



THREE THINGS TO PREPARE FOR 2026

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God saying, *IN 2025 I LED YOU IN TRIUMPH.*

2 Corinthians 2:14 Now thanks be to **God who always leads us in triumph in Christ**, and through us diffuses the fragrance of His knowledge in every place.

Triumph = a significant success and noteworthy achievement.

Because God looks differently at things as the world did.

Jesus led us in triumph this year. The fact that you are here today worshipping is a triumph.

God saying, ➡ **We need to REFRAME how you see.**

When we're moving our spiritual muscles it is so hard. But before you know it things are changing without you realizing it.

God has led us in triumph this year. You have been positioned. Jesus will always lead us in triumph. It will continue. The fragrance of Christ will be defused through us.

#1 JESUS HAS LEAD US IN TRIUMPH

God has brought us through.

NOW YOU HAVE TO GUARD THE VICTORY THAT YOU HAVE WON

#2 BE ON GUARD

1 Peter 5:8 **Be sober, be vigilant;** because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.

If you don't recognize the victory God gave you, the enemy will take it away from you without you noticing it.

➡ **BE SOBER IN THIS SEASON.** Danger in this time of year is to take a rest. If you take a break, you're going back to go back to the old things again. In this time of year you can get very sentimental.

The problem with being sentimental is when you remember the feelings about something and not always the truth, the content.

We have to be careful to be sentimental. Enemy wants to pull you out of the victory that God gave this year. Don't be intoxicated with things that want to pull you out of the victory this year.

➡ **BE ON GUARD.** The enemy wants to pull you back into old cycles—especially in regards to relationships. **BE ON GUARD.**

We also need to be on guard because we're in a time where God was speaking to us, setting us free and bringing us back into things He has for us.

The enemy has things he wants to do.

➡ **WE NEED TO BE POSTURED TO HEAR WHAT GOD IS SAYING TO US**—but we got to have time to listen to Him. If we're not there, we'll miss it.

We don't want to miss the moment God is speaking to us and moving with Him.

We are to be vigilant to listen to God what is saying.

#3 COME UP HIGHER

Luke 14:10 But when you are invited, go and sit down in the lowest place, so that when he who invited you comes he may say to you, **'Friend, go up higher.'** Then you will have glory in the presence of those who sit at the table with you.

The Lord saying, **Friends, go up higher.**—As we go in 2026, **the Lord is changing our position.**

If you have another position, you have an other perception, you have another perspective.

Jesus said “Friend”

*John 15:15-16 No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing; **but I have called you friends**, for all things that I heard from My Father I have made known to you. 16 You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you.*

In this season there is an invitation to coming closer to Him.

➡ There is an INVITATION TO GO UP HIGHER.

The reason the LORD is changing our position, not to be seen, but to see from another position.

➡ God is inviting us into a new POSITION. Because Jesus is on the move.

In this week of TRANSITIONING, the Father is pleased with us. But be SOBER. Be VIGILANT. Set apart time, sit in silence in His Presence. Lord, let me see how you led me in victory this year. Then position yourself, Lord, here I am. What do You want to say?

The invitation is here in the spirit, *Friend, go higher.*

The Lord wants to unwrap it to you.

Going up higher is not about being seen but to see better.

➡ THE LORD ALREADY SEES US IN A PLACE HIGHER WITH HIM.

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Prayer: *We receive Your call this morning. And we receive the ANOINTING to prepare to move into 2026. And we receive Your Word that will REFRAKE our perspective that You are leading us in triumph. We are sober, vigilant and alert and aware, and conscious of You moving in our life—personally and corporately. And we are hearing His call that friends go higher. There's a place prepared for us. God is telling us this, because He is saying, I have already prepared a place for you.*

👉 I SEE YOU SEATED IN A DIFFERENT PLACE than you see yourself seated.

Because God is saying, However we see ourselves as a church, as a body, as the House of Plumbline, the House of CLM around the world—God is saying, *However you're seeing yourself, I see you in a HIGHER PLACE.* In other words, He already sees us somewhere that He is trying to get us to come to. That's an amazing grace that God already sees us in a place that perhaps we don't see ourselves there yet. But God saying, I NEED YOU TO SEE, I need you to HEAR—And don't get caught up with other things. Don't get intoxicated. But be SOBER. Be ALERT. Because number 1, heaven is speaking to us, heaven is getting our intention, and heaven is drawing us up higher even in this moment. And 👉 In that WORD there is GRACE to bring us into that new place.

