

UNDERSTANDING
THE PURPOSE

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THE BOOK: UNDERSTANDING THE PURPOSE

What is the purpose and what is the end of all these things? When terrifying floods of mass destruction destroy life and when Covid 19 disease follows in no space of time and kills people in hundreds, thousands and millions, nations are left wondering why it happens like that. They wonder if ever there were higher powers above. They wonder for what purpose and meaning all these things pointed to.

They are left empty, hopeless and vulnerable in their minds.

But is there anyone clever to understand and know? The doings of a great God who is purposefully working out His great plan with objects, subjects and variants.

The majority of people are not aware of God's eternal plan and His workings pertaining to purpose and end of all these things.

But the wise would choose to know their position in the game.

Real spiritual awakening is not simple meditation or mindfulness without understanding an eternal purpose.

Real spiritual awakening has an eternal purpose that has to do with awakening the inner person of the spirit.

The real-life cases that are discussed will heavily instill or work to raise the necessary spiritual and life awakening power in the self and that should help model a mind and personality that knows and cares for the good order of things as the Lord likes it.

The call for negative behavior change is so loud in the book. For that reason, there are many social life stories discussed and suggestions given.

Chapter One

Why Spiritual Awakening?

This question can be answered when we find answers to just a number of more worrisome questions below.

Why suicide?

Why drug abuse?

Why murder?

Why hatred?

Why emotional distress?

Why unforgiveness?

All these acts and many more of this nature are signs of dying souls. When we say a dying soul literally we are talking of a natural person in the path of losing own life, usually unaware. The mind can lead to natural and spiritual death.

Sometimes the mindset can be a source of spiritual agony and physical health barrier if corrective care

and awareness is not taken early. Tens of millions of people worldwide suffer from a dying spiritual health. Drug abuse is now a common thing in many countries including Zimbabwe. In general, many of both the youths and the old aged are indulging into this bad habit of drug abuse. What is heart breaking is that these people tell you that there is nothing they could do and smoking and excessive alcohol intake is the only thing they can do to make their life going.

Suicide cases are increasing by the day and these very same people can even kill themselves or hurt others when their minds lose normal shape and fail to open up for new avenues of fresh and proper spiritual food. True to say that many who are not even drug abusers find themselves in serious hounds of various types of emotional threats and the next thing most of them find easy to do is to give out life by committing suicide. This is really a tragedy that humanity finds itself in and that really needs some rapid response.

There are reasons why people need spiritual awakening. Spiritual self-awakening is the only remedy to a dying self, a traumatized or lacking mindset. What is needed is instilling enlightenment about a purposeful awareness of life and care

principles in the self. But even so, complete awakening cannot be yielded and effective if the spiritual part of humanity is not implored, understood and awakened.

Let me say that above all emotional and spiritual restoration techniques that can be employed to heal wounded souls or traumatized mindsets either scientific or social; we do have the best way available that is more effective. The best way is to start by awakening one's spiritual self to the natural reality and to the understanding of; "the purpose and end of all these things." This is a broader understanding of what's going on, who we are, our purpose for living and being here, and a clear understanding of the end of all these things.

Ultimately this brings the Creator, who is Mighty and is Owner of this great plan that we find ourselves in. It is for this reason therefore that I have made the first section of this book to talk immensely about the healing wisdom and the life-giving spiritual awakening theory. It all hangs on the awareness of our being the subjects of God's plan and understanding that we are His purposeful workings for the Great plan.

This book contains the following three thematic sections:

1. Subjects of the Plan,
2. Life Care
3. End of all these things.

An overview of each section is briefly given below:

Section One:

Subjects of The Plan

Section overview

Nature as it is commonly known consists of the material things that we see and feel. These things include the earth and what is in it including people. Nature also includes the skies which include the sun, all planets, stars, moon and wind or air. All this comprise the universe. Even the nearest galaxy which is said to be millions of light years away from us into space is also part of nature.

Now, all these things have an Owner who has a purpose with them and is steering the wheel. Please, being hard as it may seem to understand,

just take note of this and it will help you to understand later. All these things are part of a great phenomenal plan of a great Planner. All these things are subjects of this great Planner who has a purpose for all of them.

To know and understand this will help us to get on well with the goings on of this great phenomenal plan and the One who drives it. This section is building a bedrock foundation of awareness in this endeavor. In order to help us better understand this whole Devine way of things this section contains material that awakens our inner self and warn humanity to live the Great plan and know your purpose in it. This is by understanding and having a caring and watchful self in as far as each subject performs its role in the execution of individual duties in line with the Great plan. Without that understanding many of us will miss the purpose of the Great plan and ultimately fail Him and the consequence is painful.

Section Two:

Life Care

Section overview

Whilst we are subjects of the great plan, days are designed to come and go as a means of time measuring and counting for aging so that we must have an end of the current phase of the Great plan. In this section I am working within the natural interactive and experiential process in the Great plan. In other words, these are the workings on of the Great plan.

Even in these daily experiences that people find themselves as they live their life whether good or bad they should not lose awareness of the Great plan at hand. In this section I am moving through various life experiences mostly terrible real-life cases and I am trying to remind everyone not to lose heart and fail to notice the power and love of the One who made this creation. Whether the situation is good or bad following His ways helps to heal the situation. I am also teaching everyone ways of showing love to one another. I try to draw everyone's mind to understand the purpose of God in His plan. I remind people to live in God's ways so that they do not fail the race of this life game at the end of time when God ends this first phase of the Great plan.

Section Three:

End of All These Things

Section overview

“These things” here implies the workings of God’s plan on His subjects. The section has two segments. The first one is titled the “Beginning of sorrows”. This is the day when the signs of the end of times started. Everyone was doing their normal daily activities such as going to church, celebrating weddings, attending to beer parties etc. The signs of the end started on Sunday mid-morning. People were caught unaware and fear gripped everyone on earth.

The second segment is titled “The eleventh-hour call” In the midst of signs, fear and tribulation, there was a moment of last repentance where the Lord told me to reach out to people who were stampeding or gathering helplessly in buildings in fear. I was to preach to them for what the Lord termed the eleventh-hour call for repentance.

This section saw the coming of the Lord Jesus to take His church amidst a host of angels in a war mode on horse backs. The saddest thing about this section is that many people did not make it to go

with Jesus. Jesus told them to go to their father the Devil and Satan where they were doing their works. Jesus Christ said that He gave everyone enough time to repent and to follow Him. He said that He died for everyone's sins so that those who would choose to follow Him would not be judged but sadly these ones did not care to listen and to follow Him.

Again, this section is a section that tries to show how the end of these things would look like. The end is real and is surely going to be bad for those who do not choose to follow Jesus Christ the only Son of God who came here on earth to die for humanity. Jesus died for humanity so that those who believe in Him will not perish but inherit the kingdom of God.

Chapter Two

Seeking Truth and Reality

My whole person is completely tied up into this peculiar life discourse. Yes, strange life discourses. Yes, I am right now finding myself digging deep down into the uncommon but real-life paradox that entangles personality and existence of mankind. Now; that is not a simple task to be undertaken all in the literal and natural form but rather some kind of natural self-denial and purposeful focus that is able to stray beyond the common naturalist perspective and into acceptance of some spiritual revelation is highly called for. If a purposeful and vividly realistic life focus is arrived at it helps bring to light important life realities and how these affect the mind, individual personalities and life at large and thereby help restore fullness of the self.

These realities happen to be products of spiritual or natural aspects that affect humanity every day. But to understand all these things is not a simple matter at all and for that reason many have left this side of the invisible world well un-tapped. They tend to

believe that the natural world is enough and is everything that they desire to know; research and talk about in relation to life and the environment.

For the sake of positive growth, if we do not dig into the spiritual and do not analyze its facets then our knowledge of life and existence is deemed to remain too narrow and we will not be doing any good for a healthy and fruitful life both for ourselves and for others. In other words, we are just depending on the surface of things which may lack substantial truths of life realities that are smart and good for us as a creation of purpose. If we do not dig deeper in these life realities, we leave many other critical spiritual factors that are always at play in the natural life. Thus, we want to know about them so that we keep proper and complete life surveillance and control as a matter of existential prudence.

Some writers and teachers leave spiritualism matters because they feel they cannot talk about things they cannot see and cannot prove their existence. Others also leave the invisible and spiritual discussions because they believe they have no mandate to talk about what they perceive to be sacred. Yet others also do not talk about it

because they have nothing to share and have no revelation of any sort to display and talk about.

Throughout this book, at varying occasions I will be talking about the spiritual in so far as it relates to the natural person. For example, the knowledge of a necessary intimate relationship of mankind with the living Creator is a key life awareness principle. As a basic starting point, every human being must have this acknowledgement and awareness. This knowledge is crucial as it influences the kind of life that one chooses to live.

Another simple life reality is that; within a life of 100 years or so, a natural person leaves this natural world to become invisible in the invisible world and as I speak many of my friends and relatives have already done that.

The critical part of all this awareness is to know that there are guided parameters that are adhered to here in the natural. These standards determine to which extent an individual remains a loyal heir to God or the extent to which one is straying own life into vulnerability and nullity.

Living life in fullness is the dream of all humanity. Yet it all starts here today through the intelligence

of knowing the conceptual purpose of God in His creation and understanding His ways too.

No matter who we are, and even as you read this book, this awareness must sink in everyone, that our minds and the spiritual self really need to stay lively and well buzzed in material and spiritual concepts that are a base in true life intelligence. Life is not just a simple gesture of existence. No. First and foremost life marks the existence of a Living God.

To that end therefore, humanity is a special creation that is gifted with a philosophical soul and this greatly differentiates between people and any other animal species. Humanity is therefore supposed to use this philosophical conception positively and carefully by rationally abiding by the true-life principles given to them by their Maker. This philosophical conception should lead every one of us into the understanding that our Maker, God, has a purpose for us and that we are the subjects of His plan. So being subjects and gifted with intellectual rationale, we are supposed to quickly understand His plan and willfully help Him to accomplish His goal.

Another important awareness is to know that every one of us owns the life that we have. By owning life, I mean that we were entitled to this life from the very day that we were born. We are supposed to shepherd this life with care because at the end of all these things we are all accountable to the Creator who entrusted that life to us. He would want to know how we put that life to use. Life is a special creation that is fragile and needs to be handled with extreme care and awareness.

Whilst it is not easily clear and simply understandable, the truth about life and human beings must clearly be defined and understood by every person. I mean that which makes life to be what it is now for you and what it means must clearly be personally understood. Knowing and understanding those hidden life truths will greatly improve the cause for a free real self and rebirth of a person of intuitive and mindful intelligence.

Every person is subject to the harsh and beautiful realities of life and existence. A kind of sensual or emotional leveraging pivot anchored in our minds that appears to light up when evil moments surround us threatening to uphold disorder in us is essential and needs uplifting at all times.

Talking about peace; I can simply think of peace as the absence of harassment. It means the presence of unsanctioned happiness. Harassment can be self-inflicted (internal cause). It can also be others inflicted (external cause). The Bible sometimes talks of the works of the evil one. Meaning that there are elements either human or non-human that are there to work evil (critical awareness). These evil moments do not just hound the poor only but everyone including even the richest person you may think of is subjective to the evil moments. For that reason, preparedness is critical so that when evil moments prevail they will not cut deep and shutter the person.

Chapter Three

Competitive Existential Awareness

We all know that everyone of us needs best life experiences. We are seen doing whatever it takes so that we make our life experience best. Yet best and real-life experience is not always easy to come by unless one has invested some time seeking wisdom to achieve such best life experience. Best life experience can only be achieved through great awareness of the following existential truths. These are life intelligence basic principles worth taking note of.

1. Proper spiritual and natural life intelligence.
2. Understanding your position as a human being in nature.
3. Understanding your position in society- who is you and what you have to offer.
4. Understanding your origin and purpose from the view point of Creator

Let me explain each of the above dimensions starting from the first one.

1. Proper spiritual and natural life intelligence

Studies have shown that there are various types of intelligences. Some examples of the various types of intelligence include emotional intelligence, intellectual intelligence and social intelligence; just to mention but a few. The three types of intelligences that I mentioned above are each different from the other.

A short description of each one of these three types of intelligences is given below.

1. Emotional intelligence- the ability to control feelings and actions in order not to harm yourself or others.
2. Intellectual intelligence- about fast thinking, recognition and retention of memory just like what the brightest student who scores highest grades at the university does.
3. Social intelligence - the ability to understand people and their situations and making lasting and mutually productive relationships.

The three different types of intelligences mentioned above should be enough to help us to understand that there are various types and dimensions of intelligences of which each needs own full course and some research.

Having noted that then I go back to talk a little about “Proper spiritual and life intelligence” as a basic life principle for best life experience.

For quite some time now I have been writing books that have to do with life and spirituality. As one who is interested in doing social research I have also carried a simple research on how various people go on with life. How people understand it. For example, one simple research which I carried and which many people happen to do even though they do it without a clear purpose or goal is that of asking a friend or another person else what she or he worships or believes in for their life.

The most common responses that came out from that simple question asked from about fifty people are interesting. You can check out below:

Out of fifty people questioned forty-six of them said that God existed so they worshipped Him through various ways including ancestral spirits and Christianity.

Out of fifty people questioned, four of them said God created the world but He is no longer there so they only believe and worship their ancestors who bore their parents.

This was a random sampling distribution carried from all the ten provinces of Zimbabwe. Whilst this sample is too small to represent the whole population of Zimbabwe or even worst still, the world at large, this is just my indication of what some people think about nature and spirituality. I know that even out of Zimbabwe and in the international community the common position of the mindset of mankind is that they know God exists and that He created all these things that we see today.

Talking about God and creation is equally talking about spirituality and nature. So generally, we all at some point talk and think about nature and the spiritual. It is not possible to ignore the spiritual because we are actually born out of the spiritual. It is very favorable then to always talk about the spiritual as we want to gain more and more insight into the things of the spirit. This is because life and the spirit are friends and one day every one of us here today will not be here in the flesh. Yet the soul or spiritual me will exist somewhere either in torment or in happiness. Now this is where “Proper spiritual and life intelligence” basic awareness comes into play. When I talk of “torment” of the spirit after death you might start to doubt me. You might start to think; “Hey where did he get this?”

Entirely he is a damn liar, mad and not a credible writer”. But let me tell you something critical. Besides considering the Bible talking about torment of the spirit in hell, think about the two simple hypothetical real-life situations below.

(1) Hec Railton is known for murder and burglary. He killed a taxi driver and took all his money. Recently he broke into Musara’s house and stole money and electrical gadgets after he shot and killed Musara’s wife. By the time of writing this article, Hec Railton had jumped the borders of Zimbabwe and sneaked into a foreign country as a way of running away from Zimbabwe Republic Police and escaping from the face of anyone who happens to know him.

(2) Artiwell Mutasa took his neighbor’s wife for secret love affairs and for a good number of years the two had been having their secret love affairs until one day they were caught at a private lodge together having their secret intimacy relationship in town. They were found in action by the real husband of the cheating wife. The husband had been tipped by friends. Sadly, on realizing that she had cheated her faithful husband and believing that she was no longer acceptable back at home and in

the community, the woman drank strong poison and died. However, the cheating man returned back to his home but he is living a shameful life as most people in the area no longer feel free to associate with him. They seclude him even during social events or gatherings.

Just yesterday I heard one from his family members saying “Artiwell shades tears nearly every day. He has no peace of mind and is suffering hell on earth because of what he did.”

Now here we are. Spiritual intelligence happens to be vague or not realistic in the natural beliefs. It entails knowing and caring about life today and stretching into the spiritual future life. It largely entails preserving the perpetual awareness of life truths in the natural and the spirit person in so far as an individual’s living destiny is concerned.

The whole purpose of taking this long and meandering approach in explanation is to help bring home a crucial fact. This book is practically about live and spiritual intelligence. So, the aim is to sow a seed of growing awareness and change of mindset and increasing the tangibles of spiritual intelligence that should be the base for spiritual truths that give life in fullness.

I gave real life examples above in order to reveal a hidden truth that follows. Whether you like it or not the life you live here in the natural will certainly determine the life you are going to experience in the spirit. When Hec the murderer in the example above performed the acts of murder and burglary he ran away from Police and everyone he thought knew him and went to a foreign land. It is important to note that to run away and or hide in the natural flesh is partially possible now but unfortunately it is not possible to hide or run away in the spirit. You cannot hide away from the spirit. Those very same people he murdered and wronged will be right in his face and calling for his soul to testify and for his blood in the spirit and the answers to these callings will be a restless, suffering, burning and forgotten soul.

