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Our Prophetic Journey unto A Decade of Preparation for the Times

Significant Words Before 2016:

- December 2009: Open Vision "Tell Them They Are Not Ready!"
 - The Lord was emphasizing that His people were not ready if He were to move, and that becoming ready would not be automatic, but would need effort and intentionality.
- **September 2012:** Internal audible voice of God "I am raising up a people of extravagant devotion to partner Me to do the extraordinary works in this unusual hour."
 - This referred to the kind of people that the Lord would raise up (people of one thing) and to the magnitude of the partnership (mighty works) that they will do with Him. It also gives the order of priority — He is first looking for a kind of people.
- **December 2015:** Prophetic dream "Storm is coming!"
 - God was warning us about the storm that was to come, and the need to "cement our feet" on the Rock of Christ, and from there, pull many out of the floodwaters.

2016

September

- "You are in a season of transition." A word given by a friend of our House of Prayer (HoP), Dwayne Roberts.
 - The Lord was beginning to speak to us about the transition He was going to bring.
- **10–25 Sept:** 7-Day Fast, during which God highlighted Isa. 43:18–19 "*Do not remember the former things, nor consider the things of old. Behold, I will do a new thing, now it shall spring forth; shall you not know it? I will even make a road in the wilderness and rivers in the desert."*
 - The Lord wanted us to pay attention and seek Him regarding this transition.

2017

- **24 March:** God highlighted the need to revisit, be familiar with and converse about the Prophetic History of the HoP movement.
- 23–24 December: Two weekends spent revisiting the Prophetic History of our HoP and of IHOP Kansas City's (IHOPKC).
 - On hindsight, we see that God was preparing us for the shakings and storms that would come. He wanted us to be familiar with His story and promises so that we would not be tossed about by every other narrative when the shakings and storms came.

2018

- 28 December 2017 18 January 2018: <u>22-Day "Until & Unless" Fast</u>
- **January:** We took Fridays in the month of January to share in greater depth on the Prophetic History of the HoP movement, and God's promises that were given to this generation.

February:

- o Isaiah 43:18–19 was one of the words for the season emphasized again
- Prophetic dream In the midst of the darkest night and most intense storm, the Holy Spirit came alongside us as a Person to run with us and empower us.
 - God emphasized knowing and getting acquainted with Holy Spirit as a Person in this dream, so that we can be strong and stabilised.
 - This led to a series of Friday teachings on Encountering the Person of the Holy Spirit.

August:

 Prophetic Dream — Young people in Asia praying with great authority, precision and insight that is based on the Word of God. They were not only able to push back darkness, but changed darkness into light. These young ones would arise from the place of waiting before God (Isa. 40:31) and standing before the counsel of God (Jer. 23:18).

Events/Shifts:

September:

- IHOPKC's Reset This confirmed God's word to us during our anniversary in September to "Shift, Align, Reset". The Lord was speaking, especially to the global HoP movement, to "reset" to Him as our one thing, and to His storyline.
- Convergence at IHOPKC (3 days) and "IHOP 2.0" The gathering of 1000
 Chinese church leaders that marked a shift of the HoP movement into a new era the HoP movement in Asia, and especially China.

2019 — SHIFT, ALIGN, RESET

God was preparing us for the shift and spoke about the 3 years of reset.

• 31 December 2018 – 14 January 2019: 15-Day Fast — Shift, Align, Reset

October – December:

- The Lord clearly prompted us to listen to the HoP movement's detailed Prophetic History as a whole community. In order to do that, we paused our Friday Teachings for 3 months to do so. This was unprecedented, but revealed His zeal for us to align to His storyline.
- 90-Day Hosea 10:12 Fast Together with re-visiting our Prophetic History, the Lord called us to break up the fallow ground of our hearts so that we could reset and align to His storyline.

2020 — NEW BEGINNING, NEW NORMAL, DIVINE UPGRADE

Jer. 6:16; Rev. 3:20 moment

• January/February:

- As a community, we studied and dialogued over the book <u>Placebo</u>, by Howard Pittman. Through it, the Lord highlighted His heart to deliver us from the Laodicean spirit of lukewarmness (Rev. 3:14-22) and from a mouth-professing faith to being heart-possessing believers.
- Friday Teaching: Started a series on <u>Return to the Fundamentals</u>; <u>Strengthen What Has Become Weak</u>. As Covid-19 was beginning to reach our shores, God emphasized the fundamentals of our faith.
 - On hindsight, as Covid-19 revealed the faultlines, lack and weaknesses in our lives, God was directing His people to "reset" to the very fundamentals of our faith, which have been neglected or "lost". It is these fundamentals that will give us strength.
- 1–12 April: 12-Day One Thing Fast
- **July/August:** The Lord highlighted Isaiah 19, Israel and the Middle East to us. As a community, we read and dialogued over a book by Tom Craig: <u>Living Fully for the Fulfillment of Isaiah 19</u> in order to grasp the Lord's heart and pray for His purposes.