Stay humble and go up higher.

And **God says He's inviting us AS FRIENDS.** There is such a friendly GRACE from God. He's saying, come up and dine with Me. Hang out with Me. See things from My perspective. Hear My voice clearly so you can carry it out and obey.

Imagine being seated with Him at a table and in that invitation, what kind of conversation are you going to become privy to?

➡ If you are sitting with the Lord, what kind of CONVERSATION are you going to hear?

What conversation occurs at that type of table. What is the THINKING and the MINDSET, and the ATTITUDE of those who are seated at that table?

Because that's what God is bringing us into.

👉 He's bringing us into the EXPERIENCE, saying, **Sons and daughters, This is HOW I THINK ABOUT THAT.** You thought about it like this, but this is *HOW I THINK ABOUT...* Canada... what's happening in your nation... what I think about the churches... what's happening in My body, in My Church... and what's happening in the nations concerning possibilities.

Because *we are FRAMING our Mindsets* by how we have experienced life, through our little lens of experience. And God says, 🖐️ *The first thing we need to do is, **we need to CHANGE YOUR LENS.** We need to CHANGE the way you SEE things right now.* We need to change even what you're looking at. I want you to look up higher, because you can't go up higher if you can't even look up. Sometimes you have to look up for a moment. Maybe you have been looking down into everything. And you've been looking from a different perspective.

➡️ But God is calling us to **CHANGE OUR SIGHT**, our **PERSPECTIVE**, our **ATTITUDE** and **REFRAME OUR THINKING**. Because that's the number one way that we will get there.

What a privilege to be granted an invitation from the Lord to His House and to His people, His Family, His Church and His Bride to say, *Hey, COME HERE.* In other words, *Come and sit with ME.*

So that means, we are *privy to conversations*. We are privy to a *different FRAMEWORK*. That's why God says, You got to change your way that you're looking at your nation. You might see darkness in the world, but God says, *I SEE light coming.* You might see gross darkness in the world, but He says, *I SEE GLORY COMING.* Like Isaiah 50 says. You always see this contrast of what's happening around us. The same goes for your life. You might have looked at your year and it doesn't necessarily feel as triumphant, but ➡️ **if you start looking back ,the Lord is REFRAMING your thinking.**

You've been in triumph. And you're going to continue to MOVE in Triumph. So LET'S REFRAME. Let's CHANGE YOUR PERSPECTIVE.

That's what the Holy Spirit is going to do for us.

This is so important that we actually receive this Word. It's one thing to hear that Word. It's another thing to KEEP that WORD and WALK IN IT.

➡️ Urgency I sensed was—**Do it right now!** —Not this is a casual thing doing some *time in 2026.* *We've got a few days left here. And God said, Do it RIGHT NOW! In other words, I am moving right off the bat.*

When you're moving into the New Year, God is saying, *I'm already on the move. I'm waiting for you. I want to intercept you. I want to bring you in. I want to help you in your life get into the place I reserved for you.* —Thank God, we have a RESERVATION. In other words,

🖐️ HE HAS A SEAT RESERVED FOR YOU. **He's got a HIGHER PLACE reserved for you.**

➡️ He wants you to **ELEVATE YOUR THINKING**, your **EXPERIENCE** in your life, and us corporately, Church Family all over the world.

God wants you to HEAR this INVITATION.

Because 🖐️ **In the invitation is GRACE to COME UP HIGHER and HEAR what He's saying.**

1:32:33

*Ezekiel 3:22-23 Then the hand of the Lord was upon me there, and He said to me, "**Arise, go out into the plain, and there I shall talk with you** 23 **So I arose and went out into the plain, and behold, the glory of the Lord stood there, like the glory which I saw by the River Chebar; and I fell on my face.***

Whatever place he was in, God asked him to *arise* higher. The Glory of the Lord was already waiting for him. We have a reservation. First thing, we're encountering Him.

*Revelation 4:1 After these things I looked, and behold, a door standing open in heaven. And the first voice which I heard was like a trumpet speaking with me, saying, "**Come up here, and I will show you things which must take place after this.**"*

The difference is, it is a friendly invitation. God wants to talk about certain things.

Hebrew: Get yourself into a... place.

Revelation 4:2 Immediately I was in the Spirit; and behold, a throne set in heaven, and One sat on the throne.

God is saying... **VICTORY HAS TO HAPPEN ON THE INSIDE BEFORE WE CAN SEE IT ON THE OUTSIDE.**

When you see things this way, things come alive in you.