This is the reason why when someone kills or wrongs another the ghost of the killed or wronged will come in the form of avenging spirit “Ngozi” to toss or haunt the wrong doer in revenge. This is a simple spiritual imagery situation which reveals that whatever works we do here today have a bearing in the spiritual realm and we will be accountable for those works the day we die. Even right now before death one can suffer from emotional torment

because of doing evil to someone. We will face reality when we get into the spirit and meeting everyone whom we endangered requiring justification from us for the wrongs we did to them. We will no longer be able to run away or hide or even kill ourselves because everyone will be equally in the spirit but facing reality. As another tip for spiritual intelligence therefore be careful and do good to yourself and to others. In other words, I say do unto others that which you would desire them to do for you. If you do that you will not face judgment because you become God's righteousness and child. This is life and spiritual intelligence which is crucial and is only found in those who are in Jesus Christ and know the will of God.

Death of the natural body on this earth is some kind of life transformation. This is being supported by the fact that the flesh is a kind of vessel in the mold of the body or shape of a human being and the spirit of life and knowledge (soul) inside is a spiritual component so it can not die. It only takes different shapes and forms at the sole authority of God who fathered it. In the Bible we read that God breathed in the spirit of life into the mold of clay he had made as He created man.

Let us strive to live a faithful and truthful life here and we will enjoy the unending joy and happiness in this life in the spirit and life to come at the authority of God the only one who knows the end of all these things.

The moment that one starts to think of their life here today and their life after death with the aim of straightening their ways then they are starting a good journey of perfecting their lives now and forever. Once one chooses the basics of proper spiritual and life intelligence they have chosen life and they become wiser in the spirit because they will seek to know God and to please Him. The reason is that they are spiritually intelligent and they see where others do not see and find food for their lives and souls where others starve and have no hope. My wish is that every one of us should have this wisdom and for this reason I produced this book and many other life learning books and courses.

2 Understanding your position as a human being in nature

I will not talk much about this subject here because there is a lengthy section in this book explaining what it means to be the “subjects of His creation”.

What I can only say here is that when you are in a game or when you have a task to perform you need to know first the type of material you are made of. Are you easily breakable so that if it was a game of football you would rather choose to be a trumpeting supporter who enjoys jingles and whistles outside instead of fighting in the game?

Over forty-five years back when I was a boy we would go out in bushes for hunting and fruit gathering. One thing I knew about myself was that I was not able to climb up trees for more than three meters. When up there in the tree I would see as if everything was turning upside down and the more I climbed higher the more I feared. Even right now in my early fifties I am not comfortable with getting on roof tops even to seal a broken roof tile. I know who I am and I am comfortable with that. Even when my friends would climb on top of trees fetching and picking good fruits and throwing down to me those fruits that they might dislike until their tummies were full, I was not aggrieved by that. I knew well that though I was not good at climbing up trees like most of my friends, I was brighter than most them in class so that silently gave me joy and satisfaction.

Irrespective of any type of challenge faced it should always remain clear that a human being is a special creation which has a purpose and is always under watch of God's heart as He intends to fulfill His purpose in us and through us. Therefore, we are the subjects of His creation for a particular goal that He is revealing or will be revealed in a little while. That awareness should cultivate a seed of pride and joy in people. It should as well lead to the feeling of love of God who blessed us with such gifts and by doing that one is quenched into spiritual and life intelligence that we discussed above.

3 Understanding your position in society- who you are and your offering.

Life is equal to everyone despite status. It is a special gift from God to all of us.

The difference only comes in capabilities and abilities of persons. Here all types of life intelligences play an important role in determining the success of individuals and therefore the standard of life that one lives. Society is people whom God equally watches over and cares about including me and you. According to the Creator everyone there in the society is equal to the other.

Economic differences, health status and other natural differences are never platforms for showing off or looking down on others who might be underprivileged. Instead if you identify yourself as more privileged than others then take that as an opportunity to help close the gap by offering charitable service to those in need. If it is knowledge and wisdom share it to others so that they become like you and when they become the same as you are, you are no longer indebted to anyone spiritually. Actually, you become freer, happier and more satisfied by your life. God heals and gives you joy because you are selfless and you are pleasing Him and that is proper spiritual and life intelligence.

4 Understanding your origin and purpose from the view point of Creator

In my opening paragraph in chapter one of this book I mentioned this "...My whole person is completely tied up into this peculiar life discourse. Yes, strange life discourses because I am right now finding myself digging deep down into the uncommon but real life paradox that entangles personality and existence of mankind." The reason

why I said this statement is the very same reason why I wrote this book.

To understand our origin and the purpose of such creation from the Creator's point of view is not a simple thing that can be grasped without deep learning and spiritual revelation. This is the backbone of proper spiritual and natural life intelligence because it stretches deep into the mind of God and what He wanted when He created mankind and the meaning and end of all these things. I am happy to say right away that God is faithful and did not hide His mind concerning all these things.

A particular long section ahead in this book titled "We are the subjects of His creation" explains this matter to great length but mean while let me just give an insight about "...our origin and purpose from the view point of Creator." We originated from the works of God's hands as a potter makes pots from clay. The Bible makes it clear that He wanted to make us in His own image. This means our character and personality was supposed to be like His. But we find that in the Garden of Eden everything was disturbed when Satan came and deceived Adam and Eve and thereby robbing them of God's holy character and personality and the two

were removed from Garden of Eden which was typical of God's intimate love when they stayed in the garden before sinning.

Here is a self-quiz to assess your spiritual and life intelligence.

Are you at peace with your mind?

Are you at peace with yourself?

Are you at peace with your family?

Are you at peace with your spouse?

Are you at peace with your work?

Are you at peace with the environment?

Are you at peace with your life?

Are you at peace with creation?

Are you at peace with your friend?

Are you at peace with your loved one?

Are you at peace with your neighbor?

Are you at peace with God?

Are you at peace with the laws of the Bible?

Guide to the results of assessment

a) If 60% and above of the above questions is NO it means one might generally need a self-turn around. One must get into serious business about self-transformation if they really care about proper

spiritual and life intelligence which results in earning them strength and life.

b) If 60% to 80% of the above questions is YES it means one needs revival and awareness before they stray into vulnerability and nullity which tends to harm the soul.

c) If 80% to 100% of the above questions is YES it means one is spiritually and naturally strong and is aware of God's purpose in His subjects and creation. This is critical.

Chapter Four

Thematic Area One: Subjects of The Plan

Life and Reality

Let us make some order and build back the thought of life and reality in all of ourselves with confidence. The world system looks cruel and disheartening to the extent that many people lose the power of faith and fail to understand the purpose of life. The daily events that take place here on our mother earth by far help to throw confusion and kill hope and faith for a perfect home to a common citizen. To many who are less spiritually elevated, the thought of a caring God ultimately gets lost into the doom of nullity.

One day Robertson Owen was fishing in the river called Pokoteke in Masvingo Zimbabwe. He had his friend Jacob Swiss who was just about two hundred meters downstream where he was busy stretching his fishing net across a small tributary that branched from the main stream thereby making some potential hub for schools of small fish in the

warm water of the less deep tributary. Swiss knew that it was a criminal offense to use fishing nets for fishing in public rivers without authority from the Zimbabwe Parks and Wildlife Management. So, he chose to lay his net in the cover of tall grass and reeds further away from a nearby road where Robertson sat under a huge tree branch that rendered him a good cooling shadow.

While working on his fishing rod, Robertson drew his attention a little further down the river after he heard some sound of a big object falling in the river. He softly moved closer and noticed a young heifer in the river. It was struggling to swim back out of the river. He felt pity as he stood watching the young heifer failing to swim out. Instead the animal was drowning as it bellowed helplessly for rescue. Something mysterious was pulling it further into the deep waters. It was a crocodile. The large reptile had strategically captured its prey when the animal moved close to the river for drinking water. The animal was now suffocating and getting powerless. Robertson looked around to find some stone or piece of wood to save the animal but there was none except tall grass and some reeds. He then had no idea how he could rescue the heifer. Within a short moment the animal had been pulled to the opposite side of the river. The crocodiles had found

a good prey for their feed and for some days these reptiles must be having sufficient food in stock.

“But why is it like this? Why are even wild animals so cruel?” Robertson wondered and continued talking to himself. “I wonder where peace and harmony can be found under the sun. It’s just survival of the fittest everywhere. Is this what life being all about, killing, cruelty and hatred? Why did the crocodile kill the innocent animal?”

Young Robertson was thinking to himself as he looked at the dying animal while more reptiles converged to the animal for a feast.

Such is the nature of life on earth which is our home and those that live will one day die. And, so, what then is the meaning and end of all these things? Everyone happens to have this question sometimes it appears there is no one to direct the question to.

When it was about noon rain clouds started gathering and within a short period of time heavy rains had started pouring down from the upper side of the river. Robertson and Jacob took shelter in an abandoned farm house nearby. Meanwhile because of the heavy rains that pounded in the area the river became flooded in so short a period

of time so that the narrow bridge that crossed the river was totally run over by the running flood. When the rains stopped Jacob and Robertson immediately went to the bridge to check if it was safe for them to cross the river and go back home. They found that the flowing was too much and the flood too strong for them so they decided to delay for a while to allow the flooding to subside.

Whilst they were enjoying watching the running flood river a Toyota Hilax double cab from Masvingo town arrived at the bridge. It had five passengers on board. The driver reduced speed and stopped to check if there was any possibility of crossing the flooded river.

Immediately a sharp male voice that appeared to be under the influence of alcohol yelled within the truck. "Drive on, drive on the river is not fully flooded and don't stop! Don't stop!" "Just make sure you are on track and don't get close to the edge of the bridge." Another voice in the car added "Just maintain the lower gear" The voices were instructing and encouraging the driver to drive on and stop not. Some other three voices also added in agreement "Yes, yes drive on, you want us to sleep here waiting, no, this is not a big flood"

The driver resumed driving into the bridge and when the vehicle was just in the middle of the bridge and the running flood just above the wheels but slightly covering the front bonnet the car engine stopped and the car stopped. For quite a few minutes the car was stationary and people inside decided not to open doors fearing the water would flow in. Sadly, with our eyes still fixed at the vehicle an averagely huge long log appeared from up the river on its way down stream. The log was moving not very fast and it was swaying from one side to the other side in the middle of the river. The one end of this log hit a stationary boulder in the river when it swayed to the other side of the river. We watched miserably as the log swayed towards the stationary vehicle on the bridge. The car was hit on the side and was pushed to the edge of the narrow bridge and as the force of the log and the running flood increased the car over turned into the river.

The vehicle over turned into the river and sank a few meters away from the narrow bridge into the river leaving only one of its rear wheels protruding from the water. Meanwhile not even one person onboard survived the terrible accident.

Robertson and Jacob were near the bridge watching when all this tragedy took place and were

left tongue tied as they watched the car overturning into the river and everyone on board perishing into the flooded river.

“I cannot believe this. Can people simply perish in our presence like this, Jacob?” Robertson said in disbelief.

“Jacob this world is very unkind”. Robertson said emotionally appearing disgusted. “What are you saying Robert?” Jacob said as if he had not heard what his friend had said to him. Meanwhile Jacob rose up his face from staring on the ground and looked at Robertson’s face. “Whilst I was up stream there I witnessed another heart-breaking event. Crocodiles attacked a young heifer and dragged it alive into the inner deep waters of the river. My heart sank as I watched the creatures tearing the innocent animal to death. The animal died a very painful death” Robertson said.

“Jacob, here, just right there, I cannot really believe what I am looking at. Can people simply lose life in such a dramatic way? Did you notice that when the vehicle remained stationary in the middle of the bridge a huge log came from nowhere only to push the car to the edge of the bridge and exerted some force on it so that the car should fall down the

bridge and sink in the river? Everyone on board died a few seconds ago Jacob, in such a dramatic manner.” Said Robertson as they both moved near the bridge to have a closer look at the overturned and sunk vehicle with five people helplessly trapped inside and dying. “This world is not our home Robertson.” Jacob said softly as he stared into the river with his face shattered in fear and disbelief.

This is one of the terrible life realities that render our minds wondering and stretching in search of some form of answers only to realize that there appears to be no solutions to some of these painful experiences of life. Incidents of this nature that are so tragic and costing lives are good examples of life and existential realities that have vexed human beings in as far as the meaning and end of all these things is concerned. It has made many people to fill insecure as they live on this material earth. Some even go to the extent of asking if there is any God who has power over all these things. They say “If there is God the Almighty who is all powerful why does He allow all these evil happenings.” In their view they see the world as an abandoned creation. Some view God as some weak and cruel Creator.

As a result, people of this mindset end up thinking like little and vulnerable orphans who are being ill-

treated and whose both parents are dead and they have no one to look to for relief. Sometimes they cry and they stretch hands for help but no one is there for them.

This is a sad reality of life. I can surely tell you that recently I visited my rural home and whilst there I receive sad news that a certain woman of about seventy years old died because of hunger. The poor woman used to receive maize meal from a government program and when the government ceased providing for the poor and vulnerable people the woman who was sometimes considered to be in the group of people with special needs was found lying helpless in her small thatched hut by a neighbor who took her to a nearby clinic. It was too late for the woman to regain power though she was put on oxygen to help her breath. She died and the doctors said her veins had closed because of lack of food. When I heard about that tears flooded my eyes. Not because the woman was a close relative of mine. No. And not because she lived next to my home, no, but my heart ached when I imagined that the woman died out of something that could have been avoided had it been that people had love and life caring hearts. I felt disturbed when I considered as well just like what Robertson did on the case of the five above perishing in the flooded river. Can

this woman simply die just because no one has been concerned and cared to extent a plate of food to her?

Knowledge, wisdom and understanding are key tools required to maintaining a true position of God's will. Wisdom is really necessary in order to avoid being swept away by emotional forces and natural events into disbelieving God. An important resilience tool is to remain focused on accomplishing your part in God's plan through understanding that we are the Subjects of His Plan. Strong awareness of this reality will certainly motivate you towards working with God to help accomplish your task here on earth according to His will so that you remain His beloved and stay assured in His Glory.

We are working for the promise of a new heaven and a new earth. For without faith in God there cannot be any hope for a new heaven and a new earth that we believe is being prepared for us right now. I therefore fear that some of us do not have this awareness and have no faith in God and therefore they sadly become subjects of self-destructive and null beliefs which are just temporal and have no life in them.

This material is intended to put a seed of power, hope and new life order into people who often find themselves aggrieved by the chaotic reality of events happening on earth today.

We are the subjects of His plan, and please help to create this critical awareness in others because many people perish because of lack of knowledge. In God's plan we are safe because we are in his hands and we know that all this that we see and experience in this creation is temporal and designed to forerun the new heaven and the new earth that we are going to inherit. In God's plan we are fully aware that we do not die but through the power of God in Jesus Christ we live again. Our bodies that we have today are corruptible or breakable so they cannot live forever. Our spirit however is made up of that spirit of life that God breathed in the first man Adam. This spirit does not die but it resembles its father God who does not die. What only matters is whether the spirit is clean or dirty because the spirit that sins dies and the spirit that pleases God will live forever joyfully.

The most crucial thing is not looking at the suffering and the way people die in this world today and start to wonder unwisely so as to belittle God and be strayed away from Him. No, those are part of the

menu of life here in His plan today. Keep on working with Him in His plan to help make the plan viable and achievable. Be loyal to Him through obeying him and the only one wholesome way to obey God is to believe and accept Jesus Christ His Son. If you need help on this one contact me: Whatsap +263 775991061; Email. davisonzembe@gmail.com..

Most of us own some kind of livestock for various purposes and we keep them safe and feed them so that we achieve the objective of our plan and purpose for keeping them. We do not just keep them for fun but rather we have a purpose for doing that.

I was born in the District of Gutu and grew up there in the rural areas. We had different kinds of livestock but mainly we had cattle. During the rainy season we would yoke two or four oxen to plough the fields. Interestingly there happened to be some mischievous oxen that were not so obedient when it came to working in field so my father would either eliminate them by selling or slaughter for meat. But those that were so friendly and obedient were very much cared after and lived too long. What am I saying? Obedience to your master therefore is too good and is usually rewarded. Every one of us who

has a plan wants to be obeyed. Managers of organizations want to be obeyed in their plans in order to achieve the objective and purpose of the plan.

