Kingdom Come: Living God Reality on Earth

**Kingdom Transformation** 

Heavenly Father,

Thank you for this day and being our provider and protector on earth.

Guide us while we live under God grace

I pray that God will go where he left off and continue to use me in Detroit while I may my transition back to Detroit because I will not be returning to Kentucky any more in the future.

Thank you for not living in Bondage and temptation

Thank you for the food we eat on daily basis to avoid hunger and food insecurity

Thank you for guiding us from mammon and greed to make our life all about money.

Guard our hearts and minds while we live under your grace

Guard our hearts and minds from sins, idolatry, abomination and temptation

I pray that those people are envious and jealous of people that have more accomplishments and goals to achieve in their life.

Guide and give those people hope to set goals for their life and stop hating and being envious towards others.

In Jesus name, Amen

I want to tell a true story that I have been having a dream every night lately about I was the only one on earth walking around with no humanity or no one around. It is like being on earth by myself with no one except me. The dream seems strange to me because it is like in the dream that I went everywhere and there was no one driving and walking on the streets in the community and neighborhoods, no one working in the local convenient stores and no public public transportation. All homes were vacant in local neighborhoods and communities. I was not looting in the dreams every night. I was just walking around and there were no humans around. I was thinking in my mind I did not have transportation that could help me get around. In the dreams, I went to the malls, department stores and convenient stores. I was told by many people that my dream says I need to focus on spiritual matters and less on politics. My dreams are reflected in Genesis 2:18 and Psalm 27:10. I think I am ready for the new earth created and managed by God that believes go after they get to heaven after they die on earth. I always speak against sin in the pulpit along with bondage, temptation, abomination and idolatry. Christian woman in Cleveland told me in 2017 that I am ahead of the line to get into heaven.

We need more households to participate in media fasting to keep our focus on God and living our life with heavenly wisdom. It is too much earthly wisdom on earth that people need to turn away from. It needs to be more heavenly wisdom among individuals at shared room housing. According to my experience at a shared room owned by landlords, I witnessed too much sin, bondage and idolatry. I only rented a room at a shared room housing in Detroit once in 2017. The tenants in the house were deeply spiritual and the landlord hosted mandatory bible study every week. When I preach in the pulpit and my pastoral staff preach the word of God, I will continue to educate households of members and visitors to transform their households with heavenly wisdom. I do not like being around family for the holidays because family members on my stepfather and mother side of the family always gossip about people and talk about sin as well as idolatry. I do not want children growing up in a household like my sister and I that grew up in a nonchristian household. I like the opportunity to preach at prisons and detentions in Detroit by reaching out to Chaplains in prisons. I want the opportunity to preach at homeless shelters in

Detroit by being part of Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries list of pastors that go preach at their local homeless shelter facilities. I like to continue to educate members and visitors in the pulpit to improve people's attitude in the workplace because employers need more good and spiritual environments to stop wickedness, sin, bondage, temptation, idolatry and abomination. If a person provides wrongdoing in the workplace, employees should not be fired for any reason. Employees need to be allowed to repent and confess their sins of their wrong doing. The same procedure needs to happen in schools and higher education institutions. I support the push for more prayer in schools and the workplace. I agree with the person name Mr. Freeman, who died and used to work at Pacific Garden Mission, saying homeless men and women do not belong or need to be at homeless shelters because homeless men and women deserve to be united with their families. In 2011-2012, he always announced every Monday morning who talked to their families during the weekend. More families need to come together and be united to be able to depend on each other as giving individuals. My mother is always against that today with negative comments and statements. Families need to have more family reunions to bring families together to unite, fellowship and let people be thankful for having a family that cares about them and their well-being. It prevents some family members from dealing with neglect. I believe neglect from families lean into mental health problems, depression, oppression, bipolar, rage and anger issues. There needs to be more loving families in this nation as well for households. Children need to be transformed and raised spiritually in households because it is too many children in the world talking to people like they are grown with profanity, depend on idolatry and temptation daily, live in bondage and making friends with anybody while in school or in public that could lead them to sin, abomination and temptation.

