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As with all prophecy I urge you to never “despise prophesyings” but to always “test the spirits.” (1 Thess. 5:20 & 1 John 4:1) All prophetic ministries are flawed and imperfect but they are much too valuable to utterly reject it.

### **1 Thessalonians 5:20-21**

*Do not despise prophecies but test everything...*

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### **1. Anxiety & Depression Is Exploding**

Anxiety & depression is up 93% since Covid emerged in the U.S. (According to MHA) In all my years of pastoring I have never seen anything like this.

So many people have begun taking anxiety and psychiatric medication and many doctors are giving it out like candy! What is God saying?

Why is everybody going crazy? How can we help them? Where is God in this global crisis of emotional & mental health? It is not just a U.S. thing! Did you know that thousands of years ago this was prophesied to happen?

The Bible reminds us that these are the days of God’s final judgment. The good news is that these are also the days of the last great healing and deliverance revival! You are not left without a comforting guide.

The Spirit of God wants to help you and your loved ones stay mentally healthy or become mentally healthy if you have been diseased. Of course, we know there are many other factors contributing to the deterioration of

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our mental health including family breakdown, riots, political division and the deception of conspiracy theories. We have fully developed those points in previous sermons, and we will do it again as the Lord leads.

## **2. Our Vision Is to Be a Messenger of Peace to The World**

Isaiah 52:7

“How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of **those who bring good news** & who proclaim **peace...**”

## **3. God Wants to Comfort You**

Psalms 23:4, 6

“Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. ... Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.”

## **4. Only Truth Will Set You Free**

We cannot give the kind of peace the world gives because it is not true peace. We assure people they can have peace when they put forth an effort to become faithful disciples of Jesus. All other methods will

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eventually fail.

John 8:31-32

“If you **abide in my word**, you are **truly my disciples** and **you will know the truth**, and **the truth will set you free.**”

## 5. The Most Important Thing – Align with God’s Generals

Isaiah 4:5-6

...**the Lord will create** above every **dwelling place**...and above her **assemblies**, a **cloud and smoke by day** and the shining of a **flaming fire by night**. For over all **the glory (anointing) there will be a covering**. And **there will be a tabernacle for shade** in the daytime from the heat, for a **place of refuge**, and for a **shelter from storm and rain**.

The anointing is our covering, and the anointing is on God’s ministers!

### How Do God’s Ministers Keep You At Peace?

# 1 “They Establish You In a Culture of Honor”

~ Husbands Love Your Wives

~ Wives Honor & Submit To Your Husbands

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~ Children Honor Your Mother & Father

# 2 “They Keep You In Spiritual Order”

- ~ Read Your Bible Daily
- ~ Abide in The Father
- ~ Don’t Forsake The Assembling On Sunday
- ~ Enjoy Daily Christian Fellowship
- ~ Love God & Love People
- ~ Watch & Pray Always
- ~ Separate From The World
- ~ Live a Holy Life

“Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.” — Philippians 4:6-7

“I will both lie down in peace, and sleep; for You alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.” — Psalm 4:8

“For to be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.” — Romans 8:6

“For God is not the author of confusion but of peace.”  
— 1 Corinthians 14:33

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“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.”  
— Matthew 5:9

“You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on You, because he trusts in You.” — Isaiah 26:3

“Peacemakers who sow in peace reap a harvest of righteousness.”  
— James 3:18

## **6. Only A Spiritual Man Understands This**

1 Corinthians 2:14

But the natural [unbelieving] man does not accept the things [the teachings and revelations] of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness [absurd and illogical] to him; and he is incapable of understanding them, because they are spiritually discerned and appreciated, [and he is unqualified to judge spiritual matters].

## **7. We Have the Mind of Christ & His Peace**

1 Corinthians 2:16

For “who has known the mind of the Lord that he may instruct Him?” But we have the mind of Christ.

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## 8. Jesus Is Taking Peace from The World?

People naturally struggle with this Scripture but if it is in God’s Word, we must embrace it. Jesus is now requiring that all men seek Him for His will. People who resist God bring unnecessary anguish on themselves. God is exceedingly kind and patient, but God is still God, and He is jealous for our affection.