Events/Shifts:

- Early 2020: Covid-19 hits Singapore
 - We were not entirely surprised by Covid-19 as we saw that this was one of the storms that God had forewarned us about in the prophetic dream from December 2015, "Storm is coming!".
 - God highlighted Jeremiah 6:16 and Revelation 3:20 as key passages in the midst of the shaking. He was emphasizing the need to <u>"Pause, Wait, and Lean In"</u> in order to hear Him in the midst of the shaking.
- Passover: Unprecedented online gathering among Arab, Egyptian and Messianic Believers
 - This brought the reality of the John-17 oneness to another level. It was orchestrated by the Lord as it would not have happened had Covid not stopped in-person physical gatherings. Due to its online nature, many more believers could be a part of this gathering.
- **September:** "The Send" Arrowhead Gathering postponed.
 - This would be significant when The Send gathering finally took place because the Lord was zealous for His own purposes, His own timeline, and the hearts of His people.

2021 — EMBRACE, ENGAGE, ENTER IN

Important words:

- As we leaned in to hear what the Lord wanted to say through the Covid-19 shaking, He
 gave some important words, exhortations and promises that brought clarity and
 understanding as to what He was doing and looking for from His people.
 - "Out of God's zeal, He is interrupting our lives (and ministries) business-as-usual to get our attention, in order to bring forth His instructions and injection (to strengthen us), so that we can enter into God's invitation to partner with Him in His grand storyline at the End of the Age."
 - "God is stirring up urgency for the necessity of cultivating sensitivity to the Holy Spirit."
 - "God is raising up the white horse, walking on the highway of holiness, living out the reality of the I-H-O-P (Intercession, Holiness, Extravagant Offering, Prophetic & Power) lifestyle, rooted in the first and great commandment."
 - o God will send an unprecedented breaking in of the Holy Spirit in this decade.
- Nov 2020 -- Jan 2021: <u>70-Day Hosea 10:12 Fast</u> "Indictment unto Invitation, Judgment unto Restoration"
 - Covid-19 was an indictment of His people of our dull hearts, our prayerlessness and our lack in the prophetic. In response to this, we did another Hos. 10:12 fast because at the same time, we sensed His call to deal with the condition of our hearts and lives so that we could enter into what He had for us.
 - He wanted us to: Embrace God's story with a burning heart; Engage God's heart with a responsive heart; Enter in with a tender heart.
- 1 March 9 Apr 2021: Jesus Fast (called by Lou Engle) / 40-Day Phil. 3:12 Fast —
 Laying Hold of God through Holy Conversation, Divine Dialogue and Sacred Assembly
 - Uncoincidentally, Chris Reed who was at IHOPKC on April 9th, the last day of this fast, shared that on November 20, 2019, he had a word that Prince Phillip (British Royal Family) would stand at death's door, and pass through. He received a riddle that said: "When the Prince will pass, it will be 4:18 at last."
 - This pointed to the entering into the fulfilment of the Luke 4:18 promise.
 - Luke 4:18 was a Scripture given to IHOPKC in the late 1980s through the death of Anna Cain (Paul Cain's mother). It is a promise that begins with the fullness of the "Spirit of the Sovereign Lord" (Isa. 11:2) upon His people, and includes walking in the compassion and power of Jesus for healing and deliverance.

March:

- God highlighted <u>10 crucial passages</u> to be normalised into holy conversations unto intercession among His people.
- God directed us to read this book by Asher Intrater and David Demian: <u>Passover Past, Present, Future</u>. He was highlighting to us the need to connect our Christian faith back to its Jewish roots.

- April May 2021: Yeshua Fast (called by Lou Engle)
 - God was shifting the Gentile Church's focus onto Israel and the Middle East through a spiritual giant in the faith, and at the same time emphasizing His zeal to set watchmen on the walls for Israel.
- 6 April: Prophetic Dream on Revelation 3:20
 - The Lord was emphasizing especially the need to listen and dialogue with Him through His Word at His table. This was key to becoming real, deep and authentic in Him, and from there, shining in the midst of darkness and giving light to many around us.
- May: We embarked on holy conversations on pertinent eschatological passages as a community — Matthew 24 & Daniel 11–12
- 23 November: Kay Chong was given a word from the Lord about a coming crisis in the next 3 months that would shock the world. (*Russia invaded Ukraine on 24 February 2022*.)
 - God emphasized the importance of paying attention to the things that He would reveal and speak in these 3 months (ie. 23 Nov – 24 Feb).
- **20 December:** Prophetic dream God corrected Kay Chong in this dream that it was not "Time for preparation", but "Preparation for the Times".
 - God emphasized that it was not just a season of preparation, but it was preparation specifically for the times to come (Isa. 42:23). We needed to grasp the nature and seriousness of what was ahead so that our preparation would commensurate with the coming intensity.
- 23 December: Prophetic dream "It's not 7:69am, it is 8:09am!"
- Dec 2021 & Jan 2022: Prophetic dreams Through a series of prophetic dreams, promptings and confirmation from others whom God had spoken similar things to, the Lord wanted to give His people a torch (God's glory and presence), sword (partnership in prayer based on God's Word and message), staff (authority) and book (God's storyline, narrative and promises).
 - We were prompted to read a book by Rick Joyner: The Torch and the Sword.

