DEALING WITH THE HEAVENLIES

2 Cor. 12:2, there is second and first heaven too, Paul was caught up in the third heaven, the dwelling place or throne of God. The second heaven is the dwelling place of evil spirits. Eph 6:12: principalities, powers, rulers of darkness of this world, spiritual forces of wickedness. Luke 21:26, power of heavens shall be shaken. First heaven is dwelling place of sun moon and stars and other cosmic bodies. Gen 1:16,17, 15:5.

We are now dealing with the powers in mid heaven. Dealing with negative influences, in the sun, moon and constellations. Dealing with powers in the mid heaven or second heaven. Mat 24:29,30, sun will be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light and the stars shall fall, and powers of heavens [plural] shall be shaken. The reason the sun will darken and also the moon and the stars is because there are people that are manipulating the sun moon and stars to do a lot of evil, to bring a lot of oppression, to bring a lot of spiritual attack upon people particularly the church. God in His word is talking about before Jesus Christ comes, there is going to be a lot of fighting in the heavens, to cover the heavens against these people so that they will not be able to draw light from the heavens in the realm of the spirit all of these things will happen before the coming of the Son of Man. God will deal with the heavens the power in the heavens will be shaken. Haggai 2:21-23: [wow]: Speak to Zerubbabel, governor of Judah, saying, 'I am going to shake the heavens and the earth. 22. And I will overthrow the thrones of kingdoms and destroy the power of the kingdoms of the nations, and I will overthrow the chariots and their riders, and the horses and their riders will go down, everyone by the sword of another.' 23. On that day declares the LORD of Hosts, 'I will take you, Zerubbabel, son of Shealtiel, my servant,' declares the LORD, 'and I will make you like a signet ring, for I have chosen you'. Declares the LORD of hosts. AMEN.

WHY would God shake the heavens?

Because something is happening in the heavens that is contrary to God's divine ordinances. So that those things will fall and come down. The Bible says whatsoever my Father has not planted will be uprooted, fall and come down. He said He would shake the heavens, and overthrow the thrones, there are thrones in the heavens. Thrones that Satan has established. Remember Isaiah 14:13,14: I will exalt my throne above the stars of God, and I will sit on the mount of the assembly in the recesses of the earth, I will ascend above the heights of the clouds. So, Satan has a throne above the stars that is the mid heaven. God is talking about shaking the heavens and pulling down that throne that Satan has established in the heavens. And He is going to do all of this through people like us, He has chosen us.

Why do we need to deal with the heavenlies?

- 1. The devil uses the heavenlies to receive worship, and to oppress and manipulate man from the mid heavens. Deut. 4:19, 'and beware, lest you lift up your eyes to heaven, and see the sun and the moon and the stars, all the hosts of heaven and be drawn away and worship them and serve them, those which the LORD your God has allotted to all the peoples under the whole heaven. [Deut.17:3, Job 31:26-28, Exodus 22:20].
- 2. The heavens are polluted by men who worship it through the activities of sorcery and witchcraft. They use them to manipulate and control the economy, the politics of nations, and the lives of people, even the church, against the will of God and God is not happy.
- God Himself wants us to deal with the heavenlies. So that we can overthrow all of the things Satan and his agents are using them to do. Haggai 2:21-23, speaks about overthrowing the throne of kingdoms and destroying the strength of the kingdoms, there will be wealth transfer after we deal with the heavenlies. Isaiah 51:16, says God has planted His Word in the mouth of His people, so that He would plant the heavens, and lay the foundations of the earth. The question is: Why would God plant the heavens again? What happened to the heavens planted before? He is talking about planting the heavens again through the Word that is in our mouth. It seems that the heavens that God created, has been defiled, has been polluted, has been tampered with by the agents of darkness, so God wants to put His word in our mouth so that through that word we can plant the heavens and then lay the foundation of the earth. Because all the foundations of the earth are out of course, all foundations of the earth, are shaken are polluted and corrupted. So, God wants to use His word in our mouth to plant the heavens and lay the foundations of the earth. [Ps.11:3], We need to understand the importance of the mouth in God's end time battle. Ps 8:2: out of the mouth of babes and infants, You have established strength because of thine enemies thou may still the enemy and the avenger. Isaiah 44:25,26: who frustrates the signs of liars and makes fools of diviners, who turns wise men back and makes their knowledge foolish, 26. Who confirms the word of his servant and fulfills/performs the counsel of his messengers, who says of Jerusalem, 'she shall be inhabited,' and of the cities of Judah, 'they shall built, and I will raise up their ruins'. God wants to fulfill the counsels of His messengers, we are His messengers, if we do not speak, there is nothing God will fulfill nor perform. The highest form of spiritual power God has given to the church is the power that is exercised through the mouth. If we will understand this, we will keep our mouth from gossiping, from backbiting, from speaking vanity, speaking against one another and His anointed, because these are the things that defiles the mouth. [Pr18:21]. And when the mouth is defiled the person cannot bring any power, cannot use it to exercise any power. If our mouth is not brought under control, if our mouth is not consecrated to God, it doesn't matter the level of anointing a person has, we will not go too far. Some peoples 'mouth suffer from spiritual diarrhea [!]. This is why all of the prophets God uses He touches their mouth, He touched the mouth of Isaiah, He touched the mouth of Jeremiah, He touched the mouth of Ezekiel. Jer. 1:9, Isaiah 6:67, Ezekiel 3:1-4.
- 4. We need to deal with the heavenlies, because we are in the last days. Acts 2:17-21.[read]. In the last days...verse 19,20, we have not got to as yet. Outpouring of Holy Spirit is experienced only in church not yet on all peoples outside, the reason is because we have not come to verse

