
LIFE AND LIGHT

Senior Pastor PN Bester, 12 April 2015 – Morning Service 1

- He is the God of breakthroughs
- Come with expectancy and open lives
- Seven years of fatness, be open to receive
- Every day that God gives is a new day, a day of possibilities
- Exciting times where God wants to do awesome and great things
- We need to connect and align ourselves to God's word
- God has spoken and He will do what He wants to do - we cannot miss it
- He is looking for a place where the ark of His presence can find a resting place
- When God speaks about life, He also speaks about light
- In Him there is no darkness
- Genesis 2 speaks of God breathing a breath of life into Adam
- I carry the life of God
- God wants me to carry life to the fullest
- He wants me to enjoy this life
- I cannot worry about tomorrow, I have today to enjoy
- Today is the day of the Lord
- Today is the day of salvation
- Grab hold of the life of God, allow Him to breathe over you again

John 10:10 NIV

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy, I have come that they may have life and have it to the full.

- Your God came that you may have life and have it in abundance
- **Have life to the fullest and in abundance**
- Don't allow the devil to steal from you
- Want God's life in abundance

John 3:16 NIV

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

- **He gives us eternal life**

2 Peter 1:3 NIV

His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness.

- **God has given us His divine power** - to grab hold of all things of Him
- Be holy because I am holy
- I can be holy because I carry Him Who is holy inside me

1 Peter 2:9 NIV

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.

- **He called us out of darkness into His light to proclaim the goodness of God**
- Because I carry His life, I cannot be silent or normal
- Declare that God will be in His place, declare He will give you a new life
- Because I carry His life, There is a constant hunger and thirst for more of His life
- Align yourself with the word for today

Deuteronomy 30:19-20 NIV

This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

- Heaven and earth is the witness of that what is released today
- Choose life
- God is giving us His life filled with the goodness of God

Proverbs 14:27 NIV

The fear of the Lord is a fountain of life, turning a person from the snares of death.

- Align yourself out of love and respect for Him
- He is the fountain of life, He is my Source of life
- God gives joy, we do not need to have fun in the world if we are in His life

Choice: Do you want life or the spirit of death in you?

WHAT DOES LIFE MEAN?

1. Life means to have the ability to grow

- When you don't grow, it is your own choice
- When you choose to grab hold of life you cannot

2. Life gives you the ability to change

- You must be willing to change

3. Life is to have the experience of being alive

4. Life is the principle or force that differentiates us from a dead body or animated being

- Some people are spiritually dead

5. Life is a physical and mental experience to reproduce

- People walk away from death
- People want to mingle with people where they can draw life from
- When there is excitement of expectancy towards God, He will show up
- Fight not to miss something
- Come to church and cell with expectancy
- Approach God with great expectancy

WHAT IS THE DEFINITION OF LIGHT?

1. It is the form of energy that makes it possible for us to see things

2. It is a radiation that is visible

- Just as we are dependent on the live stream of power in our homes, we need to be **DEPENDANT** on the live stream of power from heaven
- Without light we are in darkness
- Matthew speaks of .. "You are the light of the world"
- **Have the ability to shine even when you go through storms**
- God is breathing on you today
- **God wants to revive your spirit**
- **His breath will cause you to come to life**
- **You will know God is with you when you carry His life and light**
- When you carry His life and light, you carry His nature
- Live a life that is pleasing to God
- Life must chase you and follow you and be all around you
- You will be the light of the world, a city that cannot be hidden
- We are living in a season of suddenly

- God has put a seed on the inside of you
- I carry His life, His love, His joy, His presence, His light, everything because I carry His incorruptible seed

Zig Ziglar: The only difference between successful and ordinary people is EXTRA ORDINARY DETERMINATION

- When God is inside you, you bubble and overflow with excitement. You cannot be silent
- MANY PEOPLE CANNOT ENJOY LIFE BECAUSE THEY WORRY ABOUT THE FUTURE
- The devil is a liar and he causes circumstances to take you away from God
- **The enemy sows seeds of rubbish to sidetrack us and bring fear and stress**
- Fear and stress makes you sick
- **The devil comes to steal destiny and purpose**
- Stop worrying about tomorrow
- **Because He lives I can face tomorrow, because He lives all fear is gone**
- **God has brought you this far, He will not leave you**
- **Tomorrow has already been taken care of because He has a plan and destiny for you**
- What God says will come to pass
- He holds my future in His hands
- Enjoy every minute of your life
- God is awesome, omnipotent, mighty
- He gives me joy, peace, victory
- **Every day is a new day in God**
- **It all begins and ends in our mind**
- **What you give power to has power over you if you allow it**
- **If you give over to fear and inferiority it will rule you**
- **If you give over to the life of God it will rule you**
- Get your mind renewed constantly
- Life is exciting when you realize it is not about you
- You can be the answer to someone else's prayer
- You cannot go to the marketplace if you don't have life
- God wants to pour out His life, authority over you
- You can brighten up someone else's day
- Ask what you can do to touch someone else's life
- **Be the spark that brings new life to someone**
- **Some people need to hear that you believe in them**
- **Be the person that transfers the life of Christ that is in you**

Isaiah 60:1 NIV

"Arise, shine, for your light has come and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.

- **To arise means to stand up from that place of defeat that you are**
- Rise up in your spirit and touch God
- **Stand up from hopelessness**
- Position yourself for something better, greater
- God wants to pour out His life over us
- **Great things are awaiting us**
- Position yourself for something better
- **Decide to rejoice no matter how you feel every morning when you get up, at that moment you will feel the Spirit of God in you rising up**
- **The life inside me is greater than any other rubbish that wants to take me away from God's plan**