

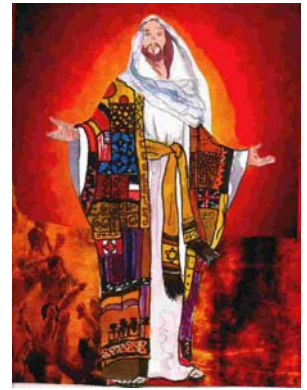
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## Newsletter for December 2003

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## Praise's of the Month



I guess the first praise of the month is that we at His Will Ministry have taken over the operations of Global Prayer Warriors. Besides Mary's 55 worldwide prayer lines for His Will Ministry we now have all the prayer warriors who are members of the Global Prayer Warriors Network. Please go to [www.globalprayerwarriors.org](http://www.globalprayerwarriors.org) and check out the sight. We are open to any suggestions on how we can improve things. We have added to global prayer warriors

links to the largest Christian news Service. I just want to personally thank our co/pastor Rev. G. A. Cloninger and our prayer team supervisor Mary for taking this project on. Global Prayer Warriors is also our Ministry partner of the month. If you surf the site you will notice a page for the online radio program. Now for the second praise of the month. We are setting the first week of January 2004 for launching our weekly radio program. The program will be found on [www.oneplace.com](http://www.oneplace.com) and [www.crosswalks.com](http://www.crosswalks.com). Each week we will have a different teaching you will be able to listen to 24hrs a day. We will also have links to other offerings and gifts from His Will Ministry. This program will have the potential to reach millions of people each week. The web server that will be hosting the program has 28 million page requests a month, they stream 45 million minutes of programs a month. Please keep this in your prayers as it will add additional responsibilities to our already heavy work load. Final praise to share is that again the newsletter is growing we made it to 12 pages this month. Only God knows where the new year will take us, but we will go there with Jesus. ☺☺☺☺

## Mary's Thoughts for the Month

Reading some of the recent world headlines this month makes me realize how close we are to seeing Jesus return. There have been unprecedented solar flares, a blood red moon, a plague of locusts and grasshoppers in Africa that are carrying a smell that has caused numerous deaths and hospitalizations. There are swarms of locusts overseas that are eating up massive amounts of crops; so much so that it is being reported that it will cause widespread famine. There are new and deadlier diseases reported daily, a new outbreak of the deadly and fearsome Ebola virus. There is the west Nile virus, the SARS virus, and the new hanta virus that is carried by rodents which is deadlier than the earlier form of the virus. There is a significant increase in earthquakes worldwide. In this country alone, there are many natural disasters occurring. Massachusetts has recently struck down the ban on gay marriages, and we are now about to market a new chewable form of contraceptive. I ask you, who needs a chewable form of contraceptive and who is it really being marketed to? We have seen an increase of anti-Christian tactics in this country just within the last month. Ten commandment displays are being removed from

all public places, across the world we are seeing an increase in the banning of all things Christian from Christmas. Many colleges have decided to do away with Christmas parties and celebrations as have numerous businesses, changing the term 'Christmas' to winter celebration. They will still allow the display of Santa Clause, elves, and Snowmen, but absolutely no nativity's or other religious displays. During this Christmas season think about how many more Christmas seasons will pass before celebrating 'Christmas' will be illegal. One thing we haven't seen, sadly enough is much protest about these changes. We are seeing the stage being set for the end of all things Christian in this country. When that day comes, will you take a stand for Jesus Christ? The time is very short brothers and sisters, when each one of us will have to decide whom we will serve. This world is groaning in birth pangs louder than ever before in history, and we are on the verge of our Bridegroom returning for His Bride, I pray that you will seriously consider what Jesus will find you doing when He returns. Will He find you working to bring souls into the Kingdom, or living for the moment? Today I want you to make a decision to begin living for eternity. This world is soon to pass away, what we do here will matter eternally. Choose to work and live for Jesus, choose to make a difference daily for the Kingdom of God, and that is where you will spend your eternity. Scott Adams the director of our ministry plays a song on his harmonica called Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus, and saints that is what we must do right now.