After I was born again on September 4, 2011; I learned how to make sacrifices for God and the Holy Spirit to live the path of righteousness. I learned how to increase my faith and pray to God. When I pray today for my life decisions, God hears my prayers at the throne in heaven because I noticed after I pray and have patience in God with my heavenly wisdom that my breakthrough always comes from heaven. None of my blessings came from the world because I stayed in the word of God daily and let God give me wisdom. I live my life with heavenly wisdom, not earthly wisdom. I started to let God lead me and not let the sinful world lead me. I learned over the years as a man of God not to lean on my own understanding and pride. Pride is part of sin in the world. One thing we need to do to transform this world is being compassionate and loving our neighbors. We need to stop the hate and violence in our communities, households and communities. We need to say no to family separations and divorce. We need to use the advice from the movie "Madea Family Reunion" to call your family regularly or in-person to tell them that you love them, to be able to call to talk to them or ask for help when they need it. I am 50-50 about renting a room in shared room housing and do not like it as much because it is too much idolatry, bondage, wickedness and sin. I keep my focus on God and his kingdom. I do not care what people think of me when they are being judgemental and gossip about me. I let God judge those people in heaven.

- 1. What does transformation really mean in our daily lives? Can you think of a moment when you experienced a personal transformation that shifted your perspective?
- 2. How can we actively participate in bringing about God's kingdom here on earth beyond just attending church on Sundays?
- 3. What are practical steps we can take this week to live out the values of the kingdom of God in our workplace, Schools or homes?
- 4. How do we balance the call to transform the world with the need for personal spiritual growth?

5. What does it look like to challenge the status quo in love and humility like Jesus did?

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will."-Romans 12:2

Paul is speaking to instruct Christian believers in Rome to avoid conforming to the prevailing worldly culture and instead be transformed by the renewal of their minds. This scripture is teaching us to transform our thoughts and beliefs, enabling us to discern and live out God's will. We must actively resist worldly influences and patterns of thinking, allowing God to change our desires, priorities, and life to align with his purpose.

Children and families need to be educated to transform their minds in the households. Families need to stop being about sin, bondage, idolatry and temptation. People need to stop thinking sin, bondage and idolatry to the world in the right way in their life. I want to say God to the families that witnessed and lost loved ones during the school shooting in Minneapolis, Minnesota. That's why we need to be compassionate and love our neighbors because these school shootings are terrible in this nation. My prayers go out to the families, friends and residents of Minneapolis. I have long friends that live in the Minneapolis area and suburbs.

When I was a teenager and child, I told family and friends that I wanted to go to law school to become a criminal lawyer or prosecutor. I had my mind set during my childhood to become a lawyer and go to law school. I want to become a lawyer because I care about helping people and keeping criminals off the streets. I did research for lawyers and sat in on trials and court cases to observe their jobs. I changed my mind after I graduated from Morgan Park High School on the south side of Chicago with my high school diploma. I realized as an undergraduate that pursuing a law career was hard to accomplish and I needed to make a change in career. I realized that I like politics and public policy by getting back to communities. I started volunteering for Former Alderman Howard Brookins, Jr. campaign for Cook County States Attorney, I started volunteering for Barack Obama Presidential Campaign in March 2007 after he announced his candidacy in Springfield, Illinois. After I volunteered for the campaign, I like it better giving back to the community better. I helped Barack Obama raise money for his Presidential campaign and knocked on doors to get out the vote in swing states, active campaigning and phone banking. My volunteering motivated me to run and get elected to student government as Treasurer. It motivated me to get my calling to serve God to utilize my spiritual gifts in shepherding, exhortation, wisdom, teaching and prophecy. I believe in my gut and my mind God was calling me to serve him and his kingdom. That's why I do not like shared housing situations because there are too many instigators, sinners, wickedness, bondage, abomination, instigators, disrespectful, haters and temptation. When I live in shared room living situations, I try to remove myself from the situation because I read and pray to God daily. For example, I am expecting to be moved in with the First Lady Jennifer at the end of this month. The tenants at the location 17105 Chandler Park Drive and the other location on the westside of Detroit are disrespectful, instigators, ungodly, wicked and sinners. I want to start off by saying that I want to be specific from my last sermon because I do not like living in a shared room housing situation that I have to share with other strangers. I have pastors and friends of pastors of other churches say to me as a man of God and pastor that I need to be in my own place living with the first lady and our three children. I know I am not like people in shared room housing. I noticed people in shared room housing do not have careers or jobs, people mostly live off the government with government subsidies. I am not like that and