19 and 20 and these verses talk about dealing with the heavenlies, and all of these words came at the same time it came as a prophetic word to Joel. Peter was echoing what Joel said. These verses are talking about dealing with the heavenlies. These things will happen before the coming of Our Lord Jesus Christ. So, we can now see that it is the church that is delaying the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, because we have refused to deal with the heavenlies. If we refuse to deal with the heavenlies, it means we ourselves are delaying the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. That will be the time the Holy Spirit will be poured out upon all flesh that is the time we don't need to preach much, people will be seeking and coming into Christ by the hoards. They will abandon their idols, they will be crying and weeping because the Spirit has come upon them, their eyes will be opened, and they will know that their idols cannot help them. Now many of the people we are to evangelize to cannot receive the gospel, they are being controlled and manipulated from the heavenlies. Because of the worship of their idols, the sun, moon and constellations. Without dealing with the heavenlies the gospel will not have much progress and the church will not move forward. Even the Israelites had to deal with the heavenlies before they could go forward. [...]. Our Lord Jesus Christ has given us the power to deal with the heavenlies. Mat 28:18. All power in heaven and earth has been given unto Me and He gives us this power, to go and to preach gospel to all 'creation'. The way we give the gospel to people is we speak the Word to them, same way we speak the Word to every creature in all creation. Jesus spoke to the wind, He spoke to the sea, He spoke to the tree, and they all responded. Let us see that even before Jesus Christ redeemed us, He redeemed the entire creation. Col 1:20: and through Him to reconcile to Himself ALL things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the Blood of His cross. V21. After He reconciled all creation, He has reconciled man. Rom 8:19-20: for the creation waits with eager longing [earnest expectation] for the revealing of the sons of God. [Which says creation will also be redeemed.] v.20. for the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope. V.21. that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. V.22. for we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. V.23. and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption.

5. Here it says the whole of creation is waiting for the manifestation of God, because they too are to be delivered from the bondage of corruption. The sun, the moon, and the stars are not happy the way Satan and his angels are manipulating them and worshipping them. But they cannot help it, because the sons of God are supposed to deliver them! but we are not manifesting. The whole creation is in bondage and they are crying out, saying, Even we are not delivered. So how can they be delivered. [v.23]. says not only they, entire creation, but ourselves also, which have the first fruit of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan, waiting for the adoption to the redemption of our bodies. We are still in bondage, the church is still in bondage. When will we come out of our bondages, to be able to help and deliver the rest of the creation? We are still ministering to ourselves and one another, while the whole creation is waiting, for us to manifest, which means for us to come out from darkness. When a witchdoctor goes to the bush and he begins to speak to a leaf, because he understands that the leaf has spirit, and invokes the spirit, and then uses that leaf to begin to make

enchantments and then after that he will channel it to the church, through incantations, and before you know it whatever he has said it will happen. Then we begin to run up and down and plead the Blood of Jesus, but had we redeemed that leaf before the witch doctor got there, the leaf will not answer them. This is because the sons of God are still sorting out our own problems, we are still preaching and teaching one another. The sorcerers are taking advantage of that and manipulating us, instead of vice-versa, and God's people are still in darkness. Creation is not happy about this and they are not supposed to support any witchdoctor or even Satan himself. Because God has created them, and when God created them, He didn't create them in vain, so that Satan can use them against his people. But it is because we the church we are ignorant of all of these things. So, Satan has taken advantage of that and letting his agents to do all kinds of evil.

So, this is what we are saying here, we need to redeem all of these things. The sun, the moon, the stars they are waiting for us, the waters are waiting for us, the trees are waiting for us, the animals. Witches use cats, snakes, for their benefit they use incantations upon them, if we redeem them, they will not be able to use them. That is why God has put His word in our mouth, so that we will not be silent, and we would speak to the entire creation according to the ordinances of God, so that they obey God and not obey Satan. But we are not doing all of that, we think that our ministry is just to preach to man. We have been preaching to man for many years now, and we have not been able to achieve anything. We have left the entire creation in the hands of the enemy. And the entire creation has been waiting for us to manifest as is mentioned in Romans 8, and we are singing and dancing and enjoying ourselves in the church. And yet awaiting His glory and anointing upon our lives.