Chapter Five

Life-Saving Truth

The issue is, if all these things (nature, all creation and all these happenings) were made out of a real plan in the mind of God and there being a goal that He wants to achieve, what is the goal then?

Here are some of the goals or achievements He expects.

1. To show a start of His work with an aim to achieve that which was in His mind when he created man (let us make man in our likeness, Genesis 1 v 26). In His initial thinking He was thinking of making for Himself own sons and daughters, those who do according to His will.)
2. To show that He is an all-powerful and loving God who does not fail in his plans for making a better home for His children where there is no more death.
3. Most importantly God wants to bring the kingdom of heaven to humanity and their Lord Jesus Christ being King forever.

Remember this! We are the elements of this “great plan” of God so be always aware to live your whole life carefully by choosing to believe in **Jesus**. Be careful to become His friend so that you pass on from this earth to live again because the Lord Jesus died and rose up on the third day so he has the power to raise you from the dead. If you believe in Him he is very faithful to relieve you of your heavy life burdens right now so that you will give a testimony. Now be careful again to accept these truths of life because this is part of your spiritual awakening which is essential for your life.

If you feel it is right now that you want Him to live in you, please say out the following short prayer and your life will never be the same again. If you really mean what you say. But if you have no interest in that, skip it. It is good to note that I continue to include these spiritual aspects of life in this discussion and in some other areas of this book because the whole issue is about the “purpose and end of all these things.” In other words, this book is about spiritual awakening so I am eager to awaken every reader’s spirit so that she or he gains more insight into the things of God. So I would beg every reader not to skip these lifesaving spiritual sections that are intended to bring you closer to Jesus your God.

So, this little humble saying will bring you closer to God. Just say this: “Lord Jesus I come to you right now. I want to live a new life in you. I believe that you are the Son of God and that you died on the cross for my sins. I ask you to save me and lead my life unto eternal life. Lord bless me with a good heart that pleases you. In Jesus’ name I pray. Amen”

If you have done this mindfully and from the bottom of heart very soon you will notice some changes in your life as the love of God starts to show up in you.

If you have done that prayer I thank you for making such a great choice in life.

Please note that this is a great prayer that turns you unto a new life in Christ Jesus. Find yourself a Bible, go to church and always enjoy reading the Bible. You can start reading from any part of the Bible from Genesis to Revelations. Find also a church so that you can fellowship and share the word with others as you grow or, you can also contact me if you so wish.

The process of creation

Creation is really a mind-blowing phenomenon and beyond human logical rationale, imagination and

analysis. This is because mankind is also a subject of creation just like the other members of the cosmos.

However, humanity differs tremendously from the other members of creation because of his philosophical conception in nature which no other member of this cosmic creation matches. Now I am here writing about this great matter of eternity awareness because I am gifted with such philosophical conception and rationality. I am doing this because I want us not to be like a farmer's live stock which is blind about the plan and purpose of their master.

Many organizations today produce Visions, Missions as well as Client charter statements and they display them on strategic points where everyone can easily see and read. Employees are usually given company handbooks where those statements are clearly explained. The purpose of making these statements and making them public is that the organization wants every stakeholder or interested person to understand them and know what they are doing, why and how they do it.

If everyone especially the staff members of the organization have this knowledge they are in a

better position to work positively to achieve the required goal as a team. They are unlikely to be rebellious.

Interestingly most organizations today share their goals and plans of action with all their employees. They believe in what is generally called participatory methodology of management which is believed to increase motivation in workers as they feel that they are involved in the decision-making process.

I am taking all this labor to explain as I appear to revisit some awareness points that are key because I really want to remove some kind of mythical attitude in some people who think that God has not a purpose or plans for His creation. Anyone who thinks God has no real plan and purpose for this creation that we are in today must compare themselves with animals in a farm. Animals in a farm have no idea about the future or even their master's plan but the reality is that the master does have a real plan and such animals are the subjects of the plan. But then animals are not humans and have no philosophical rationale so it is good that way.

Now get on with me as we stamp out and put it clear for everyone to understand that in His plan God has subjects and He has a purpose. If he had no purpose He would have not created anything in the first place. If He had no plan He would have not created human beings who are of philosophical conception.

One day I was relaxed and seated at my rural home in Gutu having been granted two weeks leave of work by my employer. I was enjoying a cool Saturday mid-morning and scrolling through Whatsap messages. Messages were trickling in large numbers from various contacts and groups at high speed because the phone had been off when it was being charged.

A certain contact group attracted my sight as it was running faster. As I clicked on it a long list of condolence messages saying “may her soul rest in peace”, quickly came to sight. It made me rushed to check out and find out who had passed on and surprisingly I noticed that it was this nice woman of good repute who used to chair one of our head of departments district sanitation and hygiene meetings. She had built trust and respect with nearly everyone in the group and was a good role model for a loving woman even at her work place.

I was not so shocked to learn about her death though, but rather for quite some time my mind kept on pondering on the real **nature, purpose and meaning** of life. For quite some time with or without my awareness I found myself deeply thinking about life and death and what all these things were pointing to. In the thinking I also affirmed that I was also a subject of life and death. I allowed my mind to stretch further and sink deeper to embrace some more revelation and understanding. Suddenly this truth immediately came to mind “like flowers, like morning dew, life evaporates away.” Still deep down in my mind I asked this question, “**what is the meaning and end of all this?**”. Then suddenly this revelation from King Solomon’s Ecclesiastes Book (The Preacher) came to mind. “ *....and whatsoever mine eyes desired I kept not from them. I withheld not my heart from any joy; for my heart rejoiced in all my labour and this was my portion of all my labour. I looked at all the works that my hands had wrought, and on the labour that I had labored and behold all was vanity and vexation of the spirit and there was no profit under the sun.*” Ecclesiastes, Chapter 2 v 10 to 11.

Yet again revealing some touching truth is verse 16, “*For there is no remembrance of the wise more*

than of a fool forever;....and how dies the wise man as the fool dies?"

While deep in meditation, I realized that this great king was really talking from his real-life experience. The king was one of the richest kings in the world and as such he lacked nothing during the days of his life; from food, gold to the most beautiful women that his heart might desire. Sadly, this wise and rich king realized that there was never a different platform where only the wise and rich are able to choose unending life. After all the lavish life experience and the inevitable certainty of his own death, the King said these thrilling words of assurance and warning, so to speak.

Really, many people today still ask the same question as the king did; "what's in all these things concerning life? Is it really all vanity as the king's saying and his wisdom concluded "?

Now I am going to talk about the following three aspects of creation; (**nature, purpose and meaning**), as the Lord gives me wisdom and understanding through both the spiritual and natural wisdom.

Nature

Nature is the current state of things as they appear. By things I refer to all the living things including all creeping and swimming creatures, flying birds, animals, and humanity. I also mean all nonliving things such as rocks. I also refer to the spirituality aspect of creation which includes the Spirit of God and His angels and also the spirit of the Devil and his demons. In other words, I refer to the order of all creation.

At this point I am keen to drawing the reader's awareness to an existing Creator who has the power to create (Genesis Chapter one). In this chapter we are being introduced to how everything began, so be careful to read the Bible because there is no other book that tells the truth and talks about the Creator and the purpose and end. The greatest wisdom about nature and the, "purpose and end of all these things" is got from reading the Bible through revelation by the Spirit of God because God himself is Spirit.

So as the beginning of things we were created in the natural through a combination of the Spirit of God and the clay and obviously if you think of clay something should come to mind. Clay is much more

temporal than rock but the Spirit of God breathed in us though made out of clay is eternal.

So, these natural and temporal things point to something great. They are a testimony of our creation in a weaker form as a starting point and yet they point to great things “that which the eye has yet not seen nor the ear yet heard of; which God has prepared for his children” This is what the Apostle Paul had to say.

So, everything is about the acknowledgement of life, all things are done, or happen for the experience, or testimony of life, in other words testifying that life exists. Mountains rivers stars moon, mars and all planets are there because there is life to support and to witness them otherwise they would have no purpose. Thus, all this has a purpose.

Purpose

The purpose of nature, life or of existence is to acknowledge, worship and love the One who made them all. They are his objects and it pleases Him to have them in love just like a farmer is pleased by the works of his hands such as owning cattle, dams, fields of corn etc. Of importance is that in the composition of the natural creation humanity is

found being part of it yet he is not like other creatures that have no philosophical conception, instead he has a **soul** which makes him quite unique from other objects. He is a tool making animal that knows the good and the bad (reasoning).

Now when he reasons like this (knowing the good and bad) the Bible says that “God said, behold man has become like one of us, let us go and protect the tree of life so that he shall not live forever” and therefore the tree of life was surrounded day and night by flames of fire (Genesis). By the way reasoning or knowing the good and bad was not man’s character on creation. He lived for quite some time without knowing the good and bad or without reasoning as a child does. Take note that during that time when man was not reasoning his mind was like that of a child (the mind of the little ones; just to use Jesus’ language).

Knowing or reasoning brought law to life and creation. When the first man Adam was created God told him not to eat of the tree of knowledge because he would die. In other words, the time he would eat of that tree is when the law would start working, and he ate of the tree and the law started to work, that he should die. That natural position

still stands today but through God's abundant mercies it was waived so that death was removed through a new commandment. The new commandment is of believing in Jesus Christ and thereby live forever (John 3v16).

Why and how; because those who believe in Jesus will have followed a reversing commandment. A commandment of God's mercies and they become sons of God and hence do not die but become spiritually alive even when their physical body is buried. God being a Spirit is able to raise them to life, those who believed in Jesus because the law of death was cancelled by the law of grace for believing in Jesus (John 1 v 12).

Therefore, death and all the goings on in this natural state of existence are there as a transitional phase of creation to those who love and believe in Jesus but sadly those who do not believe in Jesus will face the reality of the law of death that was caused by sin which came when the first man Adam ate of the tree of knowledge which God had forbidden and resulted in the law of death taking effect.

The purpose of all these things; nature, the experiences, the painful or good today is to point to

a living God and as well as to raise awareness of God's purpose in humanity. This however can be achieved or understood through knowing the truth which is from the Bible and power from the Holy Spirit of God to those who love Jesus and do his will.

The difficult part is that the people themselves although being rationally philosophical, they are the subjects of the plan of God. Imagine when you were a kid and parents working hard and sending you to a good school, giving you good food and good clothing as well as finding you best home doctors to care for your health and growth. The truth is that many of us by that time were not even aware that all those good systems were put in place even at very high cost for us by parents so that in the end we would grow up well and have good life ourselves and not the parents. Some of us even dropped out of school after school fees had been paid.

That is one of the challenges of being the subjects of the plan. It may not be in you to know that and that is the purpose of this book, to raise such crucial awareness in people.

Dominion for His children

In our own natural life up bringing we have been or we are children or parents. Parents really know how difficult it is to parent children from birth to adulthood. I am a parent and father of eight. I know exactly how different every child is from the other in habits and stature. Some children can be well behaved whilst some behave negatively bad but they still remain my children.

As a parent you try to exhibit every possible loving parenthood character to your child so that they understand you love them and care for them. You do this as a parent because you love your children and you also want them to learn to love and do good just like you do. But even so you still find that there may be other children who happen to be as if they were not from your blood. They don't listen to you and do all sorts of things that are negatively bad and immoral both in the family and in the society.

Sometimes you can go an extra mile and hire expert behavior change specialists as you try to remodel your child's behavior for better.

I have actually noticed sometimes that despite all that effort a particular child may remain naturally

adamantly unchanging and can grow into an adult like that. In the early stages of growth the child may display obstinate and arrogant behavior.

When God created the heaven and the earth including all animal species and other creatures He saw that everything was good and he proceeded to create humanity. The first people, Adam and Eve had every provision they required at their disposal. God made sure that food such as meat and fruits were abundantly available in the Garden of Eden where they were living. In the Garden of Eden there was no lack, no illness or death until these two people went against God's word and listened to the Devil and they followed the instruction of Satan. The two people lost the grace and God's intimate love and God removed them from the Garden of all provision and put them out into the world where they should work hard and suffer the usual painful experiences that we find today.

When God took them out of the Garden of Eden He even had to make sure that the tree of life in the Garden was protected with fire so that these two should never get near and eat of the fruit of life and continue to live yet they had sinned.

Instead God taught them to offer sin offering to him by way of killing animals like rams, cattle or goats and burn them for him as a way of showing repentance from sin.

When God made the first people on earth He ordered them to multiply and they did multiply to fill the earth. But even as they did multiply they were still carrying the seed of sin in them which originated in the Garden of Eden. So as humanity multiplied sin also multiplied. Even from the start when Adam and Eve sinned, God demanded that they should always fight sin by repenting so that they become clean to Him and as a physical sign of repenting and cleansing of sin they were supposed to present offerings without blemish to God. Abel, Adam's son brought fat sheep for offering to God. (Genesis 4 v 2 to 5.) This represented a serving pure heart and God would feel honored and bless them.

The process of offerings continued thousands of years later and we see Noah taking of clean beasts and birds and making them burnt offerings unto the Living God. Even during the time of Moses on several occasions we find Moses being instructed by God about how the Israelites should carry out sin offerings (Leviticus 6 v6).

Before someone loses grip of my aim here let me bring it home that what I am after by giving this whole message is to make sure the reader understands that “we are the subjects of His creation”

So, in the recent discussion we see God does not want sin from the beginning and He wants people to know that by instructing them to undertake an awareness obligation where they had to “do something” towards cleansing themselves. In other words, paying for your sins through getting hold of one of your clean and fat beasts and kill it for the Lord. That is a kind of committing you so that at least you get involved in it in order to raise your awareness for the sin in you as you pay for it.

By following the Biblical historical events we find that as humanity multiplied and did spread on the earth God had an intension to reveal Himself to His people. We see that as God started by visiting Abraham in a vision and promised him that he was going to be father of many children whose number the Lord likened to the numerous stars of heaven. It is from here that we see Isaac the son of Abraham begetting Jacob who was later named Israel and became the father of the then Israelites and present-day Israel.

These Israelites are the same tribes who were later held captive in Egypt for up to four hundred years. After four hundred years of captivity God remembered Israel and used His mighty power to release the Israelites from the hands of Egyptian slavery. We note from the Bible that one of the commands that the Lord commanded Herod was that Herod should release the Israelites so that they could go and worship Him and when they were released the first thing the Israel did was to offer sacrifice to God.

So, we see that as a sign of worship and repenting from sins Israelites would build an alter where they would place their offering for burnt offering to God.

It therefore shows that there is or there was something sacred about sacrificing or burnt offerings to God because He required that to be done starting buy the first people, Adam and Eve after they sinned.

This whole process of a kind of sin cleansing and honoring God continued through to the time of King David's Son, Solomon who even killed thousands of beasts to sacrifice to God.

The key issue here in all these things is that when people issued or burnt beast, goats or rams God

would snatch them from the alter in flames of fire and this resembled a kind of communication of acceptance that God had forgiven people their sins and was with them.

Sin can be thought of as any form of disobedience to God. Doing anything unrighteous is sin. Not worshiping God is sin. Hating others is sin. I have just mentioned only a few.

These commandments were given to the Israelites as a way to clearly lay down the dos and don'ts of life so that one should not sin. All this was being done so that one remains acceptable to God.

Ten Commandments

The ten commandments were given to Moses so that he would teach them to the children of Israel whilst they were in the wilderness when they were going to Canaan the Promised Land and they followed those commandments even thereafter. In the wilderness they often quarreled with Moses and certainly being a tumult of over two million people there was bound to be chaos and the Ten Commandments would work as a behavioral guide from God and at the same time helping to build

good relationships and love among people instead of hatred and chaos. Most importantly it would help Moses to teach people to know their only God who redeemed them from the bondage of Egypt by always referring to them as God's laws.

In a nut shell the Ten Commandments, the burnt offerings were all critical in that they aimed at modeling a son-ship character in the people by always raising awareness in them that they should not commit sin because it was against God's purpose for His people that they must be righteous. One might want to take note that in His first command God needed burnt offerings as a demonstration for the cleansing of sins and acceptance of offerings through a flame of fire that came from heaven and consumed what was put on the altar. The reader must take note that burnt offerings continued from the first people and up to the children of Israel the Lord was demanding them as a kind of intimate communication between Himself and His people. In the mount of Sinai, we find God giving Moses the Ten Commandments that he was supposed to teach the Israelites. Do you notice that God gave the Ten Commandments to be taught and be obeyed and He did not remove the commandment for burnt offerings?