I have been working with the church Board of Trustees to set up the compensation package for my housing allowance, and salary for the church. The only time it was better living in shared room housing was in the south because people had jobs and were actually more independent to care for themselves. I do not see myself as a Democrat and left the Democratic Party in 2010 because I am not like my family members that are Democrats. The Democratic Party left me and I became an independent. I do not like living in shared room housing and always in a short period of time because I do not like living with strangers and people I do not know. I am an introvert. When I share housing with people, I like to share housing with people that are longtime and friends and family members. I do not like shared room housing situations because the people are instigators, mental health and anger issues. Only time will I consider living in shared room housing unless it is set up like a parsonage with only highly spiritual and Christian people. I like church home programs like churches have in the south because they have programs that are Christ-centered programs. I like christian-based housing because the program teaches people to live under boundaries. I agree with Pastor John Johnson from Star of Hope Mission in Houston that programs like that teach people to live under boundaries and a schedule. I can live under rules and boundaries because I lived in a disciplined household with my sister during my childhood. My true life story was to get off SSI benefits in March 2017 because it is the only income I get right now. I do not get a housing allowance and salary from the congregation. I do not know if I should go back to a homeless shelter type program and take advice from a client that was an ordained minister at Star of Hope Mission in Houston to let God work for me to prosper me and be patient while setting goals for myself. I can take Pastor John Johnson's advice in Houston to plan my goals and take my time and stop thinking too fast. Honestly, I spend too much of my time paying rent. After I was born again on September 4, 2011; I started to increase and have faith in God to make God and his kingdom my first priority in my life.

When I go out into the world, I stop trying to fit in with people. I let God bring people to me to meet new people. That's why I cannot live in shared room housing situations paying rent to landlords because it is not Christian environment and other tenants in other rooms are wicked and sinners. I try to remove myself from those living situations for a short period of time, such as 1 or 2 months. When I pray and talk to God daily, I call on him in his kingdom and send me messages in my heart and mind daily that he does not want me in those situations around wicked and ungodly people. I believe God introduced me to GJay in Baltimore when I lived there last year and wanted me to be long-term friends with him. I am still friends with him today. I believe God introduced me to Brandon Breen in Houston when I was in the Spiritual Recovery Program at Star of Hope Mission. I believe God introduced me and guided me to become friends with a lot of people in Houston at Star of Hope Mission. I am still friends with and communicate with those people today. People have been friendly in Detroit lately in recent days like I witnessed in the past when I lived in shared room housing. I do not like people and be around people that gossip and think they know it all about people. I never liked that and I cannot talk and be around family that much because they like to gossip. When family and people gossip around me, it puts me in an uneasy and uncomfortable environment. I got my own inner circle of 59 disciples that I created a long time ago to create an inner circle with people that are more righteous and spiritual.

"But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well."-Matthew 6:33

While I was an undergraduate and got my calling to preach in 2011, I became ordained as a Pastor at the time and started the Pastor Hobson Homelessness Initiative to start my Christian journey on the south