So, if we refuse to deal with the heavens, we are failing the Almighty God, and we become responsible for our problems. Look at Gen 1:6-8, this is the second day of creation, He made the firmament, the heavens, v.8 He called the firmament heaven and the evening and the morning the second day. In verse 1 onwards and all through And we hear that God saw that it was good. for all the six days God said that it was good at the end of each day. BUT when God created the heavens, He didn't pass any comment, He did not tell us whether it was good or not! do you know why? God left it into the hands of man to decide. Because He wants to test our hearts, if we will worship creation, or Himself He left it to test our free will. [my revelation]. V12. V.18. to rule over the day and rule over the night and God saw that it was good. V.21, v23, v25, and God saw that it was good. Only when He created the firmament God was silent, He didn't pass any comment. The reason was because He left it for the hearts of man to decide. So, we can conclude it is the activity of man in that particular locality in the heaven is good or bad. So, the heavens over India would be determined by you and I. Whether we will have good heaven or bad heaven. If we the people of God, do not determine it, surely some other people will determine it, and they will have good heaven according to their own understanding, and we will be having bad heaven.

Ordinances or mandates of the heavenly bodies:

Let us look at the original mandate or ordinances that God has given to the heavenly bodies. Gen 1:14-18. First ordinance or mandate or assignment: to divide the day from the night, and not to give us light. Day speaks of light and night speaks of darkness. 1 Thes 5:5-8, we are children of light and of the day, not of the night or of darkness. In other words, they should separate the children of light from the children of darkness, this was the first mandate that God gave them. But because of the activities of the children of darkness through the activities of witchcraft they are manipulating the heavens and because they are manipulating it, there is no longer and division, between the children of light and the children of darkness. This is why today we sometimes cannot differentiate between someone that is a child of God and someone who is not a child of God. All of these things are not ordinary. Satan is manipulating the heavens so that they will not fulfill their original mandate. He knows this that when the heavens were not polluted the way it is today, one could see the difference between a child of God, and those of the darkness. It was because of the life of the people in Antioch, the Christians, God did not call us Christians, it was because of the way the people noticed that the disciples of Christ were Christ like. But today many times we can know a person is a Christian is when we see them with a cross or dressing in a particular way or having certain mannerisms, or a sticker on the front door. Before it was about the life that they lived, but today we can no longer differentiate. 1 Thess 5:6, says let us not sleep. through their manipulations they put us to sleep, and when they put us to sleep, we begin to behave like every other person. So now because the people of God are slumbering, [being prayerless], we begin to behave and do the same things they are doing. Many people of God do not know the difference. It is because of the influence of the moon. People are manipulating the moon, making sure they are bringing the church into that place where we slumber and are prayerless, and they can dominate us and the marketplace and everything else.

Gen 1:14, the second mandate, or ordinance, for the heavenly bodies is to be for signs. What is a sign? A sign is something put in place in order to make an announcement. A sign is something that shows direction. E.g. If there is signboard to show the way, and we follow the signboard correctly we will get to that place. A sign is something that gives information. A sign is something that shows what is happening or what is going to happen. E.g. A blood moon, it is a sign that something is about to happen. So now when God wanted to display His own signboard, He made the heavens, the sun, moon and stars, so that each time He wants to make any announcement He does this through the sun, moon and stars. It is left to us to understand the sign that God is giving us. Mat 2:1-10, [the Bible does not tell us there were three wise men; this was probably concluded, because of the three gifts, given to Jesus]. Here the wise men had seen the star in other words they had seen a sign in the heaven, and that sign was what they were expecting and so when they saw that sign, they knew it was the star of our Lord Jesus Christ. When they saw the star in the east, they followed the star from the east, until they came to Jerusalem, but when they came to Jerusalem, instead of continuing looking at the star, they left the star and began to go to the king. They left the star that gave them direction from the east to Jerusalem, and went instead to the king, their minds were thinking that this king must be from the palace. So, they forgot the star that brought them from the east to Jerusalem and they went to the palace of the king. So now when that king saw the star, he realized this is not an ordinary star it is a star of a king. [Every one of us has a star and our star is there in the heavens, and the agents of witchcraft can find out our star and manipulate it and change the destiny of a person, even from birth itself]. V.7, Herod took the wise men aside and inquired of them diligently, what time the star appeared in the sky, so that he could manipulate the star. This was a grave mistake that the wise men made, they left the star and went to the king and if it wasn't for divine intervention, they could have foiled God's plan. Herod then asked them to go and find out where this king is so that he could go and worship him, but his worship was to kill Him, that was his plan, but God did not allow that. V.9 when they left Herod the star went before them and came and stood over where the young child was. V,16 when they saw the star they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. Why did they rejoice? Because they went the wrong way and the star disappeared, when they came out from Herod, they were confused and didn't know their direction. The star now guided them as a signboard, until they came to Bethlehem where Jesus Christ was born. This is one clear occasion, when God used a heavenly body as a signboard. Here we notice that the religious leaders, chief priest and the scribes' in Bethlehem itself didn't have an idea that somebody was born, that Jesus was born. It was the wise men from the east, the people of Bethlehem and Jerusalem, did not have any notion.