In other words, we see the children of Israel obey to two major divine commands. They were supposed to continue with burnt offerings as a way of direct communication with the Lord. At the same time, they were supposed to learn to obey the Ten Commandments in their day to day life. The duty of the Ten Commandment was to perfect behavior. That means learning to abstain from those behaviors that went against what God had said He did not want. So here we find God at work trying to perfect people's behavior from evil to good. He is busy trying to rebirth or make their hearts born again so that they hate sin. God desires a heart that hates sin. Here we see Him doing that through teaching them. He tells Moses His servant to go and teach the Israelites the commandments which God Himself had written on the stones.

The servants of God, who were by then the children of Israel continued serving God both through burnt offerings and the Ten commandments. They continued doing that in the wilderness on their way to Canaan and when they had inherited the Promised Land. It is most sad to note that for quite many times the Israelites did evil against the Lord after doing that which was against the Ten Commandments of the Lord such as worshiping

gods of other nations and leaving the Lord who had redeemed them from Egyptian captivity.

At some moment in the Bible we find the Israelites taken captive by the king of Babylon, Nebuchadnezar. The Lord would allow them to be conquered because they would have left the ten Commandments, they would have neglected his law and started living in the ways that pleased them but not pleasing God.

Many times, in the Bible God also used prophets to say what he wanted and to rebuke His chosen people the Israelites when they got lost and followed their own ways and leaving God's ways.

Remember my story is "we are the subjects of His plan" and I spend this whole space writing to try bring some light to the reader on how the Lord executes this plan. This plan is never a simple thing and that is why most people appear to rebel against this plan. Being the subjects or elements of the set, people are not aware at all that whilst they behave in the way they do they either work against the plan of God or for the plan. There are two great things that every human being should strive to know in order to willingly remain loyal to God.

1. Knowing who God is. 2. Understanding His plan.

1. Understanding who God is- God is the creator of the universe. Everything that you see including all that which you do not see, all were made by Him. This includes you and me. In human terms He is our father. Now this brings us to our matter at hand, “subjects. “

2. Understand His plan. In order to understand God’s plan one must first understand who God is and what He is doing. This brings us to the issue of son-ship where we find God tirelessly working out to make us His sons and daughters through believing in his only son Jesus. Through God’s abundant mercies the old commandment was waived so that death was removed through a new commandment. The new commandment is of believing in Jesus Christ. Now God talks about believing in His Son Jesus so you get saved. (John 3v16). It is no longer preaching about the ten commandments its now simply believing Jesus and that alone leads one to be a child of God (John 1v 12).

Here is how it works. Jesus lived on this earth just like you and me but the difference between Him and any other person is that He lived a sinless live unto His death, which is what all of us fail to do. We are not blameless. Though we try hard to be

righteous we are never righteous because traces of sin remain because of many reasons such as lust, lies, theft lack of love etc. We only get righteous in the face of God when we accept His righteous Son Jesus in our hearts. This means as we accept Him in our hearts His Spirit, the Holy Spirit will stay in us and testify Jesus Christ in us and we start to have a mind and heart that hate sin and fear God. We begin to love Jesus, testify and preach His word and that is how we become His children and acceptable to God.

Why and how; because those who believe in Jesus will have followed a reversing commandment and they become sons of God and hence do not die but become spiritually alive even when their physical body is buried. God being a Spirit is able to raise them to life those who believed in Jesus because the law of death was cancelled by the law of grace for believing in Jesus (John 1 v 12).

Chapter Six

Knowledge of the Mystery

Life serves a purpose for the satisfaction of the One who made it. Even here in this material world people manufacture goods for a purpose. The subjects or elements that make our manufactured products or goods are so numerous and varied. Being one who lives in the African continent in Zimbabwe I know very well how maize products are critical in Africa as a whole and more so in Zimbabwe where maize form part of our staple food. Wheat is another agricultural product that is critical to us as we get bread from it. Livestock is another agricultural product that is essential to humanity as we get meat for food. This is a short list of products that are produced by us for a critical purpose although there are so many other products that I have not mentioned. People put great effort with the seriousness it deserves in producing these life serving products.

Here the maize, the wheat and the livestock of which people lose sleep if they do not have them on the table, are the subjects in this production system. They are all what it means to be having life

in the natural. These products have no brain and mind so they do not even know the effort that people put in order to produce them or even that people lose sleep and fight wars against each other for land in order to produce food. If these subjects or elements of production were able to know the purpose for which they were produced and how much their masters cared about them then they would really go miles praising their masters in jubilation for their purposeful love and caring.

I do not know how much better I can explain my point. In other words, we are also the subjects of production for the One Who made us. He has a purpose for His creation as the farmer has a purpose for her farming. He loves the works of His hands as the farmer loves the works of her hands too. He cares for His creation and more so people and that is why the sun shines and rains fall to preserve and sustain life.

My heart and spirit go deep in the quest for instilling this critical awareness in people so that they know that we are in the plan of the Almighty. I was thinking that everyone of us must open their spiritual eyes as the Almighty God unveils His purpose through us. I feel that it must give me pride that while I am still seeing with my own eyes God's

purpose of creation is being fulfilled. I must be happy that I am a faithful part of the subjects of such fulfillment because I listened and helped Him to achieve it through obeying Him. Oh, yes. What a blessing to see the end of all these things with my own eyes whilst in His favor.

That is why I continue to talk about growing awareness for these things because these are real although not yet visible to many for now. But we are in His workings and are the subjects of such workings. So be careful to live a life of care and awareness knowing that in the fullness of time this whole miracle of the end of all these things will be unveiled by Him and blessed are those that will be witnessing it with their eyes in celebration with Him because they were faithful and obeyed Him. In this world pain, death, illness, hardships etc are part of His workings towards us and serve a purpose. Even so we continue to love Him because we know that we are the subjects of His creation and workings.

Every one of us must have had at least one moment if not many times that you may have wondered about the intricacy of the phenomenon of life and existence. This could have been after the loss of a next of kin when one's mind might have

wandered far and deep down in the search for some relieving solution. Yet even so, no immediate or satisfying relief would pop up except that the mind would continue to long for some kind of soul father or care giver. At the same time you may have wondered about the intricacy of the phenomenon of life and existence when you had a view of some exceedingly wonderful and mind-blowing scenic attraction of nature such as waterfalls of unique formation such as waters falling more than twenty meters down in a mountainous region like the Victoria Falls. Such a sight may stretch the mind and draw one into mindful awareness of the taste and beauty of the Creator.

The daily realities of life differ from person to person everyday depending on what one faces and experiences each time. Both painful and happy moments are life's normal order. It is a wise choice to choose to understand more about life and one's own value and position in relation to other humans and the other existential environments. Life being such a delicate existential phenomenon requires knowledge and understanding in order to lead it unbroken. Seeking knowledge is simply the basic requirement of life. Imagine what would happen if people of Stone Age were not knowledge seeking. Wouldn't we still be in the Stone Age era by now

after so many thousands of years? Seeking knowledge and practicing newly acquired knowledge and skills are the best way to develop into the new form whether it is a group of people or individual.

The numerous challenges of life that have left some people dead, bed ridden or even without homes really require a broad-based knowledge seeking approach. Such an approach should be endowed with real life skills and awareness methodologies aimed at sensitizing people.

I am glad that after years of teaching these life skills on face to face interaction I have now been able to produce this book in my endeavor to make a complete life care and awareness book. A book that caters for every sector of society from the rich and divorced Tom who emotionally chooses to use his wealth to kill himself by pointing a gun at himself to unemployed and poor Dyke who has no hope for any positive life development in his life time.

We want to avoid life regrets in as much as it is possible so we have to learn these important principles.

Chapter Seven

Thematic Area Two: Life Care

A Healing Mindset

In this game of life and being subjects of His creation we quite often find ourselves in situations that carry our feelings to the extreme of emotions. In some cases, we end up hating or having an ill will on some one's life. This might be because we may have been hurt by their dangerous behavior so we feel like we want it avenged in some way so that the grief in us can clear. Sadly, such a feeling is against God's purpose for His subjects and for that matter we need to desist from accommodating avenging feelings in ourselves. We need to take care of the end of all these things now before the end itself.

A simple story is given below where a family is suspected of theft and vandalism of their neighbor's home yet they were innocent. Read through it and reinforce your own positive emotional wits so you remain careful of the Creator's ways as you sail through in His plan up to the end of all these things.

Mr and Mrs Lackrange were away from their home on one night. When they returned home they found their chicken-house vandalized and nine chickens were missing. They went to their neighbor Mrs and Mr Roosevelt and asked if they knew anything about what had happened over the night at their home which led to their missing chicken. Mr and Mrs Roosevelt were surprised and said that they knew nothing and neither did they even hear anything horrible taking place at their neighbor's home.

Mr Lackrange reported the matter to the police who requested for suspects for the robbery from Mr and Mrs Lackrange. Mr Lackrange said he suspected his neighbor the Roosevelt family because they were the only people closer to their home. He said they were supposed to hear what was going on at his home. He also said his neighbor had two big bull dogs which he thought may have eaten their chicken. At the Police Mr Lackrange suggested that Mr Roosevelt may have silenced their dogs when they barked at the thief or they chose to ignore the noise during the robbery for the reasons best known by them.

With that information the police went to Mrs and Mr Roosevelt's home for questioning and further investigation accompanied by their two Police investigation dogs. As they arrived, surprise and fear gripped Mr and Mrs Roosevelt. They were startled and disturbed as police relayed their dogs into their house and storerooms soon after the Police narrated briefly that they were suspects of robbery at their neighbor's home.

Case analysis

Think of Mr and Mrs Roosevelt's reaction and their feelings concerning their neighbor.

Do they hate them for wrongfully suspecting them and reporting them to the police and causing this police nuisance at their home?

Do they get angry for their neighbor?

Do they welcome the suspicion by their neighbor in which they are subjects?

Here is my view of what a God-fearing mind thinks about the allegations

When the Lackrange family reported the robbery to police citing Roosevelt family as suspect;

-It is their right to report to police and give suspects.

-The Police are free to make their investigations everywhere including even at anyone's home.

- We continue to be good neighbors irrespective of the allegations because God wants us to love not to hate.

Some recommendation to anyone out there.

If you happen to be involved in a similar situation where you become a victim of suspicion or being put on the receiving end, please never feel begrudging for anyone. Be aware that everyone has the right to suspect and have own mind. If you do that you display the wisdom of life care and spiritual awakening. A positive mind is a pillar to successful brains and is the basis for spiritual intelligence.

Instead in such a situation as this episode we work and help positively with the Police and investigation team that is doing the job.

Fighting emotional dominance

Emotional aggression always finds its way easier into our mind in many cases like this and we find ourselves being overcome by hate feelings. When

we are under attack by such feelings we must teach our mind to think positive outcomes such as the need to maintain a healthy relationship. We must teach our mind that this is the moment to show love to these ones who may think negatively against us. We do that because we know that we are pure and righteous on whatever they think against us. We also do this because we are aware that God wants us to love them so we do not want to go against our Father's will.

Take some time to read the story below and asses the behaviors of the two characters in the story. We are having these real life stories because we want to help build the right personality in ourselves so that we become the loved ones of God.

At 0730 pm Mrs Torai arrived at the gate of her home. She stopped her car and rang the electric gate bell for attention but no one came out of the house to come and open the gate. She rang again after a minute but still no one came out of the house. She started to have emotional self-talk against her house maid suspecting that she was doing something evil in the house and was ignoring the bell intentionally.

After about five minutes she impatiently made a loud and long car hooting. The maid then came out of the house running towards the gate and opened the gate widely and waited by the side to allow her madam boss to drive in. She wondered only to see her boss's frowned face steadily looking at her with wide opened eyes and she wondered what could be wrong. She had not heard any ringing bell because she was cleaning the bathroom which had been thronged with dirt by one of the toddlers she was taking care of.

Let us hear a part of their conversation bellow.

Maid: Good evening madam.

Mrs Torai: No-o-o, nonsense! What the hell are you trying to show me! Where are you coming from? What were you doing in my house so that you locked me out?

Maid: Sorry madam if I delayed, but when I heard the hooting I immediately came running.

Mrs Torai: No! You are a damn liar; you willfully ignored the bell several times because you knew I was coming. You did it deliberately. But get it right now; I cannot continue to tolerate this nonsense. I

know you are rude and quite often you pay deaf ears to me. Now I am fed up.

Mrs Torai immediately drove in from outside the gate and stopped the car, came out quickly and walked fast to close the gate herself. Meanwhile Tandy the maid stood desperately watching and felt torn from within herself so that tears flooded her eyes as she deeply wondered what all this meant. Meanwhile her madam boss drove off to the house leaving her behind.

In order to remain obedient to God it is important to obtain some certain social and awareness skills so that we do not get trapped into sinning against Him because we have succumbed to emotions. Below are some important traits that help avoid falling into hate and aggressive pitfalls.

Positive mind set-After ringing the bell two times without response Mrs Torai became emotional and started to think the maid was deliberately ignoring her. She thought Tandy the maid was doing something evil in the house. A positive mindset is God fearing and is resilient to emotional thinking and hence it will not allow emotional speech and expressions that hurt others. A positive mind set

strives to maintain self-joy and respect of human equality.

Empathy-When Mrs Torai suspected that the maid heard the bell ringing and deliberately ignored, she had gone too far with a judging personality allowing her mind to think against the maid. We are not supposed to allow our minds to think negatively; instead we should learn to feel like how others feel so that we get a true picture of their situation. By doing that we are spiritually being equal with them (human equality). If we happen to think that we are better off financially or intellectually well off than them we are lying to ourselves and the truth is that we are never more special in life than them.

Emotional awareness-Mrs Torai became emotional and failed to control herself and expressed herself negatively because of suspicion. She was carried away by her feelings and displayed an evil attitude. If people are not aware of their feelings and where such feelings can lead them to, they are in danger of being carried away by emotions and ending up in tragedy only to realize when it's too late.

Human equality-By closing the gate on her own and leaving the maid behind her in a distressful

state Mrs Torai was displaying her position and authority to the maid so that the maid should have nothing but to feel “why is this happening to me”. It is an act of barbarism to try to show off authority and power to an already vulnerable person and it shows lack of humanism.

Direct acceptance-Mrs Torai ; The episode above started by Mrs Torai ringing the bell without response from the maid. The whole story ended in a sad note when the maid was crying in desperation whilst her madam boss drove off emotionally. This was because there was no direct acceptance to the current situation. Direct acceptance means quickly accepting the current situation without hurting yourself or another person which can lead to sinning against God. By direct acceptance Mrs Torai would have quickly taught her mind that the delay by the maid was not deliberate and intentional. A quick click in her mind that it was not deliberate would have helped to start the healing process in the self and this would have lessened the situational dangers of her behavior.

Direct acceptance -Maid -The maid should also have reminded herself that her madam boss had her right to express her anger in the way she did even though it was founded on suspicion that she

ignored the ringing bell twice. The fact is had taught herself that it is common to be wrongly suspected. If the maid had that ready acceptance then she would not be so distressful. Acceptance is a good weapon to fight a grudging mentality and allow letting go of the tormenting past and quickly get peace in life and the Lord.

However, it may not be easy to have direct acceptance because it requires good emotional intelligence skills for self-awareness and self-management. The best way to avoid falling away from God's grace is to do His ways.

Resilience –Mrs Torai at the gate rings the bell twice with no response until she loudly hoots her car. The un responded to first attempt bell, the time up to the second attempt and still with no one coming to open the gate and, up to the loud hooting, were all **emotion brewing** moments for Mrs Torai. She highly lacked a good level of emotional resilience. Resilience is the ability to calm destructive forces and feelings and be able to get on with life not much disturbed.

Baptism in Christ- The story of Mrs Torai and the maid is one of common experiences in life. Being common in society as it may, the story takes any

sympathetic person to task considering that at the end of the event there was no joy between the two and instead the maid was left behind crying desperately and hurt in herself. The main pillar of life awareness that helps to grow all life skills such as emotional intelligence, empathy, acceptance, resilience and other such life satisfaction skills is the Bible-and being baptized in **Jesus Christ**. Life and spiritual intelligence are new life that is simply got from being baptized in Jesus Christ. If you hate or hurt anyone you actually are hurting own life not only the other person's life, but your own life in turn as you are also setting yourself life traps physically and spiritually. Doing evil to someone will always haunt you spiritually (Love your neighbor as you love yourself)

Exercise/take home

1. How often have you sometimes thought that someone is deliberately ignoring you, your call or your presence intentionally?
2. And what do you usually feel?
3. What do you usually do?