*Love in Christ Mary.*

## ***Pastor's Corner***

This week has been a hard one on me. I have spent the week in prayer and as I write this I am fasting. I received an e-mail this week from a person that said we were a ministry covered by a spirit of anger and criticism. Because we preached about giving God's way. I know that there will be many that do not like to hear the truth but it just took me aback. Mary and I both prayed and the Lord gave us the following scripture. 2 Timothy 4:2+ "preach the word; be ready in season *and* out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort, with great patience and instruction. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but *wanting* to have their ears tickled, they will accumulate for themselves teachers in accordance to their own desires, and will turn away their ears from the truth and will turn aside to myths. But you, be sober in all things, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry." I hope you know how much each and everyone of you mean to the staff at His Will Ministry. I have spent probably more time in prayer about the words we preach and the Spirit of this ministry than anything else. We were accused of using our teachings of God's word to "subtly manipulate" persons to donate to this ministry. For the record, I do not care where you give your tithes and offerings, so long as you do give and are lead by the Lord where to give. God is clear if we withhold our tithes and offerings there is a curse attached. When you give to His Will Ministry you can be assured that your gifts go to the Lord's work. Our books are always open to your review.

As a ministry we live by Jesus' words. In John 4:34 ***"My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me and to accomplish His work"*** That is what this ministry is about, doing the Father's work. What is the Father's work? Very simply preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ our Savior and teaching the Father's words. Paul said we are to be a peculiar people. In the world today can you spot a Christian just by walking down the streets of your town. Are we a peculiar people anymore?

Mary was so dismayed this year by the fact that the Christmas spirit is dying. Have you noticed how so many people have not put up their Christmas lights this year? At first we thought it was only in Pinedale, but then we were in Rock Springs. There were very few lights or Christmas Spirit. One of the ladies we know said that each year her family had a family tradition of driving around and looking at the lights. This year there would not be enough for a 5 minute drive. One young lady told us of her day after Thanksgiving experience at Wal-Mart. She was shopping and had not filled her cart yet. A little old lady walked up as she shopped and threw our friends purse out of the cart onto the ground and started to steal her cart.

Mary asked me why does it seem that Christmas is dying. I told her that Christmas has always represented a time of love, sharing and joy. It always represented a time where you could help someone or give without the person thinking you just wanted something in return. In other words Christmas was as the name implies at time the world could be Christ like even if they did not follow Jesus. I told her how can something that represents good survive the ever increasing tide of evil. Just like taking the Ten Commandments out of public places.

How can symbols of good survive the continuing tide of evil when we who represent good will not let our lights shine? Just a thought, if we as Christians will not let our lights shine forth into this country how long will we continue to have the right to worship openly? How long will it be before that symbol of good is pushed out? How long will it be before we become like the other symbols of good? No longer of any use to the world and therefore hated by the world. I had a normally happy person tell me today that they could not wait until Christmas was over. That they hated Christmas. Why? Because of all the people that were so mean and rude to them during this time of year.

*May you have the Merriest Christmas and a great and Blessed New Year*

*Love in Jesus Pastor Jay*



## *Down Home Advice from The desk of Reverend George*

Hi Everyone,

I had the sad task of attending a funeral of a lady this month. And I couldn't help but wonder if she was ready to meet her maker. I sure hope she was, but the truth is she is the only one who truly knew the answer. At this point it was too late for her to change her mind if she had needed to. You know there are a few things that everyone has in common. One is life as we know it, and certainly we all have had our ups and downs. Another is the after life, well here there is good news and bad news. The good news is everyone will live forever. The Bad news is everyone is not going to heaven. Have you ever thought about what is going to happen after your life here on earth is over?