This is the same thing that is happening in these last days. God is bypassing leadership in the church and going to people in the wilderness to deliver His counsel, you and I. we are all like the army of David, the people that came to help David against Saul. The bible says all of those people were people that were discontented, people that were discouraged, people that were in debt. Like us here, we have left whatever is bothering us and we are here, all of us are going through wilderness experiences at various levels, but it is God Himself has chosen us to pass this knowledge. He has bypassed the chief priests, the bishops, the reverend doctors and He is passing this wonderful knowledge to you and to me, we who have no title. Let us share all of this humbly and not look down on Pastors, and our leaders, so that God will give us more. So the word of Jesus birth bypassed all of the leaders and went to the wise men of the east, the same thing happened at the time of John the Baptist, the word of God left the High Priest and all the leaders and came through John the Baptist, in the wilderness. We must understand that it is such a privilege to come under this kind of knowledge or teaching. There are a lot of people who want to have this knowledge, but God has not chosen them, but He has chosen us to hear these things. Let us not take these teachings for granted. There is a reason why God is passing this knowledge to us.

God gave a third mandate to the sun, moon and stars to control seasons. Season speaks of time. So this means that when God created the heavenly bodies, He gave them the mandate to control time. Gen 1:14. And anything that controls time, control the people that are living under the time. Ecc 3:1-8, all of these words speak it means that all of these things are controlled from the sun the stars, whereby it is mentioned a time to born and a time to die. We all know our age, but how do we know that age, it is because of the sun and the moon, without these we would not know our age. It is because the sun ruled the day and the moon ruled the night. That is what makes a day. Without them we would not know our age. If we check history, we would notice that all major wars are started either at full moon or new moon. This is not coincidence at all, because they consult astrologers to find out what is the appropriate time to begin warring, so that they will have success. They do not just do anything

at any time; it is only the church that does things anyhow. What God expects us to do at that time, is to engage in spiritual warfare, so that we will be able to counter what they are trying to do. We must blow the shofar. These occultists and idolaters and witches usually begin making their enchantments three days before and three day after, the new moon or the full moon.

Psalm 104:19, says God made the moon for seasons; let us pray that God will give us insight on how the moon marks the seasons. Because the people of the darkness have gotten this understanding. In England they have developed a certain kind of lotions and cosmetics according to the phase of the moon, so they introduce that product in four phases, because the moon has four phases, we have the crescent moon, we have the half moon, we have the ... and we have the full moon. This product gets sold as soon as it is produced and cannot be seen displayed for sale on the shelf. So even before the product can come out, they have made the order for it. It uses the water in human body. As we know the Moon influences the fluid. Just like when there is full moon there is high tide. This product is sold according to the phases of the moon.

There are 12 gates that the sun passes through every year. And there are 28 gates that the moon passes through every month. [we will see in praying through the watches and praying through the gates of time]. When the moon is full that is the time that everything begins to misbehave. Mad people get more violent, are called lunatics, because something from the moon has affected that person, dogs are seen to be barking anyhow, men who beat their wives, get more violent, violence increases, people get into all manner of sexual perversions. Luna means moon. Ps 121:6, says the sun shall not smite us by day' nor the moon smite us by night. Witches and sorcerers make enchantment to the heavens and before we know it, the heavens will begin to smite the people of God in various ways. They can smite you with madness, they can smite you with frustrations, they can smite with confusion. [Even during Halloween during Oct 30, of each year, we need to pray against all of the witchcraft and violence and perversions].

V.15 and let them be for lights in the firmament. They give us light, and this is the only mandate that the church understands. Greater light to rule the day, and the lesser lights to rule the night. To rule means to govern, to exercise dominion, to control, to influence, to determine. It means that when God created the heavenly bodies, he gave them power to exercise dominion, to control, to dominate, to influence, to determine, to govern. He didn't say that they should only control the unbelievers. He said they should rule the day and rule the night. God has never withdrawn that ordinance. This is written in Ps 136, Jeremiah 31:35, 36, it says that if this ordinance were to depart, it means that the seed of Israel would cease to be a nation. This can never happen Israel will never cease to be a nation. If all nations join and fight against Israel, they will surely lose. The sun, moon and stars control cities and nations.

God created everything and lastly created man. God gave the heavenly bodies dominion to rule, but He gave man the ultimate dominion over all so that man would use his dominion over the sun, moon and stars, so that these heavenly bodies would do the will of God on the earth.

But this is what man lost. Ps 8, O Lord our God how excellent is Your name in all the earth [read whole psalm]. David ended this Psalm with an exclamation mark {!}. Not a full stop. Because David saw the position that God had originally put man, yet he saw where man is now. He could now only exclaim ah! He saw that the reason God made man was to exercise dominion over all the works of God's hands, which included the sun, moon and stars, but we have lost that dominion. Now this is what Lord Jesus Christ has bought for us by His redeeming Blood. Yet even now we do not understand what authority Jesus came to restore to us. The bible says that the children of this world are wiser in their generation than the children of light. It is because they have this understanding that is why they are wiser. We lost the authority God gave man, and since that time it has become strange for us to understand what is happening in the heavenlies. Satan usurped that authority and enchanted the heavens and began to use witchcraft to manipulate the heavens, to achieve their own purpose.

Let us look at Ps 19:1.[all about the heavenlies]. Heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth forth His handiwork. Now because of the activities of the enemy the heavens are no longer declaring the glory of God. Therefore, terrible things are happening all around us, they are now instead declaring the glory of Satan.

