enemy to confuse you in this encounter. Choose to remember those things that are good in your life. It may be your husband, your children, your

health, your finances. Oh Oh, did I strike a nerve? You say you can't be thankful about any of the above? Well it comes in seasons. You might have been thankful about one of them before, and now things have changed and you don't know how to get back to that point of being grateful for them. The season has changed and you are to flow and move as seasons change.

4. Give thanks for today!
5. Do a free favor!
6. Give a little gift!
7. Give someone a list of all they've done that you're grateful for!
8. Acknowledge them publicly!
9. Surprise them with kindness!
10. Say thanks even for negative things in your life!

## 6 Ways to Stay Thankful:

1. Find out what you're grateful for!
2. Articulate it!
3. Know that your wealth begins within!
4. Know that Happiness and Satisfaction are different and changes with circumstances!
5. Have something to give by helping others!
6. Testify of the goodness of God before you see change!

If you never start where you are,

### "You Have What Someone Else Needs" !

Thankfulness Plus Gratefulness Leads to Praise!

you can never get out of the rut of depression and stress, and get to where God wants you to be.

## 10 Great Ways to Show You're Grateful Today!

1. Create a Gratitude Ritual!
2. Send a thank-you note!
3. Give a free hug!

## Biblical Ways to Praise the Lord:

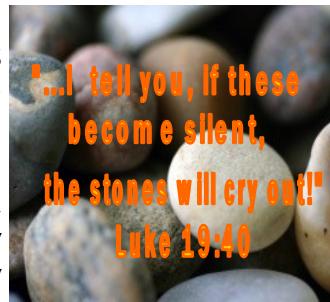
1. WITH OUR VOICES. "*Oh Bless our God, you peoples! And make the voice of His praise to be heard.* (Psalm 66:8)
2. WITH SHOUTING. "*Oh, clap your hands, all you peoples! Shout to God with the voice of triumph!*" (Psalms 47:1)
3. WITH SINGING. "*Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises!*" (Psalm 47:6)
4. WITH THANKSGIVING. "*I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify Him with thanksgiving.*" (Psalm 69:30)
5. WITH A JOYFUL NOISE. "*Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye*

**I thank the Lord for all His blessings. But mostly I thank Him for giving me the mind to know Him in my life. Also for the desire to learn all I can of His Salvation!**

J. Wilson 10/25/09

# PRAYER & THANKSGIVING:

Father, I'm always thankful for You waking me up morning by morning, allowing health and strength in my body. Everyday is not the same in my body but I'm grateful when I can move and have my being. I know some are in hospitals, some are in nursing home, some at home on their beds of affliction. Their circumstances might look bleak but I know when I visit or talk to them, they have a story to tell



about the goodness of the Lord. They are determined not to let circumstances get them down. They are determined to lift You up. They are glad to be alive among the living. Every night I pray for another chance to get it right or do it right. And sometimes I'm thanking you that I got all my tasks done. Praise God! Lord I'm grateful for lives You touch through me! I'm grateful for a voice in my writings, that it will

live on after I've passed, that I had a purpose and You're fulfilling my calling. I'm grateful to see my family come closer to You.

Mostly, I'm grateful for Your Son Jesus, dying on the cross, buried, and raised to Life again for ME and others. Thank you for the seeds that were planted because You gave the increase. I pray for all those that don't know You and will come to you as you draw them. I Praise You!

Thank you Lord !

## Con't A Thankful Gratitude Of Praise—Grateful

- lands." (*Psalm 100:1*)
- 6. BY CRYING OUT. "Cry out and shout, O inhabitant of Zion, For great is the Holy One of Israel in your midst!" (*Isaiah 12:6*)
- 7. WITH LAUGHTER. "Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with singing." (*Psalm 126:2*)
- 8. WITH MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. "Praise the Lord with the harp; make melody to Him with an instrument of ten strings." (*Psalm 33:2*)
- 9. BY BOWING AND KNEELING BEFORE HIM. "Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker." (*Psalm 95:6*)
- 10. BY FALLING PROSTRATE BEFORE HIM. "And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. Then all the people answered, 'Amen, Amen!' while lifting up their hands. And they bowed their heads and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground." (*Nehemiah 8:6*)
- 11. WITH CLAPPING THE HANDS. "Oh, clap your hands, all you peoples." (*Psalm 63:4*)

- 12. WITH UPLIFTED HANDS. "Thus I will bless You while I live: I will lift up hands in Your name." (*Psalm 63:4*)
- 13. WITH DANCE. "Let them praise his name with the dance." (*Psalm 149:3*)
- 14. WITH TONGUES. "For they heard them speak with tongues and magnify God." (*Acts 10:46*)
- 15. WITH OUR FINANCES. "Honor the Lord with your possessions, and with first-fruits of all your increase." (*Proverbs 3:9*)  
*said to his disciples: 'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life,...Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life? Lk.12:22,26. i.e. a fire where everything is lost, gone! What do you do? Well get the idea out of your*

## A LOST CAN BE A GAIN !

WHAT YOU LET GO  
HE CAN GIVE MORE !