Revelation 6:1-4

Now I saw when **the Lamb...opened the second seal...**a horse, fiery red, went out. And **it was granted to the one who sat on it to take peace from the earth...**

God gives power to men to take peace, but it is always to work His plan into our society. Therefore, we always have the utmost confidence that God will keep us because we understand that we are in His plan and that nothing catches the Man with the plan by surprise.

That is why we can have peace and the world cannot! So let us be diligent to be the peace carriers to the nations since we know God on this level! That is, let us make Biblical disciples who will give their lives to God so they can have real peace!

God Will Send a Strong Delusion Too

2 Thessalonians 2:11-12

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God sends them a strong delusion, to make them believe what is false, in order that they all may be judged who did not believe the truth, but took pleasure in wickedness in order that all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

This is God’s justice and He has predetermined the parameters.

## **9. When We Need Peace, God Hears Our Cry!**

### **Psalm 3:4-5**

I cried to the Lord with my voice, and He heard me from His holy hill. I laid down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord sustained me.

## **10. God Is the Cause of Societal Calamity?**

### Amos 3:2-8

You only have I known of all the families of the earth therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities. Can two walk together, unless they are agreed?

If a trumpet is blown in a city, will not the people be afraid? **If there is calamity in a city, will not the Lord have done it?**

Surely the Lord God does nothing unless He reveals His secret to His servants the prophets. A lion has roared! Who will not fear? The



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Lord God has spoken! Who can but prophesy?

## **11. The Fear of The Lord Produces Peace**

Proverbs 19:23

The fear of the LORD leads to life, that one may rest content, without visitation from harm.

One of the causes of our mental health breakdown is a lack of the fear of the Lord. When a person loses their “fear of the Lord” they become unstable. We must remind people that God punishes disobedience, and that hell is real, or they will cast off restraint.

When people stop restraining their lust, lying, slander, bitterness and lukewarmness they lose their peace because human conflict rises, and demonic strongholds take root.

The only way to extricate a person from this demonic cesspool is to remind them that they left God and help them get back on track.

## **12. Many Ministries Are Promoting a False Peace**

Jeremiah 23:16-17

**“Do not listen** to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you. **They**

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**make you worthless.** They speak **a vision of their own heart** and not from the mouth of the Lord.

**They** continually **say** to those who despise Me, **“The Lord has said, “You shall have peace”** and to everyone who walks according to the dictates of his own heart they say, **“No evil shall come upon you.”**

### **13. Pray for Your Politicians So You Can Be at Peace**

1 Timothy 2:2

Pray for kings and all those in authority, **that we may live peaceful** and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.

### **14. The Church Will Overcome Even Through Martyrdom**

Revelation 13:4-7

So they worshiped the beast, saying, “Who is able to make war with him?” ...and he was given authority to continue for forty-two months. Then he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme His name, His tabernacle, and those who dwell in heaven.

It was granted to him to make war with the saints and to overcome them. And authority was given him over every tribe, tongue, and nation.”

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Revelation 6:9-11

When He opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of those who had been slain for the word of God and for the testimony which they held.

And they cried with a loud voice, saying, “How long, O Lord, holy and true, until You judge and avenge our blood on those who dwell on the earth?”

Then a white robe was given to each of them; and it was said to them that they should rest a little while longer, until both the number of their fellow servants and their brethren, who would be killed as they were, was completed.

## **15. God’s Chosen Goshen Land of Protection**

There will soon be anointed apostles and prophets who lead God’s church through the most exciting days of revival as well as the most terrible days of His judgment.

There will be Goshen churches & Goshen cities who will provide a canopy of glory & protection as the Lord pours out plagues on the entire world.

The children of Israel were in Goshen. Studying this you can see what we call the Goshen principle. Goshen was a geographical area in Egypt where the children of Israel lived. It was the slave camp.

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The Scripture says clearly that in Goshen, God’s judgments fell on the land of Egypt, but not in Goshen. In these last days, there will be a similar distinction.

This is what the Lord told Moses, “I will make a difference between the Egyptians and the children of Israel” (Ex. 8:23)

There will be a distinction between the believers and unbelievers in terms of the release of the judgment of God.

Exodus 8:22

And I will sever in that day the land of Goshen, in which my people dwell, that no swarms of flies shall be there; to the end thou mayest know that I am the LORD in the midst of the earth.

Exodus 9:26

Only in the land of Goshen, where the children of Israel were, was there no hail.