Here are some answers that I got from some people I asked those questions.

On question number 1, most people said that most often or many times they think one is ignoring deliberately.

On question number 2, most people said they feel disgusted, irritated or angry.

On question number 3, most people said they shout out in anger and giving an emotional hey! Or hey! With a shake OR some rough push if the person is close to them.

On average the majority of the people sampled for the above exercise showed that they sometimes think that as they called someone even by phone or talk to someone who appears not to listen or respond to them or who does not show awareness of their presence, they think that that person is deliberately ignoring them intentionally.

What about yourself? What is your take on these questions?

A good example of a person with a high level of emotional intelligence or the love of God is that from the above questions her responses might be as follows:

On question number 1- not at any one moment have I ever thought that someone is ignoring me or

my call because I cannot judge that the other person is deliberately not responding and is intentionally ignoring me or my call.

On question number 2- I feel as usual and undisturbed with the hope of trying later without any grudge.

On question number 3- I allow myself to accept positively that the person was committed with other things and plan to try later again without grudge.

Do you see how different this person is with the majority? This is no common person.

Chapter Eight

Spiritual Awakening

It is really essential for everyone to understand and live the values of a wholesome life now in the natural and values for a wholesome spiritual life that comes after the natural life ends because this is real experience that awaits all of us hence such awareness is paramount.

It may appear absurd to talk about spiritual life now when it looks like no one knows about anything after our natural life on earth ends. However, the undisputable truth for all of us is that one day the natural person will die (cease to be in the natural form). Interestingly the majority of people today in Zimbabwe and elsewhere no longer refer to their relatives as having died, instead they use a more comfortable phrase saying “she passed on”. What this means is that there is some intuitive awareness in people that when a person ends his natural life his or her soul goes and continues to live somewhere in the spiritual realm. The truth is that we know that the soul continues to live a spiritual

life either in whole good or in torment and all that is based on how the natural person was leading life on earth. The Bible is a book of the spirit and reveals these secrets which God intends people to know because He is also Spiritual.

Proper life care and spiritual awakening is a state of being where the self remains well informed about the beauty and the odds of the sails of life as they happen. It is the ability to continue to maintain a positive and resilient nature because of spiritual maturity.

In order to achieve such a high level state of being the self has got to be taught and it has to understand some essential soft skills whose purpose are to model a meek but strong personality.

Here are the eight essentials to help develop proper life care and spiritual awakening skills.

Self-awareness-

Knowing the type of person, you are both to yourself and in the general society and your relationship with God. What are your habits and character? For example, do you have self-pity, how do you react to yourself and to others, do you easily

forgive others for their wrong doing. Are you aggressive? Do you love God? Are you a giver? Etc.

How is self-awareness a value of life fulfilling principles?

Self-awareness is a result of proper self-assessment. Assessing oneself results in identifying areas needing change in life.

One day a client of mine carried a self-assessment after I requested him and told him to do it with the assistance of his wife. One big thing that came out of the assessment was that he realized that he was selfish and his wife confirmed that. He then asked for advice to help him creep out of this bad personality which he no longer wanted.

I told him to start practicing acts of kindness and I gave him a **kindness bingo task** to practice under the supervision of his wife to assist him to change fast and he did that successfully and right now he is one of the most honest, trusted and loving members in his community and family. He says he now feels a pure heart marked with joy and fullness of life.

So, self-awareness is identifying your real self with the aim of working towards a change of character after noticing an adverse personality or just for the purpose of improving life relationships. For example, after a prolonged self-awareness mindful thinking a friend of mine realized that she was going astray with life through being too much alcoholic and she decided to leave beer and go back the Lord. She got born again in Christ and recently she testified that she was living a happy and satisfactorily better and free life.

Social awareness-

We have talked at length about the term awareness. Now we have social awareness as a principal value. Social awareness is about being aware of others, being careful about them, their feelings, characters, and behaviors.

One day I watched as two men nearly exchanged blows. The other one was being pushed away by the one who felt that he had the right of way on the road. They were pointing fingers at each other. I enquired and found that there was a road intersection near them but the intersection had no give way signs so the two men slightly collided at the intersection and their cars sustained dents.

Pure social awareness would have helped either of them to refrain from judging the other and fuming emotionally like what they did. Social awareness would have quickly reminded them about the importance of peace, love and harmony. At the same time social awareness would have raised in both of them an alarm against judging one another and a humble atmosphere would prevail so that a solution is arrived at amicably.

Spiritual fullness

The concept of spiritual fullness can be difficult to understand especially from the perspective of a fleshly mind. From a spiritually awakened individual understanding this entails the ability to maintain a high spirit level. This position is derived from a pure and singing heart. This kind of a heart is not a broken heart. It is a heart that does not keep wounds that come out of life experiences for too long. In other words, it is a heart that easily let's go of offenses, emotional experiences and a heart that forgives offenders with ease. Certainly, that heart is the baseline for a positive mindset and a home of joy, satisfaction and fullness of life.

Spiritual rebirth in Christ

To be born again in Jesus Christ is the best way to change behavior and beliefs and to yield to a real new life that is smart. Remember we said life is spiritual and that it is largely governed by the spiritual and we noted that God is spiritual whilst the devil also is spiritual. It is wise to know therefore that a person's daily activities or experiences at any particular point in time is either spiritually influenced by God in the name of Jesus Christ /Holy Spirit or is being influenced by the devil in the name of Satan/evil spirits or demons.

For example, Daitonson my neighbor went home after work and found his wife with another man in bed at his home and out of emotions he immediately rushed out and climbed up a tall tree and threw himself down to death.

This is certainly spiritual and satanic and the spirit of death in the form of demons forced the man out of his usual self; due to lack of emotional awareness and he killed himself.

If Daitonson was born again in Christ such evil spirits would not have excessive power over him. Infect the spiritual power of the Lord would have helped Daitonson to maintain a good level of emotional awareness in him so that he would be

able to maintain his real self and not lose his rationale due to demonic forces in the form of emotions.

It's certainly wise to choose to be born again in Jesus Christ.

Empathy-

The feeling for others leads to being aware of other people's problems and feeling like helping them out. It is like you do not have joy when the other person is in pain. Empathy does great things in anyone who practices it in line with life care and awareness principles such as reputable acts of encouragement and life serving. This ultimately grows awareness in terms of essential life serving values.

Acceptance -

When King David's son who was sick died, David quickly put on nice clothes and sat at the table to eat good food. When his servants saw that, they were surprised and asked David why he seemed to merry yet his son had died. In response King David said that there was no need to continue in sorrow and worrying, but rather, to accept that the son had

died and start to live the usual life whilst putting hope in God the creator. 2 Samuel 12 V 19-20.

Acceptance is a strong tool in building resilience and perpetual peace of mind. You will not be tormented by emotions over an adverse event in life if acceptance intelligence quickly creeps in your mind.

Positive mindset-

A positive mindset is a strong ground to fight negative emotions. Life awareness is about caring for life and make it blossom for you and for others. A positive mind cannot contain grudge against anyone but rather it is a harbor of love and is like a stream flowing with waters of life. There is no anger and aggression in such a mind hence the result is a loving heart. A positive mind is able to fight stress and disease with ease because it does not harbor negative emotions.

Kindness with nature-

Life care and awareness principles teach awareness principle for the self and others as well as the surrounding. For example, to be kind with nature means to know that one should not plough on wetlands because there are important living

creatures that are living there which are essential in the ecosystem.

This is called environmental awareness. Some time back when I was doing a program in environmental sciences on a research of animals facing extinction and needing protection, we came across various types of creatures ranging from lizards, monkeys, rhinos to locusts, all of various and strange types. That research really increased my love of nature as I gradually noticed that every creature was created to fulfill a certain purpose.

How is your relationship with wildlife like? Many people look at world life as an area where they get game meat through hunting and for sure hunting is really interesting for hunters. True to say that it is allowed to hunt but nowadays of course you cannot just go hunting without a permit. A hunting permit is required in order to preserve animal life. Even tamed animals like cattle and donkeys too, must be loved and kept in good feed and healthy, not only because we want good meat but because they also have a right to live well and be protected by their owner, and all that is life awareness in action and will add to your life satisfaction as you do good to other special habitats.

Our environment including vegetation such as trees and grass as well as valleys, rivers, rocks and mountains all play an important role in nature and should be loved and protected.

Note: The moment you start to observe the spiritual purpose of nature; that it is there because life is there and resembles the greatness of the Creator, you will certainly always feel a soothing inflow of joy and happiness in yourself and that is a part of experiencing life in fullness.

Chapter Nine

Inner Person

At the end of the game of worldly life where we are the subjects of the game at present there shall be winners and losers. Purpose and end of all these things is the title of this book. The title is just saying the Creator has a purpose in His creation and His subjects and there will be an end to this earthly life game at an appointed time and the Owner of the game will choose winning subjects according to his will and He will remember those who performed according to his ways.

The Mind

The mind happens to be the closer and vulnerable object of a person in the making of choices although it is not alone in doing its work. We want to look at ways the mind can be influenced or can influence in the making of behavior so that we are fore warned to be aware how we act and learn to teach our objects life awareness skills.

It is very wise to understand the state of your mindset in order to monitor your mind through awareness. You need to take care of your mind. It is not that the mind takes care of you.

Clearly whether you or me like it or not there is going to be an end of life here one day and the day that it happens is obvious but sacred. The day is sacred because it is a moment that reveals your final destiny which is a result of the choices that you were making during the time of your life here. On a sad note the separation moment of flesh and spirit at the time of death can be terrible. Imagine your soul being rejected by one who had originally sent it into flesh to live life here, rejected because your spirit is evil and dirtied by the works you did here during the life while you were the subject of His creation. You lacked awareness and ignored all calls and advise to live a life in God's ways and now God your maker rejects you and says "...go away from me, I do not know you. You belong where you were doing your evil works." Hmmm, I tell you there is going to be trembling and gnashing of teeth surely when the reality of being rejected by the only Father and Creator takes place. I do not intend to frighten anyone but rather to have ourselves some insight of some of the consequences of the end of these things so that possibly we learn to be aware

of being the purposeful subjects of His creation. The mind therefore needs to be guarded carefully because it is the most cause of remorseful situations that we find ourselves in.

Guarding the mind

There are actually two extreme zones that the mind appears stretches between, as if it were on a continuum; from extreme negative emotions characterized by emotional flight, anger, stress, distress, anxiety etc, down through to extreme positive emotions characterized by happiness, joy, fullness and satisfaction. I would request the reader to imagine a rectangular block divided into five sub blocks each with its own color, thus **Red, Yellow, and White, Royal Blue, and Green**. Then consider the individual's mind to be that parent block and within it are sub blocks within which emotions are free to move or stay depending on the type of trigger or individual. For example, some people are more resilient and yet others are emotionally quite weak.



I will describe each of these zones below. After I describe each block you may do yourself good by

finding where you fit so that where possible you improve on areas that need improvement.

Red or highly negative zone or block-Be aware and always guard against your own mind stretching into the red block. In the red zone yours and other people's lives are at risk. This is because your personal being or mind will be highly stressed or pressed and we know that any object that is pressed excessively is likely to burst or lose shape. So, life is likely to be destroyed in the red zone. It is not good to be in the red or extreme negative. Staying in this state is mainly characterized aggression, bitterness, high level anxiety, fear, distress etc. In the red is where you find people committing suicide, others committing murder and yet others putting themselves on death beds due to stress related illnesses. In this block the mind seems interested in exploring more into the negativity of life. The reason to include these pictorial explanations is to help you to quickly reflect on them the next time you find yourself in a situation calling your mind to negative reaction. Then be careful to remember that surpassing the yellow is strictly dangerous both to your natural and spiritual life. That state is a serious energy drainer to the self spiritually and naturally.

Yellow or mild negative zone or block- This position is not good because staying in it for a long time leads to excessive anxiety or nervousness which develops into higher levels of stress or heart disease. Those worries are a sign of negative emotions so they drain natural and spiritual energy from you. The yellow zone is a warning and to stay in that condition for too long is dangerous.

Consider the following case; A couple falls into a common marital dispute early in the morning and the man angrily walks out as if to avoid a more serious situation and to refresh his mind. When he returns in the afternoon his wife shouts angrily “..Go back and enjoy yourself I don’t want to see you here!” The woman is still full of rage even after nine hours when the man was away trying to cool down tempers. This shows a serious weakness that is prone to leading into serious stress ailments within a short period of time. The woman does not have the spirit of care in herself. Instead the woman was supposed to take the break as a moment for reconciliation and conflict resolution irrespective of how bad the experience she might have had with her husband. You need to be aware of your emotions to be able to control yourself and promote life.

White or neutral zone or block- This is just simply good as it is a balanced state. At this point the mind is in a state of pureness. Here the mind is not in a state of lack because it is being fed averagely. Basically, the spiritual food for the mind comes from the sky blue and the green blocks.

Royal blue or mild positive zone or block- This block represents satisfaction and smiles come out. Everyone enjoys staying in this block. Those smiles bring refreshment to the mind thereby acting as a source of energy for a healthy mind and facilitating the good taste of food for feeding the natural body.

Green or highly positive zone or block- It is a state of happiness where one can suddenly burst into a joyful song. A state that makes your heart sing. This is a high spirit level which is a biggest source of spiritual energy for the mind and the self. It has the ability to create stored spiritual energy to feed the mind in times of lack. For an example during a wedding or a graduation day you experience great joy and you will certainly be in high spirit mode. A year later you lose your loved one or you are fired from work and your mind starts wondering and worrying. Research has shown that many people kill away such persisting negative emotions by thinking and reflecting back on some

past happy moments as this will give them hope that there are still chances of more happy times and this will then give them energy spiritually and naturally to shift on to new business. The green block is always longed for by many people.

Chapter Ten

A Mind for His Purpose

When we talk of values that form a mindset that serves God's purpose we are talking of spiritual food items that work together to form a steadfast character of mind that longs to do God's will. This is a perfect and purely resilient mindset that does not reflect a wounded soul. This then is a mind broadly based, fully capacitated and unbiased. It is really sober and life giving to itself, to others and to the surrounding.

So, maintaining of the following values is very essential as spiritual energy sources that lead to spiritual fullness.

Human equality

Practice the equality principle of humanity. This is awareness that there is not one person who is more special than the other. When you are a supervisor or a manager and you want to talk to a junior staff member you should be sure to guard against directly or indirectly exhibiting your superiority to

your subordinates. In other words, you don't need to show the weight of your authority on them all the time. In most cases the authority by your rank is known and undisputed so there is no point for always displaying such authority. If you do so, you are likely to create an extraordinary figure in their minds and so they start fearing instead of respecting you. Earning respect is a very essential skill for every successful leader; otherwise members create social no go areas against you which is not healthy in terms of pure social interaction. It can lead to restrictive social mix which may be harmful to you as a leader.

In many countries or continents there are generally what are called minority groups in various societal setups which are ethically discriminated and to some extent they are often looked down upon. This is against principles of human equality. Human equality is the greatest human and social intelligence pillar that naturally builds into strong and positive minds that support God's ways.

Love-

This means practicing brotherhood and sisterhood in society. No grudge or hate, no ill will against someone. An act of love is nourishment of spiritual

or mental health. Have you ever helped or given someone a gift in their time of need and experienced how they expressed their gratitude? I have done that many times and it has kept my spiritual well-being quite high.

Humble spirit- the greatest benefit of a high level of emotional intelligence is that it bears a humble spirit. A humble spirit moves mountains of emotional and life problems because it is born out of self-trust and steadfast life care and awareness principles. This character is envied by many due to its softness, and because it is also a great part of an achiever's syndrome.

Forgiving- A mind that cannot forgive is a dangerous mind to its master and to others. It is a source of failure and a hub of negative emotions, grudge and hatred which leads to aggression and dissatisfaction in life. A strangled spirit has no joy because it has no freedom due to bondage with the evil thought of past wrongs which the heart determines not to forget and forgive and the result is weakening the inner person of the spirit. The inner person of the spirit cleans or washes himself through forgiveness hence an unforgiving heart leads the inner person to death. Forgiving feeds, the inner person with power to refresh and

therefore resourcing the mind with assertiveness and zeal to work on new progressive fields of thought.

Word of God- The word of God is by far the easiest tool to remove any type of spiritual bondage such as hatred, unforgiving, selfishness, ruthlessness etc. It washes away the desires of the natural man and brings about spiritual rebirth leading to the new positive live.

