



“Look Unto God”, by Mrs Johana Mukhavhuli, Friday All Night Prayer, the 03rd of February 2012.

Scripture Reading: Acts 3:1-8 *“Now Peter and John went up together to the temple at the hour of prayer, the ninth hour. 2 And a certain man lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms from those who entered the temple; 3 who, seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple, asked for alms. 4 And fixing his eyes on him, with John, Peter said, "Look at us." 5 So he gave them his attention, expecting to receive something from them. 6 Then Peter said, "Silver and gold I do not have, but what I do have I give you: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk." 7 And he took him by the right hand and lifted him up, and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. 8 So he, leaping up, stood and walked and entered the temple with them — walking, leaping, and praising God.”* Acts 3:1-8, NKJV.

Peter and John found a lame man at the gate of the temple. They were going to prayer and did not know that they were going to meet a lame man who needed their help. It was the time of prayer not for doing anything else. They went to prayer and they decided to do just that. Some stay very near to church but do not worry about church and do not worry about prayer.

Once upon a time a woman found an old house and all the time that woman would enter that house and pray. It became her lifestyle. Those staying in that area were now wondering what she was doing there, as she was going there every day. They decided to follow her to find out what she was doing. I think they were suspicious of her that she might be doing wrong things or that she was behaving they found her in prayer. A few followed her slowly, secretly, and heard her praying, *“Jesus, people are dying, in our area, Jesus Christ people are not repenting, the people in our area are not getting healed and are sick.”*

They went and told the others that the woman was going there to pray. Because of that woman the people in that area received Jesus.

The book of Esther tells us about a woman who alone saved the whole nation. Esther stood before the king for her nation. Now it is Peter and John. It was at the time for prayer. There is a time to seek the face of the Lord. These two knew about this and so when it was time for prayer they were going to the house of the Lord to pray.



The lame man would wait everyday at the gate to ask for alms. They would carry him to the gate every day; it meant he would go there, even when it was raining, hot, or cold. It was his way of making a living. When the lame man saw Peter and John he was excited thinking he will make a lot of money from them. He did not know that they were not like the others. They were ambassadors of God, of the kingdom of God. He did not know them, he did not know that they were carrying the kingdom of heaven. I can even see them on the way there, saying we are going to prayer, so and so is sick, so and so is poor, I have seen some children who need clothing, let us go and pray etc

A whole mature full man seating at the gate just waiting for people to ask for money. Everyday this man must ask for money. What is surprising me is that they did not put him inside the church. They do not care that he was missing what was happening inside , they just wanted to make money out of him, he also loved it because he wanted to be like other men. When he saw Peter and John coming he was happy thinking he will make money but they said look unto us. He looked at the servants of God but he was expecting to receive gifts from them, what he knew was that every day he would receive something and feed his family but he was dying at the entrance of the temple. It was a way of life for him. They said look at us, he was expecting much, and he never knew that this day would not be like any other. It was the divine program of God. It was not a problem but a program of God so that the power of God could be seen.

If he was not seating there, the power of God would not have been seen. He never knew that what he would receive. They told him we do not have silver and gold. I can imagine he was even disappointed at them. He expected a lot from them. Even his family knew that when he is seating there, he would definitely come back with something. I imagine he was even hitting his money tin very loudly to make a louder noise than usual. He never knew that there was thunder in heaven and that he would be given health. He did not know, what he knew was asking for money. He did know that this day was not like any other day. God had planned it that way.

The bible says Peter and John looked at him with and they said look at us, and he looked at them expecting but Peter said, silver and gold we do not have but what we have in the name of Jesus we give you. "Stand up and walk" this is what we have. We have the name of Jesus.

The bible says Peter touched him and his legs were strengthened and he jumped and went into the temple and started praising the Lord. 'You are Lord and you are able, you are Mighty. He had been given life. He was given something that nobody



can take from you, something that will never end, he was given something permanent.

He was jumping he was excited; he now had legs to dance for the Lord. He did not know this, as he never had an experience of it before. He was a cripple since he was young until he became old. Today he was inside the temple and inside they were surprised, and said what happened? He had met the servants of God. His family expected him to bring something home but that day there were broken and confused, that day he received life, he experienced what he never knew or experienced before.

Psalm 34:5 *"5 They looked to Him and were radiant, And their faces were not ashamed."* NKJV.

Look unto the Lord, he does not disappoint anybody, he will not break or destroy you, if you look unto somebody that person can break or destroy you. People will talk about your secrets but Jesus Christ will never do that to you. Let's look unto God and not unto people. People die but not God.

One woman put her trust on a *sangoma*. She would do all the rituals and sacrifices. One day when she arrived there they told her the *sangoma* was dead and had been buried last Saturday. She was in despair. A person can destroy you, disappoint you. but not God.

Mic 7:17-18 *"7 They shall lick the dust like a serpent; They shall crawl from their holes like snakes of the earth. They shall be afraid of the Lord our God, And shall fear because of You. 18 Who is a God like You, Pardoning iniquity And passing over the transgression of the remnant of His heritage? He does not retain His anger forever, Because He delights in mercy."* NKJV.