Well the same thing will happen to all of us, what is this thing we have to look forward to. It is called Judgment. This is where each person has their life judged by **God**. And **Jesus Christ** will be our attorney. We will receive a fair and just trial, some will enter into heaven. The others, well the others will be doomed to live out the rest of their life's in **Hell**. Our trial won't be based on all

the good deeds that we have done while here on earth. Nor will it be based on the good intentions we have had. No our fate is only to be based on one thing and one thing only.

Which is whether or not we have accepted **Christ** as our personal savior. This and only this is the way into heaven, there is no other! You can't look, act, or even be good enough to get into heaven without accepting **Christ** as your personal savior. We won't be able to buy our way in, we have to depend solely upon **Christ** himself. For the Bible states in the book Romans 3:10 "**As it is written there is none righteous no not one:**" What this means to us is everyone has sinned. The Bible also says in the book of 1st John :9 "**If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.**"

Why is this important for us to know, because this is what Revelation 21:27 has to say. "**And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie: but they which are written in the lamb's book of life.**" This verse is speaking of what will not be allowed into heaven. This means any sin, all sin will not be allowed in to heaven. Here are just a few that are listed in the book of Revelation 21:8 "**But the fearful and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolators, and all lairs, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.**"

The choice is for each of us to make. No one else can make it for us and we can't make it for anyone else. All we can do is to tell people about **Christ**. If we don't witness for **Christ** who will? Well I can tell you a few places that they won't hear about **Jesus Christ**. Here is just a couple to think about, school, any government building, and about 99.9% of all work places. It would seem to me that for a country which had its values based on the Bible in the beginning. We certainly have turned our backs on God in this day and time.

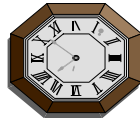
Where did we turn too? There was only one way to go and that was straight to the devil. Maybe I am being too judgmental. I will let you decide for yourself. We now have the school system flooding the children's minds with Harry Potter, who is a sorcerer. The armed forces has a Church of Satan, for all who wish to attend. Don't kid yourself if it wasn't being used there would be no place for it in the armed forces. As a matter of fact if you want to get a package through to someone overseas, all you have to do is mark bibles all over the box you send. Neither our side or their side will mess with a box marked like this. So do you think that I am still being judgmental try to start a bible study where you work, if you dare. If not a bible study just try for a daily public prayer before work. Let me know how you come out with either of the two.

Isn't it about time we stopped being snotty-nosed, weak-kneed Christians? And stop letting anyone including the United States Government tell us we can't serve the **Living God**. Or even not to be able to worship him when and where we please. Isn't that just what pharaoh tried to do to the children of Israel. Shouldn't we be able to see what is coming our way, living like this, at least they were slaves. We don't even have that excuse. No, our only excuse is we are simply not willing to take a stand for **God**. But yet we expect him to take care of all of our needs. Let's get real if we are not willing to live and or die for **God** we should expect no help from him. In fact we should gladly take whatever is thrown our way. If that is the case we should also be willing to take our part in the lake of fire with all the rest of the fearful and unbelieving people. Why, we aren't believing that **God** can or will deliver us from our troubles. And we are afraid of what might happen to us if we take a stand. We aren't even sure it will happen, we just think it might. Sure there are all kinds of reasons why we should not take that stand. But only one reason why we should take the stand for **Christ**. Just like the lady at the beginning, the choice is for each of us to make. The only difference is if your reading this, you can still make the decision to live for **Christ**. Unfortunately if she had not made it before leaving this world, she can't make it now.

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However, I consider my life worth nothing to me, if only I may finish the race and complete the task the Lord Jesus has given me-the task of testifying to the gospel of God's grace. Acts 20:24 New International Version

## ***This Months Bible Moment***



***With Pastor Jay***

### **HOLY FEAR OF THE LORD**

I shared this with the staff earlier this month. I thought I would I would share it will all our partners. Back in mid October I was lead to look by the Lord in Proverbs for all the scriptures about fear of the Lord and healing. So, as the normal human I wrote them down and then forgot and did not continue to research what the Lord was trying to say to me.