## con't A Back-up Plan

mind about giving up! Remember, what you do for Christ will last! However, if what I do is for a pat on the back, all of this is but naught and will be burnt up in the end. However, if all this is happening because of the Word sake, then I know God is up to something and this attack of the enemy is where God shows up strong and mighty. I know God won't let it be lost, because I truly trust in Him alone!

For all those that are starting over from scratch, remember



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God knows how to get your attention and He knows how to get you through your most hair raising, pulling hair out time! I believe that some things happens for a reason. Sometimes you have to stop what you're doing. And sometimes you keep doing what you are doing until you get an answer.

Well I didn't miss a beat. I didn't stop. I began to do November's Sunday School Lesson and November's Newsletter on the laptop computer. It pays to have a back-up computer. I had to download my website on the

other computer. None of this was as easy as it sounds. And that is to say starting over is in life is not as easy as it sounds. I believe the lesson for me is to have a back-up plan. Well I had another computer but I failed to save all my files on a disk or memory stick.

God had a back-up plan for us. There is only one plan –The Plan of Salvation through Jesus Christ! *Jesus said... I Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me Jh.14:6.* No other way! No other plan! Even if I live a good life and think that nothing is suppose to happen to me. It happens! He came for the sinner in need of a Savior. He's our

Even though I can back-up my files, it tells me that I need to have God's Word stored in me. Even if you back-up God's Word by writing or keeping a journal, putting things on tapes or CDs, they can be lost, have the Word in you so the Holy Spirit can bring it back up to your remembrance.

I know people had precious pictures doing the Katrina flood and they were destroyed! My daughter was one, who lost all those precious pictures that were in a photo album. Pictures she really loved and couldn't

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(family, friends, prom, graduation). She didn't have copies. Her whole computer along with everything she had taken away from home to college, was lost and destroyed.

We got through it. And she started over from where she was, and didn't miss a beat. If you have all your important documents together in a plastic zip-lock bag in one place or a fire-proof safe deposit box, you have a pretty good back-up plan.

People have come through fire, flood, health issues, debt, and death of a loved one, and haven't

**"During the Test  
Draw Near to God!"**  
**He makes All things New!**  
**He has Backed you up  
From the Beginning!**

given up hope when truly con-

I'm trying to help someone to let go and let Jesus Christ be "your" back-up plan by putting everything in His hand, trusting Him in all situations first. Put your trust in the only One that is not concerned about material things, but in the One that can save your soul.

How can we trust God if we're never put in a situation to trust Him. He's fully aware of our

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situations and gives peace when we're weary. Can He find faith in you? Can you trust in Him? Jesus is your only back-up plan for everything. He'll be your light in a dark hallway, a leaning post to lean on, a peacemaker in the midst of a storm, a safety place when the arrows are flung at you. He'll give laughter

when you want to frown, the right Word that lifts you out of the slump, power to go forward when you felt like going backwards, and cause you to recall what He has already done.

has the only plan—The Plan of Salvation, that's equipped to save our souls and make all things "New!"

**God is a HEALER in me. He gives CREATIVE IDEAS to me.  
He allows me to SEE another day. He never changes,  
that's why I can trust Him with my Life! I Love Him and I  
know He Loves me! I'm Soooo Grateful He Saved Me !**

G. Woodard 10/28/09

## THIS IS MY TESTIMONY by Sis. Patsy Alexander 10/25/09

Giving God all the Honor, Praise, and Glory !

I never had given myself a breast exam before. I know it had to be the Power of The Holy Spirit who guided me to place my hand on a specific breast, which was my left one.

It was time for my Mammogram anyway. So when I took the exam, they found something. To be sure, I took an Ultrasound. It was a "Tumor!" But they didn't know if it was malignant or not. They sent me to a better facility for a special test to see if it was malignant. It was; I cried like any other human being would have. But I knew feeling sorry for myself wouldn't make it. So I had to get on my knees and tell God all about my situation, because He knows all about "Me!" He created me! I had to put my faith into action!

I told God, "*I don't want to die, I want to live!*" I began to get into the Word of God and Pray The Word for God to ~~HEAL ME~~.

I had my operation. They took out the malignant cancer. They went through my lymph node to get **all** the Cancerous Tumor. I went through three doses of Chemotherapy for three months

which was every three weeks. I had my operation on the 15th of June 09; came home the next day with a tube —a draining tube in my left breast.

I started my Chemotherapy on 9-23-09. Through God working through the doctors, the church, and people of God praying (PRAYER WORKS), I had NO problems, NO pain, NO sickness, NO medicine!

### I CAN'T HELP BUT GIVE MY FATHER PRAISE!!!

Yes, I had some side affects. However, still, that was nothing compared to what I've heard. But the key is, give your sickness, your problems, your troubles, your finances (whatever your situation, give it) to God! He can work them all out. There is nothing impossible about Him! He cannot fail and He cannot lie! His promises are true. It's all about faith. You must believe and trust Him! And see God work! He is still a miracle working God!