Other gods can be angry and want to destroy you but our God will never do that to you.

This crippled man had been like this since he was young. The day when God showed his mighty power, that man was even surprised. Let us look unto the Lord.

Psalm 121; He had realised that people cannot help you but God can and His help is proper and good help. Peter and John told him silver and gold we do not have but we have for you is, stand up and walk. The cripple stood up and walked, jumped and enjoyed the good of the temple. You can also look unto the Lord and



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he will solve your problems. Jesus Christ is the solution to every problem, to your every need.



"Commanding 2012" by Pastor Bridgette Nengome

1. Breaking the gates of 2012;

Isa 55:1-5: *"Thus says the Lord to His anointed, To Cyrus, whose right hand I have held — To subdue nations before him And loose the armor of kings, To open before him the double doors, So that the gates will not be shut: 2 'I will go before you And make the crooked places straight; I will break in pieces the gates of bronze And cut the bars of iron. 3 I will give you the treasures of darkness And hidden riches of secret places, That you may know that I, the Lord, Who call you by your name, Am the God of Israel. 4 For Jacob My servant's sake, And Israel My elect, I have even called you by your name; I have named you, though you have not known Me. 5 I am the Lord, and there is no other; There is no God besides Me. I will gird you, though you have not known Me," NKJV.*

2. The Lord is going to wipe our tears.

"5 For His anger is but for a moment, His favor is for life; Weeping may endure for a night, But joy comes in the morning." Psalm 30:5, NKJV. Declare that the Lord is going to wipe our tears.

3 Open Heaven

John 1:51

"51 And He said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man." John 1:51 ,NKJV. Pray for an open heaven.

4 Father God, we ask You to do a new thing.

"18 "Assuredly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." Matt 18:18, NKJV.

5 Anointing for Success

Proverbs 29:4, 14

"4 The king establishes the land by justice, But he who receives bribes overthrows it.14 The king who judges the poor with truth, His throne will be established forever." Prov 29:4,14 KJV.



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Pray for the anointing of success in everything that we do this year. Declare that anointing of success shall rest on us.

6 Let them fall for our sake

"5 Indeed they shall surely assemble, but not because of Me. Whoever assembles against you shall fall for your sake." Isa 54:15, NKJV.

Let every enemy of my life catch fire and fall down and be destroyed.

7. Praying for our Government, leaders

"4The king establishes the land by justice, But he who receives bribes overthrows it" Proverbs 29:4, NKJV.

8. My place of birth

Cut off each and every spirit that is contaminating our lives and any area of our lives from our place of birth. Pray that when we enter those places they must feel the fire of God.

9. Health

Pray for those who are not well.

10. Pray for the youth

"8 I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will guide you with My eye." Ps 32:8, NKJV. Some of the children in some homes are running their families, they rule their mothers and fathers. Pray and release those families.

11 No weapon formed against us shall prosper

"17 No weapon formed against you shall prosper, And every tongue which rises against you in judgment You shall condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, And their righteousness is from Me," Says the Lord". Isa 54:17, NKJV.

12.Circle of repeated failures

Some of us have confessed *"I know every year in March this and this negative thing will be happening"* and as children of God we are not supposed to confess negatively. We must prepare ourselves in advance for each circle of evil repetition repeated problems, failures, oppression. Cancel and nullify those negative evil repetition.

13. The church Building

Ask God to arise and scatter the enemies of the building of this church.



14. Helpers for the ministry

As a ministry we are growing daily and as a result we need helpers that will assist the Lord according to the vision of the Lord. God raise up helpers for the church.

15. Restoration

Zecharia 10:6 *"6 "I will strengthen the house of Judah, And I will save the house of Joseph. I will bring them back, Because I have mercy on them. They shall be as though I had not cast them aside; For I am the Lord their God, And I will hear them."* Zech 10:6, NKJV. Everything that the enemy has stolen and robbed you of in your life must be restored seven fold.

16. Territorial Spirits

You may find yourself staying in a village / house where territorial spirits are ruling and they call on the devil when you call out to God. The children of God must stay in a territory that belongs to God.

17. Contrary Spirits and powers

In an area where you are staying, working etc you may find evil and contrary spirits that are working against the children of God. Pray that they be neutralized and be destroyed and proclaim the area for Jesus Christ as the only Lord and ruler.

18. Command your good dreams to come to pass

Some people forget what they have dreamt. A dream is a spiritual message. With some people they are like a cell phone that has no network and so they do not remember or know what they have dreamt. Command altar the good dreams that we have had to come to pass. Nullify all the evil dreams that you have dreamt and cancel them.

19 Our beloved and families.

Lord let the fire of God guard and protect our families.

20. The power in the blood of Jesus Christ

"11 And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death." Rev 12:11, NKJV. We will continue to overcome by the power in the blood of Jesus Christ.

21 Seal our prayers

So that the enemy cannot come and steal what you have given to us.