I was fasting on Monday the tenth of December. I was asked to share what the Lord was showing me by one of our staff. As I studied, I was lead to share these things with you. So here I go:

The verse I was lead to this morning was Proverbs ch. 3 verses 7 and 8. <sup>7</sup>Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil. <sup>8</sup>It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones. Now in many of the translations they say it shall be "health to your body". But the Lord was showing me that there is a much deeper meaning here. We forget that Solomon was the wisest man to ever live. So his thoughts are closer to the Lords than ours are. The Lord showed me that Solomon was talking both Spiritually and physically. When you go to the Hebrew words here and look at their roots it is obvious that Solomon was not just talking about the physical body. In verse eight he says that health is a benefit of fearing the Lord, but it is health to the navel. The Hebrew here means string or strand, or the umbilical cord. Now think about it, what purpose does the umbilical cord serve? When we are babies in the womb we are at the total mercy of the umbilical cord for our life. Twist it, break it, plug it we die. As adults, do we have an umbilical cord? Physically "NO", but we do have a Spiritual umbilical cord. It is our relationship to the Lord and how we perceive Him.

I can't say about your childhood but I had a healthy respect and fear of my dad. I did not fear him because I was afraid of him, I feared him because I loved him. When I was a teen I had taken my car in to have some tires fixed on it. When I left to test drive it they had not tightened the lug nuts and I got a mile away and the tire fell off. Well without lug nuts you can't put the tire back on. So I walked a mile back to the garage and by the time I got there I was very mad. It seems as a teen a mile does not decrease or calm our anger, but increases it. Well I got back to the garage and just wanted to rip someone. Dad was still there so I started on him. He informed me that



though I was 30 years younger than him and a foot taller than him he could still take me on. Needless to say because of my respect and fear of my dad I walked back to the car and waited for the help to arrive. All worked out well.

My point here is what kind of relationship do we have with our Father in Heaven. Solomon was trying to tell us that to have that Spiritual relationship with the Father we truly want, we must have a holy fear and a holiness toward the Lord God Almighty. I am ashamed of it, but in my young Christian life it was not uncommon for me to refer to the mighty Lord as the "big Kahuna". How irreverent can one get referring to the Almighty God of the universe as the "big Kahuna"? I have asked Him to forgive my lack of fear and reverence. Now back to the umbilical cord. For us as Christian leaders we must have that umbilical cord to the Heavenly supply. We can eat without our heavenly Father holding our hand, but we can't grow Spiritually without the constant feeding of that umbilical cord to heaven. The only way that cord can be constantly filling and feeding us is if we have the proper relationship with the Lord. When we are disrespectful to our Father in heaven we cut off the cord. When we do not live "TOTALLY" holy lives we cut, twist or otherwise bind the flow of God's Almighty Spirit into our lives. No fear, No Growth. No Holiness, No Spiritual feeding.

Now to the physical part of this promise. "[and the marrow to your bones](#)" The Hebrew here for marrow means "refreshing drink". In others word a renewing, a reviving of the bones. Those that know much about the body know that the bone marrow is the place all your red blood cells are manufactured. If the marrow stops working very shortly so will you. In other words no physical life. The Hebrew here for bone is "bone, body, numerous". But if we look at the root it means "many, strength, to make powerful." This is a direct reference to physical healing and strength. So if we fear the Lord and depart from evil we shall be Spiritually and Physically strong. This is a promise. It is in God's word and is true. You can take it to the bank. It is written and therefore it will be!

Now I want you to look up the follow scriptures that the Lord gave me in Proverbs about fearing Him.