Ps 97:6, talks about the heavens declaring God's righteousness. But that righteousness is not seen, the manifestation of righteousness is nowhere to be seen it is because the heavens are being manipulated by agents of darkness. The heavens now declare wickedness, violence, confusion. Ps 19:2. day unto day utters speech, and every night have the ability to reveal knowledge. The day utters speech, everyday has the ability to speak. So, the question what is tomorrow going to speak? What is tomorrow going to speak over our lives and over our city and nation? The Bible says each day has the ability to speak, so what are they speaking? If we do not deal with the heavenlies the enemy will program the heavens according to their own ordinance, and whatever they program is what the day will speak into our lives and our city and nations. This is the way God has created us, till tomorrow they are still speaking. There are people whom Satan has programmed premature death at a particular time or a particular day. If such a person does not know when they come into that day, that thing that Satan has spoken out the heavens will speak it out and it will affect that person, and that person will die. Premature death is not ordained by God, He has promised us long life. Ps. 91:16, 118:17. They can even speak sickness for a particular day or time occasion. If the will of God is done on earth as it is in heaven, we will not have such problems. We are supposed to die peacefully. It is most important for us to fulfill our destiny, if we do not fulfill our destiny it is a premature death.

Where do the wicked get their knowledge? Satan programs that knowledge into the heavens and the heavens releases that knowledge to them. Some of these kinds of people are uneducated. The only education they have, is satanic wisdom. We are having spiritual illiteracy and we are not even aware of it.

If we begin to deal with the heavenlies, there will be much wealth transfer, we will prosper, and their businesses will begin to collapse. The wealth of the nations, and earth belongs to our God, and He has kept it for us, but because we allow Satan to manipulate the heavens it has

gone to the heathen. Ps.19:4, their line has gone out to all the earth. [that is what witches use and what they call ley lines, what they use to travel in the realm of the spirit]. In Nigeria when they church was praying against witches, a woman fell from the sky. This was an old woman who used to sell bean cakes, and many people have unknowingly been eating witchcraft food! These ley lines were created for us, but the Satanists have learned to use it. Phillip in Bible was transported.

They have words and their words have gone to the ends of the earth. The sun has a tabernacle it says which is like a bridegroom coming out of his chambers and is like a strongman. That chamber is where the enemy programs all his decrees and enchantments, called the chamber of the south [Ez 40:46, 42:1].

Job 38:31-33,[KJV] all of these things we see here, refers to certain constellations in astrology, we in our generation shall find the answers, as we pray for the heavenlies. V.33 says knowest thou the ordinances of heaven. God was asking Job, do you know the ordinances of the heavens, and He said can you set the dominion thereof in the earth? In other words, if we do not know the ordinances of the heavens how can we set the dominion thereof in the earth, i.e. the law that covers the heavens. As we have seen previously some of the ordinances of the heavenlies. From these verses if we remove 'can you', we will know what God wants us to do. Pleiades are a cluster of 7 brilliant stars, also often called seven sisters by astrologers. They appear in the sky in the month of April in the constellation of Taurus. [we will be looking at the 12 constellations and how they rule]. Their appearance of the sign of spring. And the bible says they have sweet influences, that is what God created them for.

Amos 5:8, seven stars, is the definition of Pleiades. God wants us to seek Him by prayer, by intercession by spiritual warfare, so that He will turn the shadow that the enemy is phrasing from Pleiades, all kinds of shadows, frustrations, backwardness, death, all kind of shadows, that brings negative influences upon the people. God says seek me, I am the one that created all the stars not Satan, so if you seek me, I will turn the shadows around.

Now we will see 'Orion', Orion is a famous constellation that is a group of stars that is visible during winter evening. Astrologers say it looks like a hunter or a powerful soldier. Bible tells us Orion has a band or a cord. That is the same cord that Satan uses to tie the destiny of people! tie marriages, tie businesses, tie people from the womb.

Next we see 'Mazzaroth'. Mazzaroth is the twelve constellations. Aries, Virgo etc. this is where astrologers have taken advantage, and Satan is using witchcraft to manipulate them and decree all kinds of horoscope or 'horror' 'scopes', but this is not the original plan of God. This is the constellation that controls the day, the month and the year.

V.32, now we 'Arcturus', some call it Bear and some translations, big dipper. [God allowed Adam to name all creatures, but He didn't allow him to give the names of stars]. Bible says He

tells the names of the stars and calls them all by their names. Because through the names of the stars, we will understand that this Bible is written in the stars. The entire gospel can be read in the stars.

Now we will see some examples of dealing with the heavenlies from the Bible.

Moses:

Exodus 10:21-23, God then decided to deal with the heavenlies. Now Moses was told by God to point his rod to the heavens, and He would create thick darkness that would be felt. So, Moses did as he was told and the darkness was such that the people could not move from their places, they stayed in their places for three whole days! With that action, God dealt with the powers of the sorcerers and magicians drew from the heavenlies. But there was light in the camp of the Israelites. Pharaoh decided to allow the people to go, but they had to leave their flocks behind, but Moses refused as he said they were needed for sacrifice. If we do not deal with the heavenlies, this is what Satan will do he will hold back our families, our resources, in bondage. Some of us our children, our family members are not! Pharaoh was like that, he first said only the men could go, then only the families, without their flocks. So, we need to deal with the heavenlies to set our families free. Some people can serve God but the monetary aspect they keep to themselves, their business etc. Moses insisted to pharaoh that he needed everything with him to serve God. And so, must we. We must release our wealth so that we can use our resources to serve God. We must not leave anything in the hands of Satan. So, Satan can give us some portion ad hold back the rest, as we are ignorant of what belongs to us. So, we must negotiate everything and have complete deliverance.

