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I Kings 1 & 2. In this narrative King David was in his last days, and had not declared a king to reign after him on his throne. His son Adonijah determined that it should be him because of the order of his birth, but God had determined something else. Solomon was to be King. Adonijah did everything in his power to make himself the king. That's right, everything in his power to become. Doesn't it remind you of this world that we are living in now. The enemy deceived man out of his rightful place on the earth many years ago, and has set up a false reign and kingdom on this earth. Yes, he has many followers, but the rightful owners have been

manifested due to the work of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords, Jesus Christ! Man has been restored back to his rightful place as a king on the earth, not because of something that we tried to make happen on our own, or a set up of our own, but because of the Word of the King. Who has set up his kingdom, and placed man in charge. Psalms 2:8 "I will give You the nations as Your inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth as Your possession." The enemy is still trying to usurp his false authority on anyone and everything that will allow him that place.

Recently we've seen the world economic system fail and be

in turmoil. There is now no better time for the Kingdom of God to rise to the occasion. The upset in the world is just a set up for us to show forth the true glory of our God. To go and tell of his goodness. To exercise the gifts that He has so graciously given us. To speak with authority to change the atmospheres around us. It's time to put the spirit of fear under our feet, and start operating in the flow of the Holy Spirit. Look to him to do things that we've never seen with our natural eyes before. Miracles, signs, wonders are about to happen in the midst of us in great and powerful ways. We must understand the times that we are in, and go for the glory! Allow God to be known!

Pastors Perspective: Seek ye 1st—Pastor Jotwyla Moore

Matthew 6:33 But **seek** (aim at and strive after) first of all His kingdom and His righteousness (His way of doing and being right), and then all these things taken together will be given you besides. AMPV

The bible is alive and timeless. Jesus Christ, who is the Word,

spoke words that are relevant well over 2,000 years later. He knew that we would take thought and be worried in 2008 about what we would eat, drink, and wear, so He gave us instructions and a promise, concerning what to do in times like these.

Matthew 7:7 tells us that if we seek Him, we will find Him.

That means there is a guarantee. We don't have to guess, or wonder if He will show up. He will be found, revealed to us in the middle of what we are going through. Isn't it wonderful that He still shows us in our midnights even though we can no longer see, if we just seek Him and his righteousness, He will show up on time!

Who are You Listening To? Part II

Minister Willie Edwards

The Voice of Your Reasoning – (Acts 28:1 Mark 2:6-8)

The Lord God has given us the ability to reason. That ability allows us to logically consider all options, situations, consequences, advantages and disadvantages. You can always tell when you are listening to the voice of reasoning because the voice of reasoning causes you to consider the things you see and hear in the natural. You will consciously think things through and then make a decision. If the answer of your mind contradicts the written word, or contradicts what God has said to you, then you should abandon your voice of reasoning. Also see Numbers 13:26-33

The Voice of Your Conscience – (Acts 24:16 Hebrews 10:22)

Your conscience is the place where we recognize the difference between what is right versus what is wrong. It is the place where you establish morals and values, or where we reject good morals and values. Your conscience will fall into one of four categories:

A good conscience, (I Timothy 1:5 Acts 24:16)

A weak conscience, (I Corinthians 8:7)

A seared conscience, (I Timothy 4:2)

A evil conscience, (Hebrews 10:22)

The voice of conscience is good to listen to as long as you have a good conscience, but when a person has a weak, seared or evil conscience, it would be unadvisable for them to follow the voice of their conscience.

The Voice of God – (I Samuel 3:1 John 10:1-5)

You know you are hearing the voice of God when you hear these sounds:

Instructions in righteousness, (II Tim 3:16 Proverbs 3:11)

Brings you to remembrance of the word of God, (John 14:26)

Guides you in truth, (John 16:13)

Comforts you, (John 14:16 Psalm 24:3)

Rebukes and reproves, (Titus 1:13 II Timothy 4:2)

Edifies you, (Ephesians 4:12)

Convicts you of sin, (Romans 6:1-23)

Cause you to triumph in life through Christ, (II Corinthians 2:14)

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MOTIVATIONAL THOUGHTS..... Be Confident

“Confidence is contagious. So is the lack of confidence.” **Vince Lombardi**

“With confidence, you can reach truly amazing heights; without confidence, even the simplest accomplishments are beyond your grasp.” **Jim Loehr**

Phil 1:6 Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ:

“Your attitude, almost always determines your altitude in life.” **Unknown**

The Man Who Thinks He Can

If you think you are beaten, you are. If you think you dare not, you don't. If you'd like to win, but think you can't, it's almost a cinch you won't.

If you think you'll lose, you've lost. For out in the world we find, that success begins

With a fellows will, It's all in his state of mind. If you think you're outclassed, you are. You have to think high to rise, you've got to be sure of yourself before you'll ever win that prize.

Life's battles don't always go, to the stronger or faster man. But sooner or later the man that wins, is the man that thinks he can. **Napoleon Hill**

How I See it– RLM Youth—Prayer by KJ

This month we did something different. We allowed a youth to write their own article. Listen to what a 10 year old has to say about Prayer.

I think prayer is a way to talk and listen to God., and to do what He tells you to do. I think prayer is a very, very, very good way to connect you and God. It's kind of like talking on the

phone, but your not. It's like talking n the phone because you know who it is, but you can't see Him unless He allows you to. When you pray to God it can be like talking to a very good friend to some people, but to some people it may be like just talking to an acquaintance. It depends on your relationship. To others it's like your on the

phone, and your phone doesn't get service. Sometimes God is silent. Usually this means that He already said something to you before that you ignored, or didn't do. You might want to get it done so you can talk to Him some more. Praying to God can also be like a 911 call. Always available when your or in trouble or need.

My God!



The safety of God.....

Job 5:11 So that He sets on high those who are lowly, and those who mourn He lifts to **safety**.

Psalm 4:8 In peace I will both lie down and sleep, for You, Lord, alone make me dwell in **safety**

Proverbs 18:10 The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the [consistently] righteous man [upright and in right standing with God] runs into it and is **safe**, high [above evil] and strong.

Proverbs 24:6 For by wise counsel you can wage your war, and in an abundance of counselors there is victory and **safety**.

Proverbs 28:18 He who walks uprightly shall be **safe**, but he who willfully goes in double and wrong ways shall fall in one

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leaders in prayer!



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Thank you for your prayers while we were on vacation. This has been a very busy year, and we needed the time of restoration and relaxation. We're back to work now!

Who are you listening to? Part II cont.

The Six Elements to Clearly Hearing God's Voice

Now that you know the five voices, and how they sound, there are seven elements that must be in place in your life if you are going to accurately discern which voice is speaking.

1. Study the word for yourself (II Timothy 2:15)

2. Meditate on the word (Joshua 1:8)
3. Spend time in prayer (Mark 1:35)
4. Spend time communing with the Holy Spirit (II Corinthians 13:14)
5. Rationally consider all options (Luke 14:28-30)
6. Seek counsel from wise counselors (Proverbs 11:14)

When we follow these instructions, we will come to the place where we quickly distinguish which voice is speaking to us!