- 1) Proverbs 1:7 beginning of knowledge
- 2) Proverbs 2:5 the way to find knowledge of God
- 3) Proverbs 3:5-8 healing and refreshment
- 4) Proverbs 4:20-22 life and healing
- 5) Proverbs 8:13&14 strength
- 6) Proverbs 9:10&11 long life and years
- 7) Proverbs 10:27 prolongs our days
- 8) Proverbs 14:26&27 life
- 9) Proverbs 15:16 better to have little with God and fear than riches
- 10) Proverbs 15:33 gives wisdom
- 11) Proverbs 16:6 causes us to depart from evil
- 12) Proverbs 19:23 life rest and protection from evil
- 13) Proverbs 22:4 riches honor and life
- 14) Proverbs 23:17 there are surely rewards
- 15) Proverbs 24:21 Protection

**[Lets make this our battle cry fear of the Almighty Lord and holiness.](#)**



# From the Directors Chair

## To You, Who Is Jesus?

To you who is Jesus? Many people say, "I don't know." I have heard many of my LDS friends say, "Savior". But notice they didn't say, "My Saviour." Who is Jesus to you? Some people say He was the Son of God. I had one man say that He didn't know but that He wasn't the Son of God. Later in

that conversation when I had a chance to tell him about Jesus he surrendered his heart to Jesus, because he found out the truth that Jesus is God in the flesh. If we aren't grounded in God's word it is very easy for us to believe things that sound true, but are actually false teaching. Is what we believe found in God's word? And is it in the right context? Acts 17:11 says they were more noble, in that they received the word, and searched the scriptures daily to make sure what they were believing was true.

If God were to ask you, "Why should I let you into my heaven?" What would you say? Probably my most common answer is, "I'm a pretty good person." We are supposed to be good people. We were created to do good works, but that isn't the reason God let's people into heaven. If we could do enough good works to get ourselves into heaven how many would we have to do? Or more importantly why would Jesus have to come and die?

**That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the LORD Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. (Romans 10:9,10)**

If you believe Jesus was raised from the dead you must first believe that He died for you. That belief requires action. It isn't belief until it changes you. Do you believe enough to, with your mouth ask Jesus to be Lord of your life. 2 Corinthians 5:15 says that we who are still alive in the body shouldn't live out this life for ourselves, but for Jesus.

**Behold I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come into him, and will sup with him, and he with me. (Revelation 3:20)**

Colossians 1:27 says that Christ in you is the hope of glory. It is the hope of heaven. We have no righteousness apart from Christ in any way shape or form. It is only as our Father in heaven sees Christ in us that he sees any righteousness at all.

Our belief has to be so strong that we invite Jesus to be Lord of our lives. Let us start surrendering our lives to Christ by turning away from sin and committing each step of our lives to Jesus. Pray for God's will to be done in your life. Jesus' life was completely surrendered to His Father. After He was baptized he went forty days without food. He was surrendered, committed, and fruitful because He gave up His will to do the Father's will.

Read the book of Colossians, chapters 1-3. The Apostle Paul explains much of this very plainly. His writings along with the other apostles, and the very life of Christ bear witness that it is the surrendered life that God wants.

Much of the whole world celebrates Christmas. Do we really celebrate the birth of our Savior? Is He your Savior? Is He Savior and Lord to you?

This is why we have to keep our eyes on Jesus! God Bless, Bro Scott

# TEACHING OF THE MONTH

## Why I believe in a Pre-Tribulation Rapture

By  
Mary Warner

I decided to write on this subject because of the growing confusion in the body of Christ about the pre-tribulation rapture. There are many varying views on the subject, and I am not discounting them. This teaching is meant only to explain my views on the subject. After seven years of study on prophecy, I do not consider myself by any means an expert in this area. It has been an area of special interest to both Jay and I over the years. We fellowship with believers from many different denominations, some of them believe in the pre-tribulation rapture, and some do not. Of those who believe in the Rapture of the Saints, there are those who believe it will happen mid-tribulation and post-tribulation. Other believers feel that there is only one event, the Second Coming of Christ. However, I am going to write this teaching on what I have learned personally through Bible study, and I believe that is where we should get all our prophetic information from.

