

I Will Take The Children Part 1

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Beautiful Jesus: *"I've got good news for us today". I'm so glad that Jesus died for me and that God the Father sent his only son to the world. From the time that I've received Jesus into my heart, I received salvation and He saves me every day. Beautiful Jesus, beautiful Son - that's what the Bible calls Him - Morning Star, beautiful Jesus. We know Him and we love Him because the Bible says that He first loved us.*

Message for the young ones: *"Let the Bible words minister to you and let the scripture go into your heart today. I have a message today for the young ones". "If you have Jesus' love in you, you have the life of God, the very Christ-life in you".*

¹⁶For God so greatly loved *and* dearly prized the world that He [even] gave up His only begotten (unique) Son, so that whoever believes in (trusts in, clings to, relies on) Him shall not perish (come to destruction, be lost) but have eternal (everlasting) life. ¹⁷For God did not send the Son into the world in order to judge (to reject, to condemn, to pass sentence on) the world, but that the world might find salvation *and* be made safe *and* sound through Him (John 3:16-17 AMPC). *"Then it's so interesting that this scripture says; God so loved the world and then the very next scripture that God wants me to read to you is 1 John 2 verse 15",* ¹⁵Do not love or cherish the world or the things that are in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in him (1 John 2:15 AMPC).

Listen children:¹⁵Don't set the affections of your heart on this world or in loving the things of the world. The love of the Father and the love of the world are incompatible (1 John 2:15 TPT).

Don't love the world and squeeze the love of God out: You can't love the world and love the Father. For the love of the world and the love of the Father are incompatible. You can't say, *"I love the world and love the things of the world and I love God too".* What happens is, if you love the world, you squeeze the love of God out of your heart.

¹⁶For all that the world can offer us—the gratification of our flesh, the allurements of the things of the world, and the obsession with status and importance—none of these things come from the Father but from the world. ¹⁷This world and its desires are in the process of passing away, but those who love to do the will of God live forever (1 John 2:16-17 TPT).

Jesus gave His life for our sins, just as God our Father planned, in order to rescue us from this evil world in which we live. ⁴Jesus gave his life for our sins, just as God our Father planned, in order to rescue us from this evil world in which we live (Galatians 1:4 NLT) (Galatians 1:4 CJB). Is it an evil world that we live in? Yes, so then how can we love it?

Outside the City: ¹²And Jesus, our sin-sacrifice, also suffered death outside the city walls to make us holy by his own blood. ¹³So we must arise and join him outside the religious "walls" and bear his disgrace (Hebrews 13:12-13 TPT). *"Are you baring His disgrace or have you so mingled your life in with the world that they completely accept you? You look just like them, you sound just like them, you think like them, you talk like them".*

God wants everybody to hear this message but He wants certain hearts to hear this today because He is calling people. He's calling us. I know He's calling me to a life of dedication and surrendering my life to Him that I'm beginning to see is available on a level I didn't know. It's by His Word, His Spirit draws you to see if He can find a heart that says, *"I will surrender my life to You, I will follow You completely, I will believe Your Word completely".* He's looking for hearts like that.

We have no city here on earth: It says He suffered death outside the city walls to make us holy by his own blood. ¹³So we must arise and join him outside the religious “walls” and bear his disgrace. ¹⁴For we have no city here on earth to be our permanent home (Hebrews 13:12-14 TPT). We get so attached, but it says we have no city here on earth to be our permanent home, we seek the city that is destined to come. God wants me to read this; ¹After these things, I saw another angel coming from the heavenly realm with great authority, and the earth was flooded with the brilliance of his splendor. ²He shouted out with a thunderous voice. This is an angel shouting out with a thunderous voice, “Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great!” (Revelations 18:1-2 TPT). “Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great!”. What is Babylon? Satan is the god of this world and Babylon is an environment. She has become a demonic dwelling place, a prison for every unclean spirit (Revelations 18:2 TPT). ⁴Then I heard another voice from heaven saying: “My people, come out from her. (Revelations 18:4 TPT) Revelations 18:4 (NLT). My people come out from her.

Babylon meaning & definition: is derived from a word *Babylim*, and the name means *gate of gods* - small ‘g’. Who is the god of this world? Satan, gate of small ‘g’ gods; gate of gods. In this world system, there’s a gate of gods. Who is God’s enemy and adversary? Who is our enemy and adversary? Satan-Gate of gods is Babylon. Jesus is saying, “Come out of her!”

Babylon defined - is an environment devoted to materialism, the love of money and the love of things and sensual pleasure. That’s the philosophy of the world system. Filled with self and hold no one in higher esteem than self. I’ll do whatever I want to do as long as it doesn’t hurt anybody. But actually, your doing what you want to do is hurting everybody. You may not be violent but your carnality hurts everybody, it doesn’t help anybody. It oppresses God’s people, it has no regard for God’s commandments, it is a physical assault on God Himself.

⁴Come out from her so that you don’t participate in her sins and have no share with her in her plagues ⁵because her sins are heaped as high as heaven and God has remembered her vileness (Revelations 18:4-5 TPT).

Words from the Lord: *My New Covenant Exodus. The great heart of love of our God on display through Jesus Christ, now awaiting our faith. I came to die, I came to shed my blood so that you can be free from this present, wicked evil world that will destroy you.*

Longing for Egypt: Numbers 11, ⁵ We remember the fish, which we did eat in Egypt freely; the cucumbers, and the melons, and the leeks, and the onions, and the garlic: ⁶But now our soul is dried away: there is nothing at all, beside this manna (Numbers 11:5-6 KJV). In Psalms, the Spirit of God says; they did eat angel’s food but they didn’t want it. Pastor John and Sharon bring us Angel’s food - God’s heavenly food that He brings to us every week.