First, tell Him what you need. He wants us to tell Him, talk to Him so He can talk back to us. His word says, we have not because we ask not (Read 1 John 3:22; James 4:2c,3).

God has shown favor over my husband and I—Two Miracles! Maybe one day Sis. Woodard will ask him to give his testimony! We both are praising God more each day. We were praising Him before, but He has given us a "Greater Praise!"

Monday, 10-26-09, I start my Radiation therapy for six weeks straight everyday for five days a week I know that the favor of God is at my address. I have been "Delivered" from Cancer! The doctors are killing the Cancer cells with Chemo and Radiation to be 100% sure. It is a process.

We have been going to church praising God. The church is seeing Jesus' miracles in us and in others too. The Light is shinning in darkness! This is my Testimony—sharing with others!

Whatever you go through, take it to God in prayer first! Don't be ashamed to go in front of your church and ask the church to pray for you; even your Christian friends. Don't listen to negative talk! When they begin, say "No!", I don't need you feeling sorry for me, just pray for me and see Jesus do His work!

Amen and God Bless!

### Special Point Of Interest:

*I give "Thanks" for all those that responded when God was Speaking!*

**"GOD BLESS AND HAPPY THANKSGIVING"**

**POWER IN THE WORD**

For the Word of god is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

**POWER IN THE WORD MINISTRY:**

**My MISSION:** Reach and encourage others in letting you know that God is able to do the impossible.

**My VISION:** Be on the web reaching those I don't see but God does.

**IT CAN HAPPEN**

How much more shall your Father which is in heaven, give good things to them that ask him?

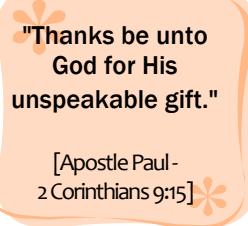
Matthew 7:11b

**IT CAN HAPPEN :**

**My MISSION:** Use the God-given gifts for His glory!

**My VISION:** Teach others to reach for those God-given gifts in them!

1ST WEEK	2ND WEEK	3RD WEEK	4TH WEEK
I AM THE DOOR: BY ME IF ANY MAN ENTER IN, HE SHALL BE SAVED, AND SHALL GO IN AND OUT, AND FIND PASTURE.  JOHN	AND IT SHALL COME TO PASS, THAT WHOSOEVER SHALL CALL ON THE NAME OF THE LORD SHALL BE SAVED.  ACTS 2:21	AND BEING MADE PERFECT, HE BECAME THE AUTHOR OF ETERNAL SAL- VATION UNTO ALL THEM THAT OBEY HIM...  HEBREWS 5:9	WHEREFORE [JESUS] IS ABLE ALSO TO SAVE THEM TO THE UTTER- MOST THAT COME UNTO GOD BY HIM, SEEING HE EVER LIVETH TO MAKE INTERCESSION FOR THEM  Meditate on these for 30 days. Get them into your heart. They will be needed when leading a soul to Christ.



Nov. 1st Daylight  
Savings Time



Nov. 26 Thanksgiving

**Test 1: Common Bible Sayings**

- Am I my brother's \_\_\_\_\_?
- Daniel in the \_\_\_\_\_ den
- Do unto \_\_\_\_\_ as you would have them do unto you.
- Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we \_\_\_\_\_.
- A friend that sticks closer than a \_\_\_\_\_
- God so loved the \_\_\_\_\_ that he gave his only begotten son
- I am the \_\_\_\_\_, the truth, and the life.
- In my Father's \_\_\_\_\_ are many mansions.
- Land flowing with milk and \_\_\_\_\_
- Lay up for yourselves \_\_\_\_\_ in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt nor thieves break through and steal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.
- No \_\_\_\_\_ in the inn
- Now abideth faith, hope, \_\_\_\_\_, these three; but the greatest of these is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Suffer the little \_\_\_\_\_ to come unto me, and forbid them not.
- Turn the \_\_\_\_\_ cheek.
- Walk by \_\_\_\_\_, not by sight.
- \_\_\_\_\_ up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it.
- All we like \_\_\_\_\_ have gone astray.
- Be ye \_\_\_\_\_ of the word, and not hearers only.

**Test 7: Fruit of the Spirit**

Name the nine-part "fruit of the Spirit" as listed by Paul.

Answers: (Galatians 5:22-24, KJV)  
Goodness, faith, meekness, temperance,  
Love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness,

**Test 8: Seven Last Statements**

What were Christ's seven last statements from the cross as recorded in the Bible?

1. "Father, forgive them; they know not what they do." 2. "Today thou shalt be with me in Paradise." 3. "Woman, behold thy son." To John, "Behold thy mother." 4. "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?" 5. "I thirst." 6. "It is finished." 7. "Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit."

Answer: Seven Last Statements

**Test 9: Armor of God**

When Paul said, "Put on the whole armor of God," what were the six items he named?

belt of truth; breastplate of righteousness;  
shield of faith; helmet of salvation;  
sabre of the Spirit, which is the word of God;  
feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

Answers: (Ephesians 6:13-17)