Let me begin by stating that the word rapture cannot be found in the Bible, this does not mean the event itself cannot be found. Keep in mind that the word Trinity cannot be found in the Bible either, yet every evangelical Christian I know believes in the Trinity (which is a Triune God, Father, Son and Holy Ghost in one). I will start with scriptures that refer to the Rapture and scriptures that refer to the Second Coming, in an effort to show why I believe these are two separate events that will take place in the history of the world. I do not believe that either event will be 'secret' in the sense that the people of the earth will be unaware that they have happened. It is true that many people will be caught unaware at the time of the Rapture, but the event itself will not go unnoticed. Following are the scriptures that I believe denote the differences between the Rapture and the Second Coming of Christ.

<b>THE RAPTURE</b>	<b>THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST</b>
<b>Christ comes in the air (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)</b>	<b>Christ comes to the earth (Zechariah 14:4)</b>
<b>Christ comes for His saints (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)</b>	<b>Christ comes with His saints (1 Thessalonians 3:13, Jude 14)</b>
<b>Christ claims His Bride The Rapture</b>	<b>Christ comes with His Bride The Second Coming</b>
<b>Not in the Old Testament (1 Corinthians 15:51)</b>	<b>Predicted often in the Old Testament</b>



<b>No Signs It's imminent</b>	<b>Portended by Many signs</b>
<b>A time of blessing and comfort (1 Thessalonians 4:18)</b>	<b>Time of destruction and judgement (2 Thessalonians 2:8-12)</b>
<b>Involves believers only (John 14:1-3, 1 Corinthians 15:51-55, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18)</b>	<b>Involves Israel and the Gentile nations (Matthew 24:1-25: 46)</b>
<b>Will occur in the twinkling of an eye Only His own will see Him (1 Corinthians 15:51-55)</b>	<b>Will be visible to the entire earth (Matthew 24:27; Revelation 1:7)</b>
<b>Signals the beginning of the Tribulation</b>	<b>Signals the beginning of the Millenium</b>
<b>Christ comes as the bright morning star (Revelation 22:16)</b>	<b>Christ comes as the sun of righteousness (Malachi 4:2)</b>

The blessed hope of the Rapture is that Jesus will come and take us to be with Him—before the time that worldwide devastation is unleashed. And as we are told in scripture we should comfort each other with this thought, and what a comfort and a blessing it is!

I believe in the pre-tribulation rapture of the church Christ's bride because:

P—Place of the church in the book of Revelation

R—Removal of the restrainer (Holy Spirit)

E—Exception from divine wrath

T—Twenty-four elders

R—Rapture of the church vs. the Second Coming of Christ

I—Imminence

B—Blessed Hope

The timing of the Rapture is PRETRIB.

I also believe in the pre-tribulation rapture because of the other instances we have recorded in the Bible where God preserved His people from His wrath. For instance Noah and his family were spared the wrath of God during the flood, Lot and his family were spared the wrath of God during the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah. We are warned in the Bible to be prepared for the Son of Man comes in an hour that we do not expect Him. Jesus tells a parable in the gospels about two who are working in the field, one is taken the other is left, also two who are in

bed, one is taken the other is left. I don't believe this refers to the Second Coming when every eye shall see Him, including those who pierced Him.

You don't have to be a weatherman to know which way the wind is blowing. In the Book of Luke, Jesus used a weather analogy to highlight how people failed to use simple logic to recognize the time in which they were living.

The folks who lived in the early part of the first century failed to realize that they were about to witness the revelation of the Messiah. Their error resulted in the destruction of Jerusalem in 70 AD. Today, people are making an even bigger mistake by not comprehending that this is possibly the generation that will see the fulfillment of the end times.

I've always found it interesting how the salvation issue, both before and after the rapture, is so well balanced. Before the rapture, people need to use faith to overcome the lack of physical evidence for that event. After the rapture, there will be plenty of physical evidence of the event, but then a person will need faith to overcome the trials of the tribulation.

