

GOSPEL TRUTH

Andrew Wommack Ministries • December 2016 Newsletter

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joyous New Year.



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If you really understood that God has given you “all things that pertain unto life and godliness” (2 Pet. 1:3), it would take the frustration out of the Christian life. You’d be set up for success! However, a lot of Christians go by what they see rather than what the Word says. They’ve never truly discovered the way the spirit realm works, where every spiritual blessing is.

The Scripture says,

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ.

Ephesians 1:3

For most Christians, this verse does not compute. But it clearly says that every spiritual blessing has been given to you. You might be thinking, *Well, those are in heavenly places, not here.* That’s true. But that’s because the spirit is the only place God could put these blessings. The natural realm could not contain all the blessings God has for you! He didn’t do it this way to keep them *from* you. He did it *for* you! Let me put it this way: You have been called “to an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you” (1 Pet. 1:4).

That verse in Ephesians also says that the blessings are “in Christ.” That means that everything God has is in His Son. If it wasn’t in Christ, you couldn’t receive it in the natural. So, how do you receive the blessings of God? You have to believe that you receive when you pray:

Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.

Mark 11:24

The word “receive” in this verse means “to take” (*Strong’s Concordance*). It’s not a passive word. In other words, you have to *make* the promises of God manifest in your life. Faith is a big part of that. I know that many people who call themselves believers are offended when they’re told it takes faith to receive from God. But it’s the truth. Faith reaches over into the spiritual realm and brings into physical manifestation the blessings that are there. Whatever comes from the spirit trumps anything going on in the natural. The spirit is the parent force. But unless you know what you have in the spirit, you can’t receive it. It all starts with first understanding that you’ve already got it!

This month, I have a new package that I’m offering called the **Promise Package**. It includes six books: *You’ve Already Got It!*, *Don’t Limit God*, *God Wants You Well*, *Financial Stewardship*, *The Believer’s Authority*, and *The War Is Over*. These teachings are power-packed! Consider getting the package for yourself and for a friend or family member. Order by going online: **www.awme.net**, calling our Helpline: +44 (0)1922 473 300 or by completing and returning the enclosed form.

We love you,

Andrew and Jamie



NO Room at the Inn

It seems that when people hear the phrase "there was no room at the inn," they automatically picture Joseph leading Mary on a donkey to Bethlehem. As Joseph sought lodging that night, door after door was shut in his face. Finally, one innkeeper pitied the couple and offered them a bed of hay in his stable. After His birth, Jesus was wrapped in "swaddling clothes and laid in a manger" (Luke 2:7).

Even though we are familiar with the nativity scene - the shepherds, angels, and wise men who found Him - there are probably only some of us who know why the inns were overcrowded. The large influx of visitors wasn't due to a homecoming game or a destination wedding. A Roman mandate had affected the whole nation. The Bible explains that "there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed" (Luke 2:1). That's why Mary and Joseph, being of the lineage of King David, were swept up in the circumstances that returned them to Bethlehem, the City of David.

For many Christians, the way they celebrate Jesus' birth has little to do with its account in the Bible. In autumn, the emphasis shifts immediately from October's ghosts and jack-o'-lanterns to red, green, and twinkling merchandise pinned, displayed, and dangling from every available surface. Whether



walking through malls or flipping through Christmas catalogs, we are bombarded by advertising that shouts, "Buy me! Buy me!" It's as if the season has become a collective human event that we just pass through, completely unaware of the Holy Spirit and the lessons He is carrying to our doors. He stands outside of time and circumstance, knocking on our hearts to see if we will lodge Him and His Word in the rooms of our lives. When we only give Him a little bed of a hay in the corner, we are sometimes saying we are still too busy to draw inspiration from the shepherds and just bow down before Him.

Jesus' birth, like the stable He was born in, was obscure except to those who were seeking. The wise men saw the star and the shepherds heard the angels singing in the night skies, and they pulled away to worship. The biblical account of His birth reveals so many lessons that we can learn and glean from all year long. For example, the miraculous birth of John the Baptist occurring only months before Jesus' birth, shows us that God often uses someone to prepare us for His ultimate purpose in our lives. And the way Mary conceived Jesus demonstrates how to conceive a miracle - by believing and agreeing

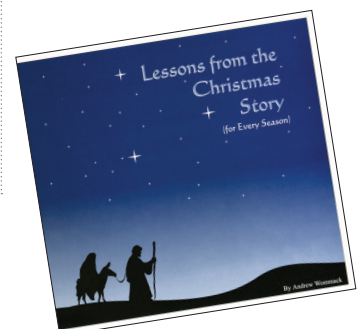
with the Word that is declared to us.

Andrew has a teaching series that will bless you as you prepare your heart to worship Him and resist the temptation to be carried away by the busyness of this festive season. The *Lessons from the Christmas Story (for Every Season)* teaching - available in our online store:

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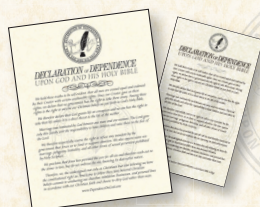
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