God always blessed me so much in Chicago. God always blessed me so much in Chicago as a Chicago native because I always performed Matthew 10:40-42 personally in Chicago. I am compassionate for helping the homeless in Chicago as a man of God and cheerful giver to Christ Jesus. When I lived in Chicago, I used to give homeless men and women my leftover food on CTA Red Line trains. I feel like God rewarded me for that at the time in 2010-2015. I believe God rewards me for helping the homeless and poor in Chicago as a disciple and good shepherd to God. I try not to think about myself too much and care about being a cheerful giver to the poor spiritually. God bless me while I was living in Cleveland because I helped the poor and never had to live in a homeless shelter when I moved to Cleveland. God blessed me in times when my mother's side of the family was never able to help me out financially and economically. I learned from my case manager and other staff at Star of Hope Mission in Houston not to care too much for others as a powerful trait and less about myself financially and economically. I was told this by my case manager at Star of Hope Mission in Houston when I was in level 5 in the Spiritual Recovery Program. I was told by my case manager and staff at Star of Hope Mission in Houston to stop giving more of my personal money to help the homeless and care more for myself to balance out being a cheerful giver to God and caring for myself. It talks about this in the Book of Matthew about selfish ambitions and conceit. I do stuff spiritually to continue to grow my heart as a mustard seed for faith in God and heaven as well hold on to my gift on to my gift of eternal life and place in heaven. I used to give my personal money to the poor and homelessness like I am rich, but I am not.

When I meet new people at spiritual homeless shelters, I think about what it says in Matthew 10:40-41 because people want to be friends with me as a man of God and spiritual people/clients at Star of Hope Mission in Houston that receive Christ Jesus as their personal savior. That's why it seems like I have more friends that 100% worship God in their life as a disciple and follower of Jesus Christ at the throne in heaven. When I read Matthew 10:40-41, people rate on me and are envious of me and will not receive me as a friend. Those people are ungodly and live their life in sin and wickedness. I have God guide me and direct me in my life to be friends and who to have in my inner circle. I try not to get too close to be friends because some people disappointed me in the past and used me by taking advantage of my kindness. The First Lady Jennifer side of the family received me years ago as a bishop and man of God. When I meet new people, I make sure people receive me as Bishop and man of God to receive me and God in their life. I am friends with people loyal to God and live obedient to God in their life. It explains why I met and became friends with so many clients from Star of Hope Mission in Houston. I easily became friends with some clients at Pacific Garden Mission, Olive Branch Mission and Detroit Rescue Mission. I already have more than twelve disciples like Jesus. Christ Jesus was speaking to his twelve disciples in Matthew 10:40-41. Jesus had twelve disciples on earth, but I have more than twelve disciples on earth right now. I have 43 disciples on earth that live and follow Jesus daily. They live in Chicago, Houston, Detroit and Philadelphia. That's why the church is headquartered in Southeast Michigan today since the 2016 transition from Chicago.

## Matthew 5:18

My mother's side of the family worships God in vain. They know who Jesus is and believe what he did during the resurrection. They know he died for our sins and rose on the third day in the tomb, but they do not live obedient to God and the Holy Spirit daily. My mother and step-father side of the family do not

live their life with the fruit of the spirit. That's why God chose me out of all my family members. My biological father's side of the family are church going people and where my spirit and worshiping God came from. My grandmother on my biological father's side of the family always took me to Sunday school with her, discussed her Sunday school lesson with me as a Sunday school teacher, and went to fellowship gatherings and events with her. My biological father's side of the family is deeply involved in the church for many years as christians and disciples. I have an aunt on my biological father's side of the family that manages her own ministry and helps the poor. The same aunt that my mother said she hated for many years. My mother does not walk in the church and never saw me preach a sermon in the pulpit. My mother has never been in a church since my sister and I were children. My sister and I used to go to church on Easter while we were young and stopped when we were 10-12 years old. My mother used to make excuses about us not going to church. My mother and step-father do not walk in the spirit of God. Most people at Star of Hope Mission in Houston in my inner circle did an usher prayer during evening chapel services. I am sure they are still deeply spiritual today in Houston. The church will be hosting and planning Our Shepherding is Worth Preserving Conference in Houston in October 2024. In November 2024, it will be my tenth anniversary since preaching in the pulpit.

I want to encourage people to become friends with people to make sure they receive you and are 100% loyal to God as the rock of their salvation. I will be appointing committees to host the Our Shepherding is Worth Preserving Conference in Houston. I will be looking for pastors to partner with me to be guest speakers at the conference in October 2024. I continue to communicate with my 43 disciples today while living in Brooklyn. I do not talk to my family as much because I believe my family members on my mother's side of the family will not accept me as Bishop of Lord Jesus Christ Community Baptist Church and man of God. Jesus is speaking to his twelve disciples in Matthew 10:40-42 in the synagogues in the land of Israel about how we should receive God and receive people in our inner circle to receive God and Holy Spirit.