"And he said also to the people, When you see a cloud rise out of the west, straightway you say, There comes a shower; and so it is. And when you see the south wind blow, you say, There will be heat; and it comes to pass. You hypocrites, you can discern the face of the sky and of the earth; but how is it that you do not discern this time?" (Luke 12:54-56).

"Verily I say unto you, This generation shall not pass, till all these things be fulfilled. Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away" (Matthew 24:34-35). Jesus was speaking of the generation on earth that would begin to see these prophecies fulfilled.

Did Jesus teach about the Rapture? In verses 36-38 in Matthew 24 commonly known as the Olivet discourse, we find Jesus speaking of both the Rapture and the Second Coming. In v37: **"But as the days of Noah were, so will the coming of the Son of Man be"** Is this the Rapture, yes for there is no apparent contradiction, people were just living their lives oblivious to everything around them. The last 3.5 years of the tribulation period will especially be a time of great turmoil and persecution. Jews will be in hiding. The wrath of God will be pouring out upon man. The tribulation period does not seem to have as much in common with the times prior to the Flood as it does with the times during the Flood. So, this verse speaks of the times prior to the Rapture, not the Second Coming. Then in v38: **"...eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage."** Is this before the Rapture, sure, just like it is now, because if it were before the Second coming it doesn't seem to match the description given in Revelation. Jesus, Himself, says in these verses to watch because we do not know when these things will occur. The Rapture is imminent, we do not know when it will occur, it can occur at any time. Will you be watching, and waiting expectantly?

You may be wondering who will take part in the Rapture. The Bible is clear: Waiters are workers. When Christ comes we are to be “dressed in readiness” with our “lamps lit” (Luke 12:35). If the Rapture is a reality to us it will motivate us to work faithfully for our Lord Jesus. The fact that the Rapture could happen any



moment ought to have us busy saving souls for the Kingdom. We recently had a blood red moon, this is a fulfillment of prophecy right out of the book of Joel (Joel 2:31) It won't be long Saints, the days are growing short, and we are starting to see prophecies fulfilled at an alarming rate. Children of God keep your eyes on the skies! **"For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord"** (1 Th 4:16-17). Saints, may Jesus find you working in the harvest when He comes for His bride, even so “Come Lord Jesus”.

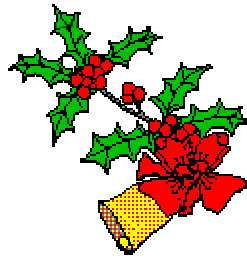
***A SPECIAL GIFT of POETRY FROM MARY TO YOU THIS  
CHRISTMAS SEASON***

**GOD AND SINNERS RECONCILED**

As we celebrate this wondrous time of year, with our loved ones and our family  
near,  
As we gather together the children of earth, to commemorate our Savior's birth,  
As we greet each other across the miles, with warm wishes and heartfelt smiles,  
In all the holiday rush and the musical din, let us not forget to remember Him,  
What gift will you give to Jesus this year, will it be something precious, costly or  
dear,  
Will it be feeding the hungry, helping the poor, showing them the Savior we  
adore,  
Can you give Him your heart your life and your all, will you answer Him whatever  
the call,  
Christmas is the birth of the Christ Child, God and sinners reconciled,

For unto us a child is born and a Son is given, the most precious gift in all of  
Heaven,  
As you hustle and bustle through the holiday throngs, listening to the carol of  
Christmas songs,  
Remember Him, remember Him, who is faithful and true, remember Him,  
remember Him the one who died for you,  
What gift can we give that would suffice, what gift to match that sacrifice?  
Try giving your love, your heart and your time, try feeding the hungry, try helping  
the blind,  
Visit the prisoner, the lonely, the poor, to those who are wretched open the door,  
Try clothing the naked, the hurting uplift, Be Jesus to others, for He loves that  
gift.  
Mary Warner 2003

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*Mary loves snow globes so these are  
from Her to you partners with love.*



*We Love you and continue to pray for your needs.  
from all the staff at His Will Ministry*