Now we will look at Joshua:10:10-13. This was a great battle between Joshua and the five Amorite kings. Joshua was fighting on behalf of the Gibeonites, people he had made a covenant with. The Amorite kings were afraid of the Gibeonites, and Gibeon was a very big city and they had a lot of men of war. So, the five kings joined together to fight against Gibeon. Gibeon sent sms {!} to Joshua because of the covenant they had made. When they started fighting, he spoke to the sun, he said to the sun, you have to join this battle. You cannot go down, you must join this battle because this battle is the battle of the LORD. Because we have covenant with the people of Gibeon. The sun stood still, and the moon stood still, and hail stones fell from the sky, and the people who died because of the hailstones were more in number than those that died due to the war. When they began to deal with the heavenlies that God began to fight for them from that place. When we begin to deal with the heavenlies, we don't need sword, God will fight for us. We cannot win with violence. That is what Satan wants. We must deal spiritually. The heavenlies is the place where they are drawing their power, so when this is dealt with, they become powerless, and they will begin to run, when no one is pursuing them. Now when we engage in physical warfare, we have lost the battle. The battle belongs to the LORD, we must stand still, and not go down. We too can speak to the sun, and he will hear us!

Let us see Judges 4, and 5: this was one of the most famous battle of the OT. The story of the battle is recorded in ch 4. In ch 5. Deborah a woman with a prophetic anointing began to sing

a song to analyze how the battle was fought. Let us see some of the things she said in Ch 5. The first thing she said was Praise ye the Lord for avenging Israel when the people willing offered themselves. The battle that God is calling us into is a battle where we are willing to offer ourselves willingly. People cannot be forced into spiritual warfare, it has to be willing. Let us pray that God's people will come into spiritual warfare willingly, because whether we like it or not, we have come into a time of unprecedented spiritual warfare. It is better we are prepared for war, than to decide to stay in the camp of Reuben Like we will now see. Because it is dangerous to stay in the camp of Reuben. V.15, great searching of heart means, the tribe/division of Reuben, were still thinking whether they should participate in this battle, they were not sure whether this battle is LORD's battle. Even in our time now, many people and pastors will begin to question and say that they will have to take it to the college of bishops and sit down in round table and study it and, and they will not be sure what to make of what we are talking about. Some will say that their business is to take care of their flock, to listen to the bleating of the sheep[v.16]. Now this the height of ignorance, how can one be listening to the bleating of sheep when there is war. May God deliver us from that spirit. Because it a spirit that does not want to fight the LORD's battle. It is not by accident, Reuben [and his descendants also] is operating under a curse remember that Reuben's father had said that he would be unstable, that unstableness manifested here, in the time that God needs help, he manifested unstableness. Reuben could not make up his mind that this battle is of the Lord and this is the time for war. Not just in this instance but when in Moses time the children of Israel wanted to enter the Promised Land, he and his clan didn't fight the battle. Moses had to rebuke him and say, what are you talking, you mean you will stay here, and the rest of the people will go to battle, do you want to discourage them. So, then they agreed to fight but when the fight is finished, we will turn back to this place. So, they did that, and did not enter the promised land.

Here we need to understand that we are in a season of war, unprecedented spiritual confrontation. This is where we are now. The Bible says there was war in heaven. Heavens have fought their own there was war in heaven Rev: 2, and when Satan lost that battle, they transferred that battle to the earth. So, we must overcome our sleep and prepare for war, there is no option. We have come to a place in football they call 'injury time', do or die warfare. May God deliver us from the spirit of Reuben that is the spirit that does not want to take responsibility. The spirit that does not want to fight the LORD's battle.

V.17, Gilead, Dan and Asher, joined with Reuben, and V.18, Zebulon and Naphtali risked their lives to the death. May God give us the spirit of Zebulon and Naphtali. These people jeoparted their lives, but they did not die. This is what we notice when we risk our lives to the death, we will not die, because God takes care of us. Our mission here calls for serious risk. God will always protect us for this is the battle of the LORD. God is looking for us to manifest this spirit. V.19, they took no gain of money, money is not the focus, in this ministry God is calling us to. It is not about what we will gain monetarily; let it not be our focus. The kings came and fought and took no gain of money.

V.20, they fought from heaven, the stars fought for Sisera. The stars can fight for us. Sisera was a man that commanded 900 chariots of iron, and the children of Israel had nothing. But because Deborah was a prophetess a woman that understood how to deal with the heavenlies, she prophesied to the stars, and the stars began to fight against Sisera. How did they fight? It happened that the battle became fierce and Sisera with his 900 chariots became confused. The sun and the stars began to smite this man with confusion, [Ps 121:6], to the point that this man who had 900 chariots of iron lost his bearing, and the children of Israel began to win the battle. And the only thing they did was he began to run on foot. He had chariots that he could have won the battle. But instead of entering into his chariots he began to run by foot. And rather than running to his house he ran to the wife of Jael. And when he got there he demanded for water, but she said it is not only water I will give I will give you milk. And after she gave him milk, and after drinking the milk the man slept, and after the man slept, this woman took a tent peg and drove it through his head to the ground. This was this man Sisera died. All of this happened was because somebody [Deborah], prophesied to the stars and the stars began to fight on their behalf and they defeated Sisera.