Social justice- The Bible says do to the other what you would have wanted that person to do for you. Respect others irrespective of color, tribe, nationality, creed or their background.

Self-satisfaction- This is a state of self-worth where one does not feel any sort of spiritual lack. An assertive self whose spiritual standing is motivated and well fed resulting in a high spirit level. When we talk of a high spirit level we are referring to a state of sufficient spiritual energy in the self just like a fully fired or energized 12.5 volts battery. It will work well and to the satisfaction of the user.

There is not even one person who does not want to enjoy the taste of life satisfaction and a peaceful life. Many people tend to think too much more

about the problems they encounter in life than joyful episodes they encounter in life. These people tend to find life difficult all the time and sometimes they think that life is unfair.

Wise people who want to live successful and happy lives seek peace with life. They do so by allowing their minds to think more of their achievements and happy moments than problem moments. These people even live their lives in fullness so they have awareness as to how not to entertain long negative emotional thoughts. For example they plan how to spend their time happily through mindfulness practices and nature walk as well as practicing other life skills in order to maintain a joyful and positive mindset.

If you have a problem of thinking over and over about problems and your mind is always sunk in emotional problems, here are some of the joy and happiness tips or games for you.

-Get to do something different, eg if seated stand up and walk a bit (a mindful walk) look at nature's sophisticated mountains, rivers, animals etc. Even looking mindfully at tall architectural buildings may work wonders and heal wondering negative

mindsets. It is called mindful seeing. Practice it and experience the benefits

-Play some favourable music, the golden oldies dzakaita mukurumbira . Rise up enjoy and dance.

Some old music help to give energy as you may revoke old memories of good old days. Infect you are still the one and can do better.

Allow yourself to sink into the beauty of nature as you mindfully move your eyes around trees, rocks or grass listen to singing birds and even watch people walking. Give yourself total freedom out there to the extend you can find yourself imitating the whistle of a beautifully singing bird joyfully as you relax your mind and memory into the refreshing cool and quietness of nature. At this moment all problems that trouble your mind should go and allow for the feel of nature.

Go out there and see the people, watch and listen to them mindfully. E.g. When someone is running, watch him or her running until he/she disappears while you try to think why she/he is running. In the same way as you watch and listen to the birds chatting, look at the one that is flying away and try to see where it is going and what it is doing, is it

nestling. All that is called mindful watching and it refreshes the mind and refills the well of resilience.

Remember you are free to express the refreshing joy and it's not bad to chuckle to yourself as you experience these mindfulness moments. Laughing is a good energy resource to spiritual resilience so allow it and even chuckle to yourself in joy.

Here I am at Gutu rank seated on the rank shade concrete seat I am watching two men getting off the bus in black jackets and black tinted glasses. They come and stand behind the bus and both stare at the same direction somewhere into the rank where people are moving in all direction. For quite some time, about five minutes they are not moving and they are just gazing to one direction as if they are following some command. They don't know I am quietly and mindfully looking at them. I am getting interested by their action and want to see their next move. Suddenly they move fast away and disappear to the other side of the rank laughing, and I said to myself 'were they also looking into the rank mindfully and started feeling the refreshing joy of mindfulness.

Activity

1. In your life what do you normally do when you want to maintain a humble mind after experiencing negative emotions arousing?
2. Do you have any social skills that you practice in order to keep yourself well fed with positive self-esteem? Like showing love to others by extending a helping hand.
3. After getting through this session about mindfulness, do you feel any shift in terms of feeling, understanding or knowledge in the way situations could be handled through mindfulness in order to create a soothing spirit?
4. Give examples of mindfulness exercises that you have once taken in life in order to drive away boredom, stress, and anger etc, though you may have done so without mindful awareness.

Chapter Eleven

Deep Spiritual Revelation

This session is a unique and essential deep spiritual life awareness session. It is unique and essential in the sense that it reveals and relates the consequences of life experiences in the natural in relation to God's purpose and the resultant eternal life or condemnation after death.

Life that is lived with the fear and love of God is pure in the eyes of God. Life that is lived in selfishness or in negative emotions such as aggression, un-forgiveness, and resentment and without repentance from such evil doing results in a soul that is detached from God its maker and the result is an eternally tormented soul in hell because God the Father and Almighty will reject it.

This is spiritual awakening. When we are talking about life awareness we want to bring alertness in whatever form possible to the reader about the importance of adhering to life principles that lead the reader to enjoy life in fullness at the end of the day. We don't need to pretend as if life ends here on earth after one's natural death. The truth is there is a lot more ahead both bad and good.

So, you when download this session's business of the day from the link provided below I plead with you to be mindful as you read through, listen to the audios and watch videos or see the pictures.

Here is the heart of **spiritual awakening** that should **alert** someone for change of behavior.

Link; <http://godembassy.com/where-will-you-spend-eternity/prepare-to-meet-your-god-by-angelica-zambrano/>

From chapter one to this point I have been talking about various life encounters in the general life pattern from happiness events to sorrowful deaths. I noted that all this happens to both the poor and the rich and I repeatedly noted that despite the different social categories that people might fall in they or we are all equal subjects of God's creation. By subjects I mean that this creation is God's plan and, in that plan, we are playing various rolls like people in a game and we do this for the achievement of His goals.

Now through to this point, several times I repeatedly would give stories or comparable real-life situations as I continually emphasized that those real-life situations subjected to us wards are

part of the workings of God for His purpose and end in His subjects, us. I would go all the way to explain some good manners that are in line with God ways and also the bad manners that are against God's ways. The whole reason for this is to try and bring home the understanding that God is up to something with His creation and that death is a form of transformation and the spiritual being has life after death. I pointed out that being subjects of His creation we are like a team in a game where each one's performance will be measured and God will certainly do that to us all. So, we need to have that awareness so that we control our behavior here today.

In the next and final segment, I am giving an account of typical end of all these things as it was revealed to me and as it is written in the Bible. That segment is a real thriller to some because the end is obviously no joke and is endowed with pain and sorrows especially to those who have not chosen Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. Part one of the segments is about situational events just before the end is titled The Beginning of Sorrows and part two of it is the rapture.

Chapter Twelve

Thematic area Three: End of All These Things

The Beginning of Sorrows

The day was cool and sunny in the morning and a fresh natural breeze was sweeping across the small town of Gutu. It was on a Sunday and many people went to church to worship their Lord. In the surrounding, people exhibited relaxed and jovial faces as they enjoyed the warm mid-morning sunshine. On one corner of Hwiru high density suburb people were converging and enjoying a beer party gathering. Yet on the other side again in a nearby park some eighty to one hundred meters away from a certain church building, people were pitching tents in preparation for what they called a historic wedding ceremony.

The day was just good for everyone and for any types of errands.

I had not gone to church this day because I just felt that I needed to complete a certain task at home so I got in my garden and started preparing seed beds for my vegetable seedlings and that is where the sign of the mystery of all centuries took place. But my question still stands; did everyone see the wonder that I saw?

It was by the time that I was taking a breath and stretching up my back and putting the garden spade down for a moment of rest that something startling appeared in my eyes. At first, I thought I was dreaming; but how could I be dreaming when I was busy in the garden? I scratched my head to feel the reality of the experience or the miracle.

The miracle

I saw a glittering bright object flying across the sky above me from the East to the West. After about three minutes the same object flew again above me from the North to the South. The object was no small thing in its appearance but was the size of a full moon when it is just rising from the East on a clear day but it was as bright as a shooting star. I said to myself “this is a shooting star which is so close”, as I tried to drive away the grip of fear and to regain strength. But I wondered “can a shooting

star fly past to one direction and fly again back from another direction.” That became disturbing food for my thought.

However, what surprised me the most is that everyone in the surrounding continued to do what they were doing as if they had not seen anything. I put down the garden spade in my hand and went down to the street to meet with people who were moving in the street.

Everyone was moving in the normal way and unworried. I pretended to be walking as well but trying to listen in order to hear what people were talking about. To my great surprise everyone was talking their ordinary daily life news.

By the way when this fly past UFO miracle took place I was alone in the garden. My family had gone to church but I had remained at home to complete a certain task. So, as I started walking like anyone else in the street I saw Romeo a work mate who stayed about a kilometer away from my house.

I said to him “Good morning Romy. How are things at home? He replied “Fine Davis, everything is fine. And how is your family too?” “Everyone is okay at my home. But I got the shock of my life today

Romy.” I replied as Romy stretched his hand for mine.

“What’s the shock; what happened?” he asked looking straight into my face. I told him about the flying object that I had seen and how it was so terrific in my sight and I asked him if he had also seen it. Romy replied “No, I never saw such a thing. How many people saw it?” “I was alone in the garden when it happened and my family had gone to church. It is so recent and that is why I came here to the street to find out from others but it looks as if everyone else including you has not seen it.” I replied but in myself I was getting confused as to what actually happened.

“So, if you saw such a big and shining object and then others never saw it then what does it mean Davis.” “I don’t know Romeo. May be something is getting wrong with me.” I said worriedly.

“Don’t worry Davis, may be its a vision or an angel that visited you from God.” Romy said as he pulled himself away and proceeding with is journey. “Meet you again next time Davis. Pray over that issue may be God wants to speak to you if what you saw is real.”

“Thanks Romy for your time and sharing and when you hear anyone testifying about seeing this object share with me.” I said as I took a step going back to my garden. Meanwhile I was confused in my mind thinking that what I saw might not have been a real thing in sight but rather something imaginary. I wondered as I tried to meditate on the reality and meaning of all these things. I sat down in the garden on a twenty litre bucket that was full of manure but closed on top and there I took a big sigh of relief but still vexed in my thought as I waited for my family to return from church.

Black Clouds

Whilst I was still seated on the bucket in the garden and in awe of the unique sight I could feel that the Easterly morning breeze that was cool and sweet touching in the morning was getting stronger and stronger at every space of about ten minutes. I stood up and looked down to the gate to check if my family was coming back but there was no one coming. After about an hour the wind had become much stronger and this time it was bringing with it black and heavy clouds of rain. In about two hours the whole sky had been covered by heavy black clouds which appeared to be not very far away above. It would look as if a stone's throw into the

sky would actually see the stone disappear into the so close black cumulonimbus fiery clouds.

Although it was around 1300hrs in the afternoon the whole surrounding got darkened as the weather prepared for what appeared to be the greatest thunderstorms that humanity had ever experienced. Down there into the street I started to see people running to their homes in different directions.

People were running to different directions as each one sought to find shelter nearby before the deadly black clouds started pouring down and unleashed terror on to the vulnerable creatures of earth including humanity and thereby leaving a trail of unfathomable degree of calamity.

Now the winds had thickened into great stormy winds that began blowing from all directions and not only from the East as before. The first sign of danger that I noticed was the uprooting and breaking of huge trees some which fell down on top of houses and some breaking electricity cables.

Although I was worried about the safety of my family I knew they were in the church building so I believed that they were much save. I got indoors and stayed alone watching the devastating winds

fighting huge trees, houses and anything that appeared to be resisting them.

Yet all this, was the beginning of sorrows and no drop of rain had yet fallen down as it appeared the fiery clouds were preparing heavy rains to batter everything on the face of the earth with heavy down pours. In 2019 I had witnessed Cyclone Idai destroying homes, livestock and wildlife through heavy and continuous downpours which led to flooding that killed hundreds of people in my country and left tens of thousands of citizens homeless and foodless. Was this going to be a repeat of such a mind torching phenomenon?

The sight of the flying shining object came to mind as I tried to figure out and relate what it could mean in connection with the terrible situation at hand.

The Scenes Before the Sorrowful Events

Wedding Ceremony

The day had started well and suitable for celebrations of memorable events like weddings. I remember noticing a convoy of high-level motor vehicle brands and each blowing two, three and more colorful balloons in the air and on their shining screens.

On one or two cars I could notice some people protruding their heads out of windows with cameras in hands to take some pictures and videos. It was a wedding of a well-known businessman who was tying the knot with his loved one. At the wedding people were singing and dancing, eating and drinking. Others were busy taking videos and pictures of the proceedings for future reference.

It was all good and signified a great day of jubilation and yet not even one man or woman was aware of the looming natural disaster.

2. Beer Party Gatherings

At a beer part gathering in a nearby high-density shopping center, some people who drink beer can always start their day as early as 7:00am if not even putting up there at the beer party without returning home.

I know of some who even works up as early as 0600am only to knock at the door of the bottle store agent's beerhouse to wake him or her up to sell them beer at such an absurd business hour. I am not surprised by that kind of behavior because a decade and half ago I would have loved to join such ones who liked beer to that extent.

Interestingly in my area beer attendants and sellers are so friendly so that even if you approach them at midnight requesting for a favor to buy beer, they are free to workup without any hassle and they assist you jovially even if you start to talk stories while hanging there and staggering drunkenly and even sit down on a nearby bench. The attendants are not worried as long as you have come to empty your pockets there, they are willing to spend the whole night there with you up to your last penny.

Night clubs do not usually open in the morning. Instead they open at night as their name implies. So, during this moment of looming natural danger many drinkers were already at beer gardens either at a friend's home or at some kind of hideout where they were enjoying a cool Sunday morning breeze. They would be drinking and enjoying some braai and dancing to all types of music.

Both men and women would be enjoying their drinking spree and what is mainly in their mind is that for such joy and happiness was life made. They marry and mate as they freelance in their happiness of the day amid great music.

3. Church gatherings

On this Sunday of great happenings and sorrow my family had actually gone to church. So, when I saw the black clouds gathering at first sight I thought of my children but quickly I realized that they were at the church.

Since it was getting darker because of the heavy clouds that were gathering I became really sure that they were actually in the church since I sensed that no one could reasonably dare try to move anywhere leaving a good shelter when the weather was threatening as it was at this time.

I have noticed this that many times when people are moving on their way and a sudden down pour with thunder and lighting is about to take place, many people tend to seek shelter in the church or under the veranda of churches. Most would choose to go under the veranda of the church than a veranda of a shop because they felt that at the church there is the protection of God.

This Sunday the word of God had been preached and the Preacher opened the Bible and read from Mathew Chapter 24 which talks about the end times. It talks about the turmoil and tribulations that would be faced in the end of days when the Son of man comes.

When the preacher picked that chapter, it was by then a clear, smooth and cool Sunday morning and he was also not even aware that soon the weather was going to change as if to resemble the wording of the chapter he read to the congregants and preached about.

As he preached he called on everybody to repent from evil doing and receive Jesus Christ. Some of the words of the Pastor were “The only Son of God who was testified by John in John chapter 3 v 16 is just knocking on your heart. Please repent and accept him in your heart. Listen and you will hear him knocking on your heart. Please if you want to be saved this is the time. Accept Jesus as Lord and Savior of your life and He will write your name in the book of life. You will also be protected during the time of turmoil and tribulations.” This was part of the preacher’s word for that Sunday service.

Surprisingly this Sunday all the new members who had come to church received Jesus as their Lord and Savior. Due to the weather that had suddenly changed and threatening to burst into heavy downpours the church service continued past normal closing hours.

People continued singing, praising and worshipping songs and over eighty percent of all church members were filled in the Holy Spirit and started crying and speaking in the tongues of the Holy Spirit. That was really a rare event to see nearly everyone in the church being filled by the Holy Spirit. They continued in this state as they witnessed the unusual and furious unfolding weather out there which was promising disaster.

4. Cities and Towns

What had started as a nice Sunday promising sweet freelancing in a happy day to everyone suddenly brought people to wonder and fear as many people who had moved in to town to enjoy the cool morning breeze in town were now clustered under shop verandas for shelter.

Everyone either stood looking into the distance or to some trees or building that were being marauded by great winds which appeared to have no permanent direction whilst black clouds such as no one has ever seen were covering the whole sky and looking as if they were a monster preparing to strike and swallow the whole earth. Everybody looked restless and vulnerable.

Motorists stopped driving and some had chosen to park somewhere and remained in their cars. Up to now drop of rain yet had started to fall from the heavy clouds and down to the ground.

The truth is just that everyone was now in panic mode and wondering as to; “what was the meaning and end of all these things.”

5. Villages

One woman was calling and nervously talking unto her children, “Lillian! Lillian, come back quickly. Let us get into the house, we do not know what is about to happen. This is not the time to go away and play with friends. Come close my daughter.” The woman was calling her daughter who had gone out to play with friends.

