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TITILE: RECOGNIZING YOUR DAY OF VISITATION

**BRIEF SUMMARY** 

As a human being what you have to do for God do it now because time is not on our side.

Today you are young but before you realize you will grow old just like that, that is why the Bible says remember your creator whiles you are young.

Don't wait for evil days, the evil days are the days when you are very old and cannot do anything, you just eat and sleep. You won't even have energy to do anything.

Luke 19:41

And when He was come near, He beheld the city, and wept over it, [Luke 19] The scripture says they did not remember or see the lords visitation.

In the Bible it is only a few time that you will come across a saying that says Jesus wept.

One of the situation is when he went to visit Lazarus, because of the love he had for him the Bible says he wept.

Now the question is what made him weep?.

Jesus drew near Jerusalem, Jerusalem which is the city of peace but there was no peace in the town .

The Bible says that Jesus drew near to Jerusalem, and at that point he was about to go to the cross (he was about to die).

At that point too he was almost about to finish his mission on earth.

No one weeps for no reason, so when Jesus saw the town he was moved with compassion and he was very sad.

What they were doing in the town was what made him cry

The Bible shows us that he was sad because they did not **see** or **recognize** the day of **visitation**. Jesus was sad and he wept.

Because they did not recognize the visitation of God, Jesus wept and said it shall not be well with their marriages, they will be poor, they will also suffer in their job.

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For you shall lay thee even with the ground and thy children.

### Luke 19:43-44

For the days shall come upon thee, that thine enemies shall cast a trench about thee, and compass thee round, and keep thee in on every side,

And shall lay thee even with the ground, and thy children within thee; and they shall not leave in thee one stone upon another; because thou knewest not the time of thy visitation.

If someone comes to visit you in your house, and you don't recognize the person it doesn't really matter but if it has to do with God and you don't recognize his presence something will happen to you.

### John 1:10 to 11

He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. [John 1]

He came unto his own, and his own received him not. [John 1]

So Jesus came into the world, God sent him into the world he sent him through the Jewish people but they did not receive him.

He came into his own but his own did not receive him not.

### Luke 1:12

But as many as received him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name: [John 1]

As a human being your responsibility is to receive. God is not going to do the receiving for you.

You as a man you are suppose to receive the one Jesus has sent but today most people don't know how to receive the visitation of God in their lives .

Instead of receiving they are rather killing it. That is why they killed Jesus Christ.

Today you may ask your self how is God visiting us.

The way God sent Jesus that is the same way Jesus sends his servants to us

# John 20:21

Then said Jesus to them again, Peace be unto you: as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you.

The question is who has God sent?

He has sent his pastors ,teacher ,apostles .prophet evangelist ( the five folds).

But human beings still don't believe.

Mark 6: 1-5

And He went out from thence, and came into his own country; and his disciples follow him. [Mark 6]

And when the sabbath day was come, He began to teach in the synagogue: and many hearing him were astonished, saying, From whence hath this man these things? and what wisdom is this which is given unto him, that even such mighty works are wrought by his hands? [Mark 6]

Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary, the brother of James, and Joses, and of Juda, and Simon? and are not his sisters here with us? And they were offended at him. [Mark 6]

But Jesus, said unto them, A prophet is not without honour, but in his own country, and among his own kin, and in his own house. [Mark 6]

And He could there do no mighty work, save that He laid his hands upon a few sick folk, and healed them. [Mark 6]

The Bible says even in his own town they did not receive him. They asked questions to the extent of saying saying he is the son of Mary.

What made Jesus powerless?.

It was because of their character and behavior and also familiarity.

Many people are in the church they don't see the visitation of God in the church. They are rather getting familiar with the pastor.

They are not focusing on the important things

What prevented Jesus from praying and healing people?.

Jesus could not heal people in his own town. This shows that there is a way or of character traits that you can showcase and the anointing of the man of God can quench and his prayers will not work for you.

And that character is **FAMILIARITY**.

Sometimes fake news we hear about pastors also deny us from recognizing the day of visitation.

Familiarity or over familiarity will cause the anointing of the man of God to stop working in your life and when this happens you will not receive the visitation of the lord.

So the Bible shows us what made Jesus weep..... whiles he was in his own town and they did not receive him.

So today Jesus is not with us but the same as his father sent him so has he sent his pastors to us .

How are you receiving the anointing and the grace of God into our life?.

Some people don't recognize that God is visiting us through our pastors and they end up saying anything that they want to say about them.

And out of that Jesus said tho them the enemy is going to attack their children.

Jerusalem that killeth thy prophet

Mathew 23:37

O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!

When God sent his prophet, apostles... (5 folds) the people did things to kill them.

In the same way, We are also killing our Prophets with our actions.

Genesis 21:1

And the LORD visited Sarah as He had said, and the LORD did unto Sarah as He had spoken.

Anytime God visit us miracles happens.

We have two types of people

- 1) people who don't recognize the visitation
- 3) people who recognize the visitation.

John 1:10 - 11

Anytime Gods visitation is coming it comes through a man . God could have said that He will sit In Heaven and preach and teach his word but God does not do his things like that , if God will visit you it is through a man just like the way he visited Sarah .

So how are you receiving a man of God in your life?

If you receive a man as a prophet you will get a prophets reward.

If you receive a man as the brother you will receive a brother's reward . So how you receive a man determines the rewards you get.

## Genesis 21:1

And the LORD visited Sarah as He had said, and the LORD did unto Sarah as He had spoken.

God visited Sarah and she accepted the visitation.

The visitation of God broke the long season of barrenness resulting in the fulfillment of the prophesy and the Birth of Isaac.

Isaac means laughter.

God is about to visit you like he visited Sarah.

All you have to do is to not despise the visitation of God that God is giving us through the servants he has sent us

### Jesus is alive!!!