The word does not say the people of Israel fought against Sisera; it says the stars in the courses, fought against Sisera. Sometimes when people read these words, they say it is a metaphor. This is not so. The word of God is literal and real. Stars can fight for us. They are a part of God's hosts. When the Bible says our Jesus is LORD of hosts, it is talking about complete creation, including sun, moon, stars and constellations.

V.21, We can command everything to fight for us, and when the stars began to fight, the stars also affected the waters. At that time the waters we shallow but as soon as they entered there the waters also swallowed them and swept them away. What a might God we serve!! Tell me is there anything for us to fear anymore? When all of His creation the sun, moon, stars and the waters will begin to fight for us, in battle, which demon will be able to stand? Let us arise and be faithful unto this marvelous God.

V.23, cursed are the people who refuse to fight the LORD's battle. If we refuse to fight the battle of the LORD, we can come under a curse.

1 Kings 17, Elijah was discussing with the LORD, what was happening in Israel, how the children of Israel had dedicated themselves to the worshipping the sun, moon and all of creation. So, God gave Elijah the mandate to lock the heavens so that there would be no rain and no dew in the land for 3 ½ years. He locked the heaven. Sometimes when we decree band battle, we will be in trouble. Elijah had to run to the wilderness near a water brook and the ravens fed him there, because there was no water in the land. But the truth of the matter is that after Elijah covered the heavens, he was able to deal with the sorcerers the prophets of Baal. It was because he dealt with the heavens, he now called them to battle. About 400 prophets of Baal, gathered together, and tested them there, and asked them all to begin to call upon their gods, and they tried to no avail. We know the heavens did not answer them. Because their power was cut off from the heavens, by Elijah. When we deal with the heavens, we will cut off their power that these people are drawing from the sun, and when they call upon their gods, they

will not receive any answers. The reason these people are going here and there and to water fronts, to offer sacrifices, is because they are getting results. It is not that they do not know what they are doing. And they are making progress and prospering. And we the people of God are just waiting and hoping. They are getting results. Now Elijah dealt with the heavenlies and shut off their power, they tried everything they tried from morn until noon, nothing happened. They were not aware that the heavens were shut against them. Elijah just spoke to the heavens you will not send rain again.

2 Kings 20:7-11, Hezekiah was sick, and Isaiah the prophet told him he was going to die. He cried to God to heal him, and now Isaiah told him yes, he will be healed, but Hezekiah wanted a proof of that. So, Isaiah asked Hezekiah would he like for the shadow to go forward ten degrees, or backward ten degrees. Hezekiah told him it would be an easy thing for the shadow to go forward ten degrees, so he asked for it to go backward ten degrees. So, Isaiah cried out onto the LORD, and the shadow went backward ten degrees. Ten degrees is 40 minutes. [the scientists have been wondering how 24 hours a whole day was missing in their calculations of time. The found the one of Joshua, but with deeper research they finally found the 40 minutes of Isaiah, and it added up to 24 hours exactly.]. we are discussing these things to see that there were men that understood the heavenlies and how to deal with them.

Now there are certain sicknesses that have their influences from the moon and the sun and stars and unless dealt with from that realm, there will no cure.

Examples of people worship the heavenlies, sun, moon and stars:

2 Kings 21:3-6, he not only worshiped the sun, he also sacrificed his son unto his son.

Ezekiel 8:16, people worship the sun from the east, they make sacrifices, they make enquires of them, they dedicate their properties to the sun. The pyramids in Egypt are built according to certain constellations in the heavenlies. Their level of idolatry is beyond worshipping. They want to build a replica of the stars on the earth, so that they will connect with the stars properly. From that pyramid, they have what is called obelix. Obelisk is a four-sided structure with a pointed top. It is a phallic symbol. They use this structure [especially freemasons], to fertilize the womb of the queen of heaven. These obelix structures are found all over the world and all have a straight line connected to Egypt. They are positioned exactly so that it will be in a straight line to the one in Egypt.

Acts 7:42-43 But God turned away from them and delivered them up to worship and serve the host (stars) of heaven, as it is written in the book of he prophets; Did you really offer to Me slain beasts and sacrifices for forty years in the wilderness, O house of Israel? You took up the

tent of Moloch and carried it with you, and the star of the god Rephan, the images you made for yourselves made that you might worship the, and I will remove you beyond the Babylon.

Jeremiah 43:12,13, [...Message version...] God has commanded His people to destroy the Asherah/totem poles or obelisk. Most of the places where Paul preached the gospel have been taken over by Islam. We need to know how to deal with the heavenlies to be able to deal with these people. When we deal this way, the idolaters will come to us. They already know who we are.