Here’s how their hearts went: ²⁷We came to the land to which you sent us, surely it does flow with milk and honey! This is its fruit. ²⁸But the people who dwell there are strong (Numbers 13:27-28 AMPC). People in the world’s system are strong. Things that are happening in the world are so impactful on my life.

³⁰Caleb quieted the people before Moses, and said, Let us go up at once and possess it; we are well able to conquer it. ³¹But his fellow scouts said, We are not able to go up against the people. ³²So they brought the Israelites an evil report of the land which they had scouted out, saying, The land through which we went to spy it out is a land that devours its inhabitants. This world system just devours us. And all the people that we saw in it are men of great stature. ³³There we saw the Nephilim [or giants], the sons of Anak, who come from the giants; and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight (Numbers 13:30-33 AMPC). This world system despises the church of the Lord Jesus Christ. This world system despises God, despises Jesus, and despises the Holy Spirit. The same world system that hated Jesus in His day still hates Jesus today.

¹And all the congregation cried out, these are God's people, cried out with a loud voice, and [they] wept that night. ²All the Israelites grumbled and deplored their situation, "We are so tired of this manna, we want to go, we can't see any signs of anything God's promised us." Deplored their situation accusing Moses and Aaron, to whom the whole congregation said, Would that we had died in Egypt! Or that we had died in this wilderness! ³ Why does the Lord bring us to this land to fall by the sword? Our wives and little ones will be a prey (Numbers 14:1-3 AMPC).

This is very important today: ³Our wives and our little ones will be a prey. Is it not better for us to return to Egypt? ⁴And they said one to another, Let us choose a captain and return to Egypt (Numbers 14:3-4 AMPC).

God was so grieved by that response of His people. He says this ²⁸Say unto them, As truly as I live, saith the Lord.²⁹Your carcasses shall fall in this wilderness; and all that were numbered of you, according to your whole number, from twenty years old and upward which have murmured against me. Twenty years old and upwards. 20/20 people, I want to tell you; is there any murmuring or any doubt in your heart about supernatural increase and a new open door and marvels and wonders? You choose unbelief. If it's in your conversation and you've chosen unbelief, then He says this, ³⁰Doubtless ye shall not come into the land, concerning which I swore to make you dwell therein (Numbers 14:29-30 KJV), except for Caleb and Joshua.

Word for the children: It's time for the children to follow Jesus completely. Choose to love Him because your heart can choose to love Him. I was five years old when I gave my heart to Jesus. He wants your life completely. He wants You to love Him completely. Trust Him completely, follow Him. He wants to take you into wonderful things, in Him. He's got things for you, for your life. God does not want the world to have your life. Choose to love Him today. He's saying, "Give Me your heart. Let Me take you into wonderful things in your life." It's Jesus talking to you today; "Give Me your life and your heart. Let Me take you into wonderful things."

God says, ³¹But your little ones ... them will I bring in, and they shall know the land which ye have despised (Numbers 14:31 KJV).

God wants me to tell you about Lot: He was the father of a household and actually he should never have separated himself from Abraham, even though Abraham said, "Separate yourself from me". He should have been like Ruth and said, "As my soul lives, I will not leave you. I can see what is in you and on you, what God is doing here and by divine association, I'm staying with you". But he separated easily from Abraham and it says he pitched his tent towards Sodom. This father pitched his tent towards Sodom (Genesis 13:12 KJV) - Lot pitched his tent towards Sodom but Sodom was wicked. This world system of which Satan is god, is wicked. And there have been mothers and fathers that have pitched their tents towards Sodom.

Today, the Spirit of God pleads with the older generation who have pitched their tents toward Sodom, the ways of Sodom have come into you. You love the world and the things of the world. Lot, his wife and his children shared in the plagues and participated in the sins of Sodom. Lot pitched his tent towards Sodom and the impact it had on his wife - she looked back but he pitched his tent. Lot should never have left Abraham, he should have been like Ruth with Naomi.

Little children: *Pastor John and I will not leave you, we will not leave you, little children. We're not leaving you! Many of you have grown up since you have been little; we are accountable for your souls. We watch out for your souls, we do.*

²⁶But his wife looked back from behind him, and she became a pillar of salt (Genesis 19:26 KJV). You may say, but if I look back and I look at things, I am not actually going to turn physically into a pillar of salt but you will turn into that which you should not have turned into. God had something else in mind for you to turn into; to turn into being like Jesus because you can be because you can choose to love Him. You can choose to love Him.

Like Ruth: ¹²Turn back (Ruth 1:12 AMPC). Turn back; it is the same thing that Abraham had said to Lot – separate. ¹⁵And Naomi said, See, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return, go, after your sister-in-law. And Ruth said, ¹⁶...where you go I will go, and where you lodge I will lodge. Your people shall be my people and your God my God. ¹⁷Where you die I will die, and there will I be buried. (Ruth 1:15-17 AMPC).

Prayer: This is my prayer today. Any places of my heart that I've pitched towards Sodom dematerialises today in the power of this word. This word that God brought today has the power to dematerialise. Say, *"Yes, Lord, yes, Lord. Every part of me pitched towards Sodom, let it dematerialise, let it come out of Babylon, let it come out. Every part of me that loves the world and things of the world, let it leave. I choose to love You."*

I pray for us, Father, this word surrounds us all by the blood of Jesus. This word surrounds all of our hearts, Lord, till every part of us that loves the world and is pitched towards Sodom leaves, Lord. May this word be like a fire that burns in us, Father, burning the love of the world and the things of the world out of us, Lord. Helping us to let Jesus pitch His tent, His tabernacle in us completely. May this word burn in us and accomplish all that it needs to in Jesus Name. Amen.