Events/Shifts:

- March: The vessel Ever Given was grounded in the Suez canal in Egypt, one of the
 world's most important waterways, for 6 days. This garnered the entire world's attention. It
 is as if God was making a statement in the secular/natural to what He was doing in the
 church/spiritual regarding Isa. 19 and Israel.
- 9 April: Prince Philip passes away
- 12 June: "The Send" Arrowhead Stadium gathering postponed again

• 31 December: ST Article: "2022 will be transition time as economy recovers; Budget will touch on GST: PM LEE". Again, the Lord was making a statement in the natural to confirm what He had been speaking to His people — that we are in high transition.

2022 — RESET IS OVER

2022 is the beginning of the setting of stage for the final 7 years of human history.

Important words:

- These were words the Lord spoke to us towards the end of 2021 to the beginning of 2022 (within the 3-month timeframe before the Russia-Ukraine crisis), and are part of the Word of the Lord 2022 series. However, we now realise that these words are more than just for 2022, but for this entire decade.
 - Historic Transitional Decade We have stepped into a decade of high transition.
 Mike Bickle himself commented that, "The world as we now know it will no longer exist at the end of this decade."
 - Preparation for the Times This decade is also a season of preparation for what is to come. There is a need to grow in intimacy with Jesus, character, strength, and learn how to wage warfare in the spiritual realm. (MorningStar Ministries also had a conference in January with this same focus.)
 - Isa. 42:23 Divine Summons The Lord is summoning His people to hear and listen to Him, especially His heart and plans for Israel. To those who are intentional to do this, He will bring into His counsel (Jer. 23:18) and give His strategies and assignments.
 - Sovereign Appointed Time It is God's sovereign appointed time for the coming to pass of His promises. The Send gathering was a key event (see below).
- 6 January: Open vision on Jeremiah 23:18
 - This open vision is the second instalment to the prophetic dream on April 6, 2021 —
 "The Revelation 3:20 Moment". This vision is about the King who is inviting us to
 come to the Council of the LORD that is convening in this hour. It is for the receiving
 of His divine strategy, blueprint, heavenly order and battle plan.
- 7 March -- 18 April 2022: <u>The Send/Communion Fast</u>
 - This was an important fast in this transitional decade for the:
 - Actualisation of the prophetic promises and the fullness of the Spirit's outpouring (Joel 2:28–30)
 - Zech. 3 & 4 grace and the fullness of the Spirit (Isa. 11 & 61)
 - Next generation to arise as the Daniel 11:32 people and Joel 2 Army
 - Intercession for Israel
 - 7 March also marked the HoP movement entering into its 40th year from the day that <u>Bob Jones first met Mike Bickle</u> (7 Mar, 1983), and kickstarted this current move of God.

- **July:** During our time of waiting on the Lord (at one of our closed-door meetings), we were given a picture of a battleship that was out of water.
 - When God invited Kay Chong to start a House of Prayer in Singapore, an image and impression of building a "Noah's ark" was given a refuge place for God's people.
 - Receiving this picture 20 years on, we understood it to signify a shift and transition to a new era in God's timeline and an escalation of spiritual warfare. Hence, we are not only invited to build a "Noah's ark", but to also build a battleship to fight and equip God's people for war.
- **September 2022**: We are entering into our 20th year as a House with the number "20" signifying perfection of completion.

Events:

- 7 March: Entering the 40th year of the HoP movement's beginnings
- 24 February: Russia invaded Ukraine
- 14 May: "The Send" at Arrowhead stadium finally happened
 - God used the past 2 years to orchestrate a "divine appointment" with His people that was according to His timeline and His redemptive plan for Israel.
 - "The Send" took place in the 40th year of promises that were given (especially in the period of May–Aug 1983) regarding an "appointed time" that God had, and in a place that God had appointed. In His zeal, He did not allow the gathering to take place in 2020 or 2021, but only at His Sovereign Appointed Time.
 - What preceded "The Send" was 5 days of prayer and worship ("Flood Week") on the old Harry S. Truman property in Grandview, Missouri, which included over 5,000 intercessors praying for Israel.
 - This was a downpayment of the fulfilment of a prophetic promise given to IHOPKC through Bob Jones 40 years ago: There would one day be 5000 intercessors on the Truman property praying 24/7 for Israel, in the spirit of the Tabernacle of David.
 - The promise also included multitudes in the rice paddies throughout Asia watching these singers on Truman's property via "unplugged TV sets" in their hands (smart phones) and on their wristwatches. (The prayer and event was broadcast live on YouTube.)
 - This was also a downpayment of the promise from Isa. 62:6–7, where God would set watchmen to contend and pray relentlessly for the fullness of Israel's destiny.
 - As if things couldn't get more precise than this, May 14, 1948 was the day that former
 U.S. President Harry S. Truman proclaimed the establishment of the state of Israel.
 - While God raised up Harry S. Truman to be a <u>political intercessor</u> for Israel, God was aligning this move to raise up a new generation of 100 million <u>prophetic intercessors</u> for Israel, all across the nations and especially in Asia.