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After having broken a forty day fast back in June of 1994, I never once believed I would witness the year 2018. It will be twenty four years this coming June since I came off of that extended time of fasting. Following that fast, the Lord God of Abraham opened my mind and my heart to the Scriptures in a way I had never known before. For two consecutive years I walked under an anointing that was absolutely unbelievable. Everything I read in His word was a revelation. The Lord also began to correct doctrinal error within my life. Regretfully, I had been wrongly taught on numerous subjects. I was quick to obey and change my doctrinal positions which brought a large measure of consternation. You too have witnessed many evil things since 1994. I am totally amazed at how our nation has been able to survive the turmoil and the tempest in just the past twenty years alone.

Nevertheless, a new year has dawned and without a doubt it will be interesting to see what the Father allows and tolerates in 2018. In 1998 we all witnessed sexual perversion coupled with the blatant lies from the sitting president in the White House. At that time, Congress did impeach him but the democratically controlled Senate would not ratify his impeachment due to political correctness. Since that time, that congressionally impeached president's wife has been a U.S. Senator, has served as the Secretary of State, and has twice sought the presidency of these United States. Following his presidency on

9/11/2001 an event of untold horror took place with our newly elected President which said emphatically, "*he was a war president.*" Since that time America has seemingly been in a perpetual state of war, and right now the potential for World War III is just over the horizon. That purported war president was then followed by a Muslim who would take his seat in the White House. That president demonstrated some of the most wicked and deceptive leadership ever perpetrated upon our nation. Who would have ever believed that a sitting U. S. president would cut a nuclear deal with Iran: Israel's ultimate nemeses? In this last presidential election many U. S. citizens became fed up with that type of wicked leadership and therefore elected a businessman rather than a politician. The deep seated powers that be are now seeking this president's demise. Since 1994 we have witnessed so many natural disasters it begs description, and I do not have the time to name or address all of them. However, I will mention just a few like the 9.1 earthquake that struck Fukushima, Japan in 2011, which created an unfathomable tsunami which brought forth untold destruction? It was also in 2011 that a catastrophic EF-5 tornado struck Joplin, Missouri. That tornado eviscerated the entire city; nothing was left. Just last year alone America was smitten with two devastating hurricanes, one named Harvey and the other Irma. On a regular basis North Korea is now test-firing missiles while seeking nuclear capabilities to

taunt its neighbors and America. All the while psychotic and demon possessed people are fomenting bloody massacres by shooting scores of innocent people while attending work or other social events. I believe some of the shootings were real and others such as the 2012 school shooting at Sandy Hook were false. We are constantly witnessing a time of untold deception from every aspect of life. Today it is very difficult to tell whether someone is telling you the truth or a lie. The media has become so corrupt it is impossible for the American people to hear the truth about anything. Hollywood actors, directors, and producers are having their sexual escapades along with our U. S. Congressmen and Senators. I am amazed at how politicians seem to be so smart and have such vast knowledge: yet when they are indicted, exposed, or unmasked by private citizens, they can never remember if they might have inappropriately and sexually assaulted or groped a woman. They talk like statisticians when trying to make political points, but suddenly their minds go blank when they are about to be indicted on some criminality such as Benghazi or the Uranium One deal. All the while incomprehensible sin and wickedness like a tidal wave is running rampant throughout the streets of America. In the midst of all this debasement the stock market is setting new records while false prophets and ministers continue to be purveyors of the prosperity gospel. The false prophets seem to be riding the wave of the

stock market's climb. Every year now someone is setting a new date for the return of Christ and they have all been terribly wrong! When will Christians quit listening to these liars? It is a sad day for Christianity when so called Christians have become so gullible and accepting of these false teachers with their date setting. Without a doubt, the blind are leading the blind and they will all fall into a ditch and be utterly damned. The Evangelical Lutheran Church synod declared just the other day the only way to stop the loss of membership and tithing was to quit preaching the gospel! They are totally disregarding Christ's commandment to go into all the world and preach the gospel! God the Father, in Jesus name, shut down these corrupt dominations, now please! Why bother to even go to church? The Church of Sweden just voted to stop using 'He' or 'The Lord' to refer to God. The church says it wants to be more gender inclusive. Transgenderism is hell bound. Whatever happened to sound doctrine? The unmistakable harlot, feminine, false church is now running rampant throughout the world. The church is the body of our Lord Jesus Christ, therefore the church will remain masculine and not feminine. Let us take a close look at the sum total of the number 2018. When we add 2018 together we come up with the number eleven. Throughout the Scriptures the number eleven is associated with judgment and disorder. Eleven is one more than ten. The number ten represents law and responsibility. Therefore a broken law or failing to be responsible for one's actions always brings judgment and disorder upon the land or upon the disobedient. There were ten plagues concerning Egypt's judgment and the eleventh would have been the overthrow of the Egyptian soldiers while they were attempting to cross the Red Sea. It is noteworthy to mention that in the last plague Israel's firstborn was spared because the blood of the Passover Lamb had been applied to their doorpost and lintels. It will still

take the blood of Jesus Christ for you to overcome and endure until the end. What is so terribly disturbing is that every so-called minister, church denomination, and church organization has witnessed these horrific events in the last quarter century, but instead of preaching repentance and the blood of the Lamb they continue to be purveyors of nothing more than rhetorical jargon. Preaching the Word of God will never be out of date neither out of style, but political correctness has taken its toll. Because America has lost her convictions we are digressing more and more. I have come too far by faith to compromise my personal walk with Jehovah and in preaching His most holy Word. I owe it to my predecessors to be faithful in declaring the Word of God without watering it down or polluting its purity. Every day on Capitol Hill Politicians declare the word "compromise" to be a good word. Let us look at Miriam Webster's dictionary in defining the word compromise: *to settle a difference by mutual concession, to be exposed to suspicion, discredit, mischief, to make a shameful or dishonorable concession. "Being seen with him compromised my reputation."* If I did not know any better I would say the word compromise is probably not a good word. I am certain most of you reading this newsletter believes the Holy Scriptures are the absolute truth. *Therefore the more of God's Word that abides in you, the more truthful you become and the more truthful you live your daily life.* This is the exact opposite of the world because they deny the truth, the Holy Scriptures. At the close of the day the world and its politically correct leaders have denied Jesus Christ! Because they have denied the truth they will not be saved. The apostle Paul declared in **2nd Thessalonians.2:11-12,"And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness."** Because the world refuses to accept Jesus Christ as their Savior then they will

be damned because Jesus Christ is the personification of truth. Are you embracing truth and abiding in His Word? If not, I strongly encourage you to shake off the slumber and wipe the sleep away from your eyes that has encumbered your sight. The apostle Paul said there would be a great falling away, and regretfully we are in the midst of that great falling away. Knowing the number eleven represents disorder, it is my prayer that you will seek divine order within your own personal life. I sense a terrible unraveling coming to this nation in the not-too-distant future. As we began this New Year I challenge you to pray more, fast more, and bath your mind more with the Holy Scriptures. Only the wise virgins were ready to go into the marriage supper with Christ and then the door was eternally shut. I pray you are not trying to get ready but you are emphatically ready. Once the last trump sounds the door will be closed for all eternity. Thank you for the love and support you gave us in 2017. We are humbled by the many testimonies of the many listeners who are growing in grace and in His knowledge because we preach God's Word without compromise. I have no greater honor upon my life than having been called by the Lord to preach the Word of God uncompromisingly to this end time generation. By His grace I am committed to being faithful until the end. Thank you for your prayers, which we earnestly covet in this very uncertain hour. Until next month, keep passing the faith along.

Serving With You All,

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