and west side of Chicago in 2011-2014. It was a personal grassroots project to help the homeless that included evangelicalism, preaching and spreading the word of God and serving communities by providing community prayer to vulnerable populations. With my personal grassroots projects, I was able to partner with homeless shelters and organizations in Chicago and volunteer at homeless shelters and organizations to strengthen my spiritual gifts to serve the communities in Chicago. When you look at my long resume, I have a career-focused resume and I was told by pastors that I need to stick to what I am doing to preach the word of God because I am spiritually gifted. That's why I am moving from where I am now and settle myself in my own place with a spiritual environment where I can continue to serve communities spiritually, spread the Gospel and world of God, and continue to live righteous to God. After I was born again and baptized, I started to pay tithes and offerings in church services. After I started to pay tithes and offerings, the goods started to come back to me spiritually and started to gain good gifts and things from heaven that I still do today. I pay tithes and offerings to my congregation when I preach or don't preach in the pulpit to keep my strong faith and worship to God. I continue to pay tithes to Salem Baptist Church of Chicago as well. When I pay tithes and offerings, I put God first and in the center of my life and decisions. I believe God is guiding me now and does not want me in these situations, remove me from conflicts and place me in spiritual environments around spiritual people. I noticed that I got blessings from God unexpectedly because I am patient with Christ Jesus and his kingdom.

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"-2 Corinthians 5:17

Paul was explaining the profound transformation that occurs when someone is in Christ. When I read this scripture, I think about how I transform my life to God by aligning my thoughts to the kingdom with heavenly wisdom. I am no longer a taker of the world like I was as a child and in my 20s. I am a cheerful giver and compassionate about the poor and homelessness. When I pay tithes to Salem Baptist Church of Chicago and to my congregation during the times of services when I preach in the pulpit, it shows that I put God first in my life and avoid putting the world first. I do not live earthly wisdom any more. I do not live by mammon and tax collector.

I want to say thank God for my family members who were able to give me money for unexpected expenses in the past when I needed financial help to buy food and pay household expenses. I am still praying for a miracle from heaven to help the congregation prosper financially so the church can continue to do good for the community by helping the needy and homelessness. When I lost my student housing and had some financial difficulties at DePaul University, I started to trust God Plan and seek God in my life in Chicago. I continued to pursue my college education while staying at Pacific Garden Mission, Olive Branch Mission and A Little Bit of Heaven Shelter. It means I never gave up my goals to be successful and sophisticated. I continue to let God help me accomplish my goals and guide me to success.

"You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness."-Ephesians 4:23-24

Paul was speaking about instructing the church in Ephesus on how to live a new life in Christ exhorted believers to shed their old ways of living that include corruption and deceitful desires. After I was born again, I learned how to live and embrace my new self in Christ with heavenly wisdom.

It was a time when the first Lady Jennifer and myself could not live together in the same household. When we tried to live together in Chicago, we were always arguing about nothing. Most of the time it is about who is going to pay the bill, buy groceries for the month, what we will eat for dinner, and being too controlling with the TV. Jennifer and I overcame that over the years. I miss her today and would like to move back in with her. I never put a hand on her because I do not hit women. After I started putting God at the center of my life, I started having a grateful attitude daily. I am a grateful person, but I do not like people that are too generous to me like I cannot take care of myself. For example, long-time ago I was living in a shared room living situation and that person kept offering me food to eat. Honestly, I do not like that type of stuff from people because I do not like people that think I cannot take care of myself. My mother told my sister and I that she raised us to be independent. That's why I do not like the shared room situation of sharing a kitchen and bathroom in a house because I would rather be living with the First Lady Jennifer and taking care of both of us. When I read the scripture, I think about what Pastor John Johnson told me in Houston that I need to stop thinking too fast when I do a lot of traveling and moving around. When I did this, I always ended up in economic consequences and started out at a homeless shelter for 1-3 months. I always ended up thinking too fast and ended up renting a room in a house in a shared room living situation with people with mental health and anger issues, wicked, ungodly, idols, sinful, hateful and instigators. I am not a lazy person because I like to keep myself busy with my congregation and serving in the community at homeless shelters. Again, that's why shared room living situations do not work for me unless it is a Christ-centered organization or program.

"Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator." - Colossians 3:10

When I read the scripture, I think about how I need to start coming out and just say stuff to people. I am an honest person that is afraid to come out to tell the truth to people. When I tell the truth to people, I start out by going out the bush to get to the truth. I do that to people, but do not do that politically or in the pulpit during my sermons. When I am truthful to people, I need to start coming out and saying stuff, not rambling and speaking in run-ons. I like to host bible study at my home known as my own home.