There on the other side and on top of a small plateau a man and a woman were busy forcing their flock of sheep into the house, “get in quickly the weather is bad, so bad today that we don’t even know what is going to be the end of it.” Mr James was calling and talking to his sheep as he struggled to put the door of the warehouse in good closing position where he had put his sheep.

“James, where should we go, should we remain here to die here simply like dogs” The woman called on her husband and asked hopelessly as she felt that they were facing something inevitably terrible. “My dear, where else can we go, do you think there is any place that can be spared by this tremendous calamity that we are facing. After all it’s already late and the weather and all horror is just closing on us very fast. Let us get into the house and start praying to the Lord maybe we can be spared and live. Look, there are no more people moving about” Mr. James said as he gesticulated his hand in the air and pointing the direction of their house and moving briskly to grab the hand of his wife who now stood in the open space fearfully puzzled and looking into the distance despite the marauding and heavily blowing winds.

He added “Since when has it ever happened that lightning and thunderstorm tear across the sky without even one drop of rain falling down. There must be a great meaning to this whole thing. Let us quickly get to praying.” Mr. James said as he summoned his courage and braveness.

Everywhere the taste of good life was dying and being swallowed by a seemingly natural disaster looming under the blanket of a disappearing sun.

Heavy darkness amidst fiery blowing winds, lightning and thunderstorms had displaced joy and leisure on humanity and yet the real end of all these things was still a hidden tale. Surprisingly even by this time no drop of rain had fallen down yet.

Meanwhile many people in the villages closed themselves in their houses with their families as the weather and the environment began showing danger. No drop of rain had yet hit the ground but darkness was slowly covering the whole earth as if the sun was setting yet frequent great flashes of lightning happened to light the whole earth followed by strong rattling sounds of thunder that dominated the sky. To everyone this was really a sign of tremendously great danger that was about to happen and all humanity felt nervous and vulnerably exposed to the ultimate calamity. No one had power to stop it.

What was happening? Where was this leading to? What was the meaning of all these things? Was it just a unique type of cloud cover caused by climate change that would eventually pass away?

That was the kind of marathon questions in everybody's mind.

Everywhere and Everyone

As I got into my house and staring to the gate my phone rang and I quickly rushed to receive the call hoping that that might be one from my family members who had gone to church and had not arrived back home yet.

No, the phone call was from John Temp, my brother in Christ who had gone to China on some missionary work for spreading the word of God. “Hi brother Davis, how are you doing and is everything alright over there?” Said John Temp. Before I replied him, I said to myself, fine then, this is the time to hear the truth about this whole thing. Then I replied, “I’m ok my brother and how are you doing over there, Temp? Something mysterious is happening everywhere here. At first, I thought it was some formation of great heavy rains but to my surprise no rain drop has yet fallen down since it started in the morning. Infect Temp; the whole sky is covered by black and heavy clouds that are accompanied by strong flashes of lightning and thunder storms. Everyone is becoming nervous now because it is getting darker as the sun looks as if it is setting yet it just afternoon. It’s really terrifying Temp” I said attentively as I hoped to hear something good from him. At this moment I was going to be hopeful if he would tell me that it was okay in China. Then that would make me believe

that we were in a passing phase of a temporal but dangerous weather condition caused by climatic change.

Although I was also getting nervous I felt relieved when I received a call from him and I knew this was the right moment to hear from him if the same weather and supposed climate change calamity was happening there in China.

So, I asked him without further delays “How is the situation over there John? His reply was the final blow that tore through my nerves to render me powerless and unable to remain standing.

John had said that the same that was happening here in Zimbabwe was the same happening in China. He also said that he was worried about what was actually going on. John said that everyone there was so unsettled and nervous because of the unusual natural condition and the fate that was likely to be faced. John said emergency rescue alarms had already started to be blown to people to stay indoors for safety. He said there were no longer many cars moving around except a few driving to their homes to meet with family and friends.

Back home in Gutu and in some other cities the Civil Protection Unit CPU could be heard through loud speakers saying “Everyone get indoors stop moving around until the rains are over.”

The loud speakers continued, “Do not panic the Metrological Department has hinted that this is just a passing cyclone Jadayee wave that has originated from the Pacific Ocean and will pass away within twenty-three hours. So, we urge you not to panic but avoid moving around in the open until the danger is over within forty-eight hours.”

As I sat down to regain strength and my face tilted down, a soft smooth voice whispered to me saying, “This is the time. Read Mathew 24 and you will understand”

As this voice spoke to me I regained strength. The voice whispered again and said “You are a soldier of faith in the Lord Jesus so why are you hiding in the house. It’s no longer about houses and earthly possessions. It is time to meet Him, the Son of man as He appears on the clouds with His angels of war to take His church to a place smartly made for His people like He promised. It is now harvest time. So, go out watch and be ready.”

When the voice left I had regained strength as the reality of the fulfilling of Bible prophecies came to mind. I stood up to move out of the house and suddenly the strongest lightning of all that has been happening or all that has ever happened stroke from the East to the West and from the North to the South and suddenly the heavens opened and I saw as it were horses blazing with fire coming from all corners of heaven towards the earth. However, what surprised me was that these horses blazing with fire did not touch the ground.

I could not clearly detect the riders of these horses but some glittering white figures appearing like the angels of the Most High God held trumpets in their hands and were blowing them amidst a certain song but I actually could not see the ones making the chorus.

Even though all these things were appearing in the sky and filling the whole upper part of space with shining light yet the half lower part down to the earth was blanketed with heavy darkness. It appeared as if I had been lifted up in the spirit order to see what I was seeing.

That clearly showed a mysterious partition of two different worlds. Immediately fear returned to me

and I sat down in the veranda of my house and did not have any more strength to remain standing. Darkness was still covering the whole earth and frequent flashes of light pierced from the stream of light above the earth and lighted the earth for a moment and would suddenly stop leaving darkness to swallow the earth.

The beaming flashes of light that frequently dropped to light the earth at scattered intervals slowly became intensive and appeared like arrows of flash lights shooting down from the sky.

The appearance of the shooting lights was like that of shooting stars. In my vision which I saw as I continued to look out there in fear, amazement and disgust, a great thing took place and I started to hear voices above the earth as if there was a great tumult of people coming to me from above.

The voices were a mixture of what I thought were war songs and cries of war but I could not see any persons who were making such noise.

The Lighting shooting stars

Meanwhile I remained exhausted and seated in the veranda and resting my back on the wall whilst watching and trying to make the difference between

reality and dreaming. I turned my face down there to the get and then to my neighbor's home to see what could be taking place and if all was well there.

By this time power had gone out of me again when a soft voice whispered to me, "You man of faith are you now troubled so that you have no power in you when all this is written in the word of God. Why are you being afraid at the last hour? Come on, rise up, fight for your salvation and meet the Lord."

Immediately I regained my strength and as I regained my strength I rose up and started walking down to the gate. There was no rainfall yet but great thunder and lightning continued amidst the falling shooting stars which now gave light to the earth.

The sun was now nowhere to be seen. It had actually disappeared from the face of the earth and everything on earth now was terrible. Far to the side where my family had gone to church I could see that the seemingly falling lighting stars were much more concentrated there than on the other areas surrounding the football playground and other areas which were scarcely populated.

It was after about four hours without a drop of rain hitting the ground yet and people became more

fearful desperate. Some started to brave out and left the hiding places and started moving out to look for their loved ones or family members who were not with them when the signs of danger started. So, when I arrived at my house gate down there near the street from the veranda of my house, I could see a number of people moving to different directions. Some were running and others were walking briskly indicating something was wrong.

What was in these people's minds? Had the looming tragedy shown signs of receding? No; not at all. The signs of danger were getting more threatening but when the warning signs took longer than what most people expected before the calamity itself people tended to have a resilient characteristic that pushed them to forge ahead with a kind of normal life until they were caught in action midway.

Since the lighting and strong winds appeared not to directly immediately hurt them all at once, although everyone had taken shelter in the first place, the urge to see the family and other loved ones and being at their normal places where they felt at home made some people to move out of shelters before the promising horror even started or ended. By this time the sun had either disappeared or it had set

because heavy darkness had covered the whole earth.

So, when I saw some people moving in the streets I went out of the gate and went the direction of the church where my wife and children had gone.

There was no need to talk to anyone now about what was happening because many of those who had moved out of the shelters had no time to spare and talk to anyone as they were too fast in speed and too busy in their minds. So, I continued straight to the church also walking at a very high speed.

Like what I said before, the sun had either sunk or it was no more. So, what was now lighting the earth at this moment was the light from beams of flashing shooting stars from the sky. Since the falling stars were not evenly spread on all parts of the earth and being concentrated on some areas and in some areas less concentration, this kind of light on earth which was not warm sun was a great sign that it was really a moment of countdown time.

Scenes at the wedding ceremony

The joy at the wedding ceremony had been cut short. Some small tents that had been erected

around the bigger tent had been destroyed by strong winds which had initiated this mystery.

By this time all the people squeezed themselves in this one big tent for safety. But when it was about four to five hours of the tribulations and when people noticed that no harm had yet fallen on anyone except the destruction of some small resting tents, some people started moving out of the big wedding tent and moved out to their homes.

Those who quickly moved out had either left one or some of their family member somewhere or at home. The scene at the wedding place was heart rending. The sound machines like the amplifier and video machines had been abandoned. There in the corner of the tent was a heap of cables and electric equipment used for the wedding ceremony that had been abandoned.

Now everything has turned sour and threatening death. What had started as a good mark of a sweet and beautiful day immediately turned to be horrifying and death threatening? Now everyone who was in the tent opened their eyes wide open and looking out to see what was going to be the end of all these things.

We all know that there are people who strongly fear lightning and thunderstorm to the extent that they cannot have joy until such rains and thunderstorms are over. This day was really much more terrible to these people. This day was a different one, rains are not falling but great thunder and lightning was the order of the moment. Here and there a man, a woman or a couple of people were seen moving helplessly to different directions in and around some public shelters such as shop verandas and school building. People already smelled danger and had already conceded that they were going to perish.

Woman's Prayer

“God of heaven what has gone wrong with your power and mercies? Are you now not caring about your creation? We all know that without you we can perish. Lord God please this catastrophe that we are facing to stop. We are your children.” A certain woman who appeared to be holding a Bible in her hand cried out loudly amidst people who were hiding in a classroom block. Another woman joined her in the prayer, “Hear us oh God, we know that you are the God of mercy so we ask you to remember us your people”.

Suddenly everyone in the classroom block started crying and calling unto God. They were all desperate and fearful.

In nearby public liquor center music had been stopped and you could see no one dancing. Even those usual drunkards stared out of the pub in the open darkness with shock. They were quite sure that something unusual was taking place.

What used to be a hub of joyful music, songs, dance and laughter on this moment and day looked as if it had been turned into a hospital ICU ward where people had visited their sick loved ones and know that chances are slim for life. Everyone there just looked and frequently took long breathes as they all got out of plans and ideas and the language there was "...hey, this is hard times, we have run out of ideas now. I don't know what to do now. What then shall we do?" "...let us trust God, He is able to tell us what is going on and to save us."

In such a time as this people clearly reveal their limited ability to stop sickness and death. It is a moment that tends to draw the minds of many people to the awareness that there is only one who is able to deal with heart rending matters that are beyond humanity's capability, God. So, quite many

who happen to be wise call unto the one who can be able to stop or cure the situation at hand, God.

Such a moment is a moment of hopelessness and truth for self-belittlement in as far as power is concerned.

At around the normal time for sunset my phone rang and I pick it from my pocket and noticed it was Samuel Tyson in Harare phoning. "Hello Samuel. Why phoning during this bad moment. We are dying here." I said as I was walking along the street that was marked with scattered people running and others walking speedily fast and yet others really stood upright and gazing into the fiery lightning shone space of dark clouds with despair.

By this time a lot of people could no longer continue to contain their fear and their emotional hopelessness so they started calling and crying out for help into the empty dark and lightning lit open space.

Everyone was sensing death. There was no more hope for another day of life. By now all of us were now aware that the sun was no more to be seen. It had disappeared about four hours ago when it was around fifteen hours (1500hrs) in the day.

This miraculous event that was taking place in our face was the waste thing everyone could expect. Although a soft voice which I believe had come from the Lord had spoken to me about three hours previously and strengthening me, I was not even very strong enough to take this as normal event of the day.

On the phone call I told Samuel that we were dying and he was not even surprise or neither did he ask to know what the problem was. Instead he cut me short and said “Therefore the whole world is affected and people here are running around and everywhere there is chaos and people are crying for help.” We did not continue talking because there was not time and power to continue talking.

Talking what when everyone’s mind was now overburdened by the thought and fear of the unknown monster facing all humanity and whole creation. I say the whole creation because by the time that the sun was no more showing light, birds had stopped their jovial singing and whistling and when darkness intensified and lighting and great thunder continued striking on the earth dogs surprisingly fell into a form of barking chorus as they barked together in unison in a kind of a tune as if to register their fear of uncertainty.

In the cattle pans and kraals from a nearby farm, cattle mooed continuously in a heart-breaking fashion in the same way that they show their grief when they get at a place and smell the blood where one of them was slaughtered. It was all quite terrible for everything,

Back in the homes cocks and hens had already been making their alert noises as they hoped that their masters might come to their attention long back by the time that the continuous thunder and lightning started. However, it was not at this time around that they could see any one approaching them for helping them. Their masters were equally facing a tremendous predicament that was never met before.

The whole fauna and flora of this moment including humanity were presumably facing the last moment of their exhibition on mother earth. Mother earth was probably being shaken and now experiencing a historical turning point with deep, hurting and far reaching consequences that shook the whole of creation. No one could tell what this whole trouble was pointing to and what the outcome was supposed to be. All the creatures cried and feared at the sight of this tribulation as they wondered what could be the end of all these things.

By the way as I said previously, I had braved out to walk to the church where my family had gone for worshiping and yet the fierce thunders and lightning did not stop but surprisingly no drop of rain had yet hit the ground.

Since it had not started raining many people braved out of shelters to go to their homes and meet their family and so I did as well. And on my way, I was overwhelmed by deep meditations about what was happening and what the end was going to be.

In my area we traditionally know that usually heavy rains accompanied by lightning and thunderstorm do not exceed three to four consecutive hours without breaking intervals. What really tore our hearts is the strange lightning that now became the lighting phenomena accompanied by strong thunder bolts but no rains falling down. This was so strange in our tradition. The sun had disappeared about five to six hours now yet thunder and lightning continued but no rain. Up to this time I had not witnessed any destruction caused by lightning but I had seen several shelters and roofs destroyed by the wind.

As a resilience building skill whilst on my way to the church and amid this terrific situation, I summoned

to mind what the soft voice had said in my ears. I started to think about the Bible promises of life for those who believed in Jesus. Being an evangelist myself I started to fight the initial doubting that was in me denying that the end had arrived as a whispering voice had told me.

Now the more I meditated about the Bible promises the more power and focus would return to me. So, I said to myself let me get to my family in the church and start singing joyful songs unto the Lord together as we wait for the great moment.

Suddenly a thunderous and sharp voice rang across the whole sky opening the whole heaven so that in the sight of my eyes it looked as if the earth had ceased to be separated from heaven. In other words, everything appeared to be in the same spiritual realm and as the strong voice thundered it brought with it great and a kind of powerful day light that was brighter than even ten times the light of the sun on a clear afternoon.

When the voice thundered I fell down on my face due to fear and trembling. Again, that same soft voice whispered to me saying "Rise up and be strong, and be hold the Lord "Suddenly power returned in me and when I rose up from the ground

and looked around and into the distance I could see no one moving, instead every figure of a person that I saw was fallen down and stretching flat on the ground. I could clearly see that I was the only individual standing by the side of the tarred street that led to the church where I was going to unite with my family.

Meanwhile the lightning and thunderstorm as well as strong winds ceased just when the thunderous voice amidst the brightest light ever had started. Let me explain what the light looked like.

The light had no particular source of illumination. You could not see where it was coming from as the sun does, so there were no shadows. It was just everywhere and it appeared to have a smooth sweet feel on me may be as the smooth feeling of fresh cooling breeze softly blowing from a wetland valley during a hot and sweaty day. I really liked the presence of this light. As I marveled about this new type of lighting and trying to figure out in my mind what the meaning of all this could be, the usual soft voice returned and whispered to me saying “You marvel about this light? This is His glory, remember it is written in the book of Revelation that when we are gone with Him we will not need the natural sun you know but His glory will be our light. So, do not

waste time lets behold Him He has come for His faithful servants who kept His commandments”

As soon as the soft whispering voice stopped the Great thunderous voice rang sharply and tremendously across all space and everywhere so that everyone whether hiding under a shelter or in a beer house or a mine heard the voice. “It’s now harvest time. I will move my sickle through all the earth to yield the fruits of the earth. I am He Who was and He Who is, I am the Alpha and Omega”

As soon as He finished speaking those arrows of lights or UFOs which appeared like shooting stars which I had seen before started to fall as they had been doing previously but the great gloriously light was still shining and it gave the same light even under shelter and in houses.