We imagine the obelisk we see are just for decoration. We see some near the seaside. They are drawing power from the queen of heaven and fertilizing the queen of heaven. We see that most of the festivals in fact all of the festivals are organized in the time of new moon, or full moon, or crescent moon.

God hates all of this so much, that he has decreed that after they die He will go to their graves and pick out their bones will be exposed and spread out to the sun, moon and stars that they have served, worshipped and sacrificed, loved and walked after.[...].

Anything that makes God angry should make us angry as well, if we really love God. This is what is happening in the church, God is angry, but we are dancing!! And we are bombarding Him to help us!

The origin of the worship of the sun:

Gen 11:3-9, origin of the worship of the sun, at the tower of Babel, or Babylon was the original place where men began to worship the sun. All of this matter of sorcery, divination, incantations, began in Babylon. And from Babylon it landed in Egypt. And Egypt began to sell it to every other part of the world. This is why we see Africa the way it is today. They challenged God and said who is that God who said let His people go. So, God began to show Africa who He is. But He is merciful.

Isaiah 47:12-13, is everything about sorcery, divination, astrology, astrologers all draw power from the heavens.

How do we deal with the heavenlies?

1. We need first to Praise and glory God for creating the sun, moon, and stars and constellations, He did not create it in vain.

- 2. As a church we need to bring confession and repentance, confession first of all for our spiritual blindness and our ignorance, for the way we have allowed Satan and his agents to exercise dominion and to continue to manipulate the heavens and use them against the will of God, while we are silently watching. We are ones who are supposed to rule over the works of God's hands, but because of our ignorance, we have allowed Satan and his agents to hijack it and began to rule from the heavenlies and we are silently watching.
- 3. We need to bring deep repentance to God, for the way in which we and our fathers and our nation, have worshipped the sun, the moon and the stars. This is most important. We cannot begin to deal with the sun, moon and stars just like that!! Because they are very angry with us, for all along we have just allowed Satan to manipulate them. If we suddenly come and deal with the heavenlies they will not hear us. Unless we repent for our ignorance and our blindness and ask God forgiveness. Then we can have the power to speak to them. The heavens is just like computer, garbage in garbage out, what is put in is what comes out.

[The enemy begins to program this during the full moon.].

- 4. We also need to repent of the evil and all of the wickedness that has resulted from these things. They have closed peoples wombs, destroyed peoples businesses, caused accidents and premature deaths, all kinds of diseases, failed marriages etc. [e.g. In some part in Africa if an enemy does not want a particular family to have a male child, they will go to a witch doctor and offer some sacrifices, and this native or witch doctor will hand over a concoction in the form of a powder, and make some enchantments, and then early morn, immediately as the sun rises this person will be completely naked and blow the powder into the sun, the sun will carry this and nobody in that family will have a male child!!! This can also be done to someone's business. Early in the morning as the sun is rising, they will throw some powder into the air and that business will begin to have all kinds of problems].
- 5. We need to silence the voice of whatever has been spoken into the heavens by the sorcerers. Whatever they are speaking that is contrary to the will of God, for us, we need to silence those things. First of all, by the speaking of the Blood of Jesus, that speaks better things for us better things than the blood of righteous Abel, in the mercy seat from the tabernacle of God in Heaven, which is above the heavenlies. To silence their voices. We have a superior voice so with that voice we speak we can activate that voice from the third heaven to silence the other voices that is speaking from the sun, moon and the stars, against us and against our nation.
- 6. We also need to use the Blood of Jesus to blot out the handwriting of the ordinances [satanic ordinances], Col 2:14,15, that is against us. So, we need to use the voice of the Blood of Jesus to blot it out, so that the real ordinances of God will begin to manifest.
- 7. We need to command them not to listen to things that have been and are being spoken to them by satanic agents, sorcerers and all agents of darkness.[it is the moon that controls the menstrual cycle of women, and the enemy can program this into the moon to affect them].

We need to use the voice of the Blood of Jesus to blot out all of these things and command them not to listen to the voice of these sorcerers.

- 8. We also need to blot out the curses that have been programmed into them. The enemy uses the sun, moon and stars as a record; we know that the sun has a chamber. Satan can store his record here and also in the moon. That is why whatever the enemy has written concerning anyone; even if a person travels to another country the same fate will follow that person there too. Because the sun and the moon are there too.
- 9. We need to break the covenants between the heavenly bodies, and the sorcerers, the diviners, the star gazers and the magicians and all of these satanic agents that worship the sun, moon and stars. Jeremiah 33:20, we need to break every covenant that the sorcerers, diviners, stargazers, magicians, etc. have entered into with the heavenlies. God has a covenant with the sun, moon, stars. Satan also has made covenants with the sun, moon and stars. He copies everything God does.
- 10. We need to speak to the elements because they have ears, everything that God has created have ears. We must speak to them and tell them not to listen to the sorcerers, diviners, magicians, and other agents of darkness, not to be their strength, support or their cooperation.
- 11. We need to command and program the will and the purpose of God into the heavenlies, which is how to preach the gospel to them. This is how they will do the will of God, and before we know it, the sorcerers, magicians, diviners, will be out of business, and God's people will prosper.