I tried to continue with my journey to the church where my family had gone and this time tried to walk fast. My thought was that everything should happen when I was together with my family. Suddenly as I started moving fast a bright dazzling object stood in front of me as if to block me from going further ahead.

Chapter Thirteen

Eleventh Hour Call

In the first segment I gave an account of the beginning of sorrows when the worldly environment unexpectedly turned vicious after what I saw which appeared like a bright glowing star that crossed the sky from the East to the West then it appeared again shooting from the North to the South. Instantly after that shining lighting miracle which was only seen by me in my vision, slowly the atmospheric environment became unusual with heavy black clouds coupled with marauding winds suddenly covering the whole earth. As the day progressed the sun was no longer available and darkness was covering the whole earth. Instead, the frequent lighting was from shining objects appearing to be comets or shooting stars that moved above or appear to fall to the earth with great thunder but no drop of rain fell to earth.

I had seen the vision of the strong bright star moving from the South to the North and from the East to the West in the morning of that Sunday

while I was at my home in the garden preparing my seedbed.

So as the real events progressed and signs of the looming horror intensified with the sun no longer giving its light the miracle sight of the shining bright star moving across the heaven would always come to my mind. This coupled with the soft whispering voice that often came to me, and together with my faith in the Bible Scriptures, made me realize and believe that the fullness of time was at hand and that this could be the signs of the end of all these things.

Meanwhile as the events continued intensifying with no signs of an immediate end everyone trembled and wondered as to what could be the meaning and end of all this strange experience.

I had braved enough to move out of my house into the midst of the terrifying mystery as I could not live in the house alone under shelter when I did not know what had become of my wife and children who had gone to church. So I was going in the direction of the church walking along a tarred road but there were a few people moving on the road as some took shelter in groups or crowds under

verandas or in buildings fearfully waiting for the terrific and unknown end.

A thunderous voice rang across the atmosphere as I stood in awe failing to make head or tail of the whole situation. I stood trembling as my way appeared to be blocked by the dazzling light ahead of my way toward the direction where I wanted to go; to the church where my family had gone for worshipping. The light was from a dazzling image that was like a man. I gathered up my sense and realized it should be an angel that had come for a purpose from the Lord and so I stood for a while and this time I did not fall down on my face. I believe the Lord gave me strength. "Behold the Lord. He comes with thunder and lightning." The voice of the angel rang into my ears.

Suddenly as I remained tongue tied and in fear I heard the sound of drum beats. The sound appeared to be coming from afar so that the sound started so faint and increasing gradually depicting the insignia of a host of approaching drummers. At first, I gazed up into the sky, into the distance, around myself and everywhere but did not see anything. When the sound was getting higher and appearing to be so close I heard the sound of trumpets blowing in tune with the drummers. As I fought with my thought and

trying to figure out the sources of the drums and trumpets a large white horse appeared in heaven running very fast with a rider on it. The one riding the horse was not easily identifiable as His face and eyes appeared to be as if lighting in great flames of fire but He wielded a fierce and shining sword in His right hand and in His left hand He held a lengthy rod of bronze which appeared to be pointing the direction of the horse and His sandals were of shining gold. He resembled a great and mighty man of war.

Immediately I was taken aback in surprise when I saw that the large white horse and the one on it followed the same path that the first miracle of the great light took. The horse flew to the West from the East and after a short while it appeared from the North and flew fast to the South. In utter amazement I realized that this was an emphasis of great meaning for the moments that the whole of creation was entering into.

Now as the horse and the one on it disappeared into the South a large battalion of white horses with riders on their backs which were not as big as the first one appeared in heaven. They started to scatter across the whole heavenly blanket as if they were taking strategic positions.

For a moment I looked in awe at what was taking place in heaven until a voice said to me, “Why are you marveling at this, instead be of good strength and preach out now to your brethren who are going to miss the Lord. Tell them to repent at this eleventh hour and believe in Jesus. Whoever believes can be saved even at this last hour.”

Immediately I withdrew my attention from the heaven and looked into the distance towards my direction to the church where my family had gone for worshipping.

On one side of the road just opposite Mupandawana High School turn off a group of people stood crowded in the shop veranda whilst some were inside the shop. I started walking towards the people in the veranda. Meanwhile the strong winds, lightning and thunder had started after a short break when the Lord appeared. The sun was still no more. The only illumination came from lightning thunders and in some shops and buildings lamps and torches were light because the harsh winds had caused breaking of electricity cables in some areas.

The heavenly miracles that were taking place and the movements of horses in heaven were not yet

visible to all these other people. I was the only one seeing them and maybe with a few other servants of the Lord who were graced to see them.

I was a preacher for over fifteen years so when the word told me to go and preach on this last hour I was not much burdened by that, in fact I only thought that if God could allow more two or three days before the end then quite many who may have refused to accept Jesus would repent and accept Him at that moment.

The eleventh-hour call

“Good evening ladies and gentlemen” I greeted everyone as I got to the crowd in the veranda of some shop. Meanwhile I had no more fear in me. In fact my heart was now being pained at the thought of the suffering of those who would be left behind in the dying world when Jesus took His followers.

Nobody responded to my greeting except a woman who used to see me preaching in the open at a nearby fresh fruit market place. She said, “Man of God what’s going on? Is this some change of weather or some catastrophe? Or is it the end times which you used to preach about?”

“It’s the end of times that I used to preach about”. I replied. Get ready to welcome the King of Kings as He comes by the clouds.

“Are you mad? Who are you to say that this is the end times? What power do you have to tell us that this is the end of times? Do you know what the end is? Let me tell you, there is no end of times. The end comes when you die. This is just change of weather caused by shifting climatic conditions coupled by the greenhouse effect that causes such climatic changes and resulting into unexpected changes in weather like this?” A certain man said as he thoughtfully looked in to the rolling dark clouds roaring with thunder.

When people heard me speaking with confidence that this tribulation was the beginning sign of the end times, many of them gazed at me anxiously. Some of the people in and outside that shop knew me so I heard this man who was the shop attendant saying “This is surely a sign of death. Since time immemorial the sun has ever shined and never stopped giving light like this. There is never an eclipse like this. Surely there is a great meaning to this.” He continued, “Man of God, can God kill people just this way” He said in shivers as he

pushed himself through the tumultuous crowd to come closer to me.

“Even at this last moment anyone who calls unto the name of the living God will be saved and not die”. I said loudly.

“Do you know the living God how can I call upon His name when I don’t know Him and He does not know me too? Why is He doing this?” The man said.

I called again in a loud voice “People of my home town! The Lord is giving this little and last chance to those who fear and love Him to repent now and call unto His name and get saved. If you are here and you want to be saved please call unto the living Lord whose name is Jesus. Believe in His saving mercies that were shown when he was crucified on the cross for your sins and mine too, yet on Him no blemish was ever found. He is able to save you right now”

Suddenly I heard many voices yelling “Jesus I love you, forgive me for my sins and save me. “Others were calling,” Save my life Lord Jesus. I am a sinner! I am a sinner! Allow me to hide in your mercies Son of the Living God.”

About half of the people who were in the shop began crying and calling unto Jesus and suddenly we all broke into a worship song “..Bless me now my Savior I come to thee”. A worship song by Siphon Makabane of South Africa”

I quickly realized that these ones who had joined in the worship had received the grace of God and found His lasting favor. Meanwhile those in praising and worshipping were no longer in fear of what was happening.

I decided to move out of this shop to another place where people gathered in terror but to my glorious amazement the people who were singing worship songs with me followed me and we were now a group moving together and singing to the Lord.

When we approached a particular shop where a large crowd gathered and crying in terror the people in my group started calling their friends “Come to Jesus and be saved. My brother, my sister, mother and father come to Jesus and be saved right now. His mercies are exceedingly great. Come! Come! Let’s worship Him who made all things.”

Surprisingly about half of the people in the shop joined us and we started singing praise and worship songs together.

And so, it was no longer my duty to call people to repent and get saved at this last hour, but I actually noticed that our group was growing and the voices of our praise and worship songs reached afar. We became a very large group of people of God and even when the group miraculously continued to grow we continued singing and the power of God gave every one of us strength despite the terrific situation covering the whole world. Whilst some people left their homes and other hiding in places came to join the great gathering that had just started a few hours previously and worshipping God, some people remained in disbelief and adamant to join the rising church that had just started miraculously.

The rapture

Amidst the crying and singing voices of the people around me and also my voice, a strong voice rang on top of all the voices in my ears. "It's now my time. The yield is ripe and I hold my sickle in my hand. The scriptures are hereby fulfilled. Behold I do a new thing". Suddenly I found myself looking to the direction of the church where my wife and children had gone for worshipping.

Behold something strange just above the ground caught my eyes. The same voice returned “Son, behold your faithful family”. They were my children and my wife who first came into my sight in the air and then many others followed them. A fresh great lightning tore apart the heavens from East to the West and again from the North to the South and immediately those white horses which had previously appeared started flying in the air towards the earth in all directions. The horse riders held large shining and sharp two-edged swords in their right hands and slightly raised the swords as if preparing to attack. They held rods of glittering bronze together with martingale ropes in their left hands as they rode on the horses in a fashion depicting a war zone.

Suddenly a group of the people who were around me broke into singing a new song of praise and I heard one sweet voice of a woman saying “We will sing a new song unto the Lord.” As the sweet sound of the song started piercing into my spirit I looked around and saw people raising their hand in the worship song. Some started saying Lord you are awesome! Lord you are awesome! We love you Lord! We love Lord!”

The miracle then took place. I heard a great soft but thundering voice as the sound of many rattling waters on a multitude of falls saying “Behold I have come to take my church, those who loved me and followed my commandments and this day the scriptures are fulfilled. I am Jesus Christ. I was there, I am there and I will be there forever and ever.” At this moment all the people in the group were looking up to heaven and their hands raised as they sweetly sang in the glory of the Lord. Then instantly I saw everyone miraculously lifted up from the earth and flying into space unopposed by earth’s gravity.

In this awesome miracle I began to see people from all walks of life and from all corners of the world raised from the earth and walking joyfully in space in the shining glory of the Lord Jesus Christ. It was a sweet taste to those who made it to the spiritual glory and were lifted up to be with Jesus.

On a sad note tears ran down my cheeks as I watched those who were on earth and who were not able to make it crying hopelessly as they called on for help to be lifted up but the grace and glory of God did not cover them. They cried “Jesus, we are perishing! Help us! Help us Jesus we are perishing!” Then a voice thundered such as the

sound of a ferry thunderstorm saying “I do not know you, go therefore to where you were doing your evil works. I gave everyone time to repent and believe in the only Son of God who is righteous and though without sin He died on the cross for you all so that anyone who believed in Him would not be judged for He will stand in their feet for righteousness and they will be saved but you did not listen to that call.” “You belong to your father of evil doing, the old serpent called the Devil and Satan.” “Therefore, you will not enter into my glory.”

Ladies and gentlemen, things were not good for those who were left on earth. Remember the sun was no longer giving any light and meanwhile storming winds coupled with thunder and the lighting shooting stars was the order of the moment. The people who were left behind could not believe what they were seeing, being left behind into a collapsing and dying earth. What was going to be the fate of their end and their lives? The earth had fallen and the Lord had taken his people to a new place where there was no more cry or death.

He had taken and gone with them so that where ever He is they will also be there. They will enjoy His glory. They will inherit the new earth.

God is a God of creation He enjoys creating so He says “I have good plans for you. Not plans for hurting you but behold I am doing a new thing and all things are become new and the old things are gone.”

Have you ever had time to think about the meaning and end of all these things? Have you ever thought of who you are and where you belong in the end? What does your mind tell you about all these things? Be wise and choose who you are wisely. There is an element of life and death so make your choices with awareness and care. You determine your own end time destiny.

The following last and short segment is worth taking care of. Read it mindfully and gain life pointers.

Chapter Fourteen

Take Home Pointers

I noticed that in the beginning of the events in this story the day was well for everyone and each one woke up with a good plan about how to spend such a nice day. So, people had prepared to live the day in jovial moods doing different life enhancing activities. Nobody ever thought that the day would end up in a sorrowful state for everyone and everyone calling for help not from another person, but from the Almighty Father. But is everyone always fit to call to Him. I suggest a no to that. My perception is that if a kid is dirty in mud and comes crying to dad or mom they may demand that the kid be cleansed first before they engage into embracing Him, especially if the dirt is a result of mischievous attitude. Take care of your body and behavior so you can please God before you call to Him. If you never bothered to know and please Him before and you only suddenly start to call unto Him for help its more unlikely that God will listen to your call. You need to correct your relationship with Him first so He can treat you like His obedient child.

Take note that life can end any moment so be always prepared for your destiny. There is no other way out except that one day your spirit will answer back to its maker, God.

No person is greater than the other

When we have everything, we need and in good health often times we tend to be more elevated into believing in self-worth and if we are not careful pride can destroy us. This is because we start to think as if we are more special or favored than others and yet it is false. The truth only comes when we face turf situations like the one in the story. In the story even, the centurion and other earthly masters of authority and wealth were at the same level of power with those whom they used to think were little and inferior. They were all equally crying for help.

Only God is greater than anything and anyone and no other human being is greater or more special than the other. Everyone is just like a little baby against forces of nature and in God hands.

These are important life lesson that must be hidden in everyone's heart for wisdom.

One day life will end on earth

When we are aware that one day our life will end on earth it helps us to always make good of the time that we live on earth so that we leave good life trace marks behind us. Such awareness helps us to play life games safely and carefully. Such awareness also motivates us to want to know more about the end times and the meaning and end of all these things.

The only operational manual for life and spiritual intelligence is the Holy Bible. The Bible is the word of God that He spoke through to His chosen servants, Prophets, and to us so that humanity knows the truth about life and the plans and purpose of God with His creation especially humanity. God has great power and a purpose for His creation.

Humanity must appraise its philosophical conception to believe and know God

Humanity is a unique creature gifted with power and ability to do what any other organisms or animals are never able to do. For example, humanity was given power to reason and as such is a tool making animal that can make tools such as homes, cars, tractors, radios and many more and this gift was purposefully given to humanity so that

people can enhance their lives. Certainly, this gift can only be given by one who is a father to his children out of real love.

This awareness is critical as it draws us to loving God and knowing him as our real loving Father. We must not fail this awareness because we were given a mind with rationale, knowledge and intelligence.

Humans must seek and understand their spiritual origin

Because of humanity's philosophical conception there must therefore be a big difference between humanity from the rest of other animals and creation. The Father and child aspect with God (Son ship) should help people to remember that for example; Tomas who was not there ten years ago and was born yesterday to start living and will pass on one day. The awareness that Tomas was made by some purposeful Spiritual power should fairly help humanity to believe in the Spiritual and all-powerful God who ultimately is our Father and must be worshiped and loved as a Father.

Such awareness is foundational as it leads to loving and following God's ways without doubting Him. It

leads to peaceful minds and life satisfaction. The Bible is just the right tool for such growth.

Stay prepared to meet the Creator.

In the story it became clear that the devastation and calamity was befalling on the whole earth and as such it was a sign of the end of the world. Certainly, such reality of the end of the world should no doubt seed awareness in every one that as everything ends, the next thing is to meet the Creator and as a matter of fact an increased awareness to care and prepare to meet the Him.

Finally, this **End Time Story** is intentionally a purposeful fiction that I created with the aim to increase this listed critical awareness in the reader. It is a true fact that one day the natural world will cease to be our occupation as we are called by the Almighty to inherit His other Kingdom. On that day we will first face judgment for what we were doing here on earth before we are given the opportunity to inherit His new-found place that He prepared for those who love Him. He will also reject those who rejected Him and did not love Him on earth.

You can imagine what it is like to be rejected by your only Father and all-powerful Creator.

So, if you had chosen to read this book because you love reading fiction books or because you just wanted to enjoy the content, I ask you really to check where you stand right now in terms of your relationship with God.

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