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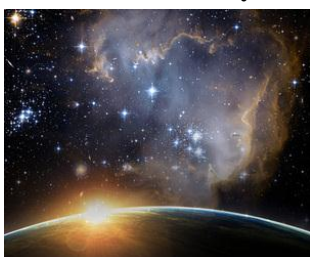
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Continuing from June issue.... In Search of GOD's Glory:-

There still is a condition before God will indwell your fleshly Tabernacle with His Glory as stated in 1 Thessalonians 4:7; *"For God hath not called us unto uncleanness, but unto holiness."*



Another indication is found in 2Peter 3:11; *"Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness."*

You have to clean and dedicate your body as fleshly Tabernacle for God to indwell and to take position on the throne of your heart.

Unfortunately not everybody will be filled with the Spirit of God. Not because God does not want to fill them, but because they do not yield their lives to His rule. They are still disobedient to His Word and His expectations. Your body or Tabernacle still has to be dedicated to the Lord, just as Solomon dedicated the Temple to the Lord in 1Kings 8:23-62 *"And he said, LORD God of Israel, there is no God like thee, in heaven above, or on earth beneath, who keepest covenant and mercy with thy servants that walk before thee with all their heart... (61)... Let your heart therefore be perfect with the LORD our God, to walk in his statutes, and to keep his commandments, as at this day."* You have to dedicate your life to God in repentance and be baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission or forgiveness of sin. Then just like the Jews had to be circumcised you have to be circumcised; Romans 2:29; *"But he is a Jew, which is one inwardly; and circumcision is that of the heart, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God."* But now our circumcision is not done by human hands, but by God as indicated in Col 2:11; *"In whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ."* This circumcision takes place when you are filled with the Holy Ghost and the Shekinah Glory of God indwells your fleshly Tabernacle! Contrarily to popular believe, God does not fill people indiscriminately with the Holy Spirit, nor does He automatically fill anybody with the Holy Spirit. This becomes clear when we look at Scriptures like Acts 8

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where the Apostles went through all the trouble to sent Peter and John all the way to Samaria to pray with the Samaritans to receive the Holy Ghost after they were baptized in Jesus Name. Acts 8:15-16; *"Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost. For as yet He was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus."*

Building another temple or finding the Ark of the Covenant will not bring back the Glory of God. The mystery of the absence of God's Glory has been revealed! The only way to bring back the Glory of God is to repent of your sin, be baptized in Jesus Name and dedicate your life to God, so that He can fill you with His Shekinah Glory and be your God and you can be His child! Not just the child, but also the Priest that serves God and enters into the Presence of God, where you receive His blessing and anointing to operate in the Gifts of the Spirit. 1 Peter 2:9;- *"But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people..."* Being filled with the Spirit of God is not a complicated process. God does the filling! you have to do the preparing! And all the preparing you have to do is to repent from your sins and dedicate your life to God and to earnestly serve Him. The Spirit of God will then come upon you and fill you. The moment God fills you with His Spirit, you will start to speak in strange tongues as the Spirit gives the utterance. Acts 2:4; *"And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance."* Speaking in tongues comes from God, you just have to allow it to flow. If you do not have the Glory or the Spirit of God in you, the Bible in Romans 8:9 says you are none of His!

You don't have to go look for the Ark of the Covenant - You can become the Ark! God is giving every person the privilege to become the Ark or the carrier of His Glory! All you have to do is to accept His calling. What are you going to do with this awesome privilege? Use it or let it pass you by? You decide! But don't delay! time is running out!

Great Truths from Small Children

- No matter how hard you try, you can't baptize cats.
- When your mom is mad at your dad, don't let her brush your hair.
- They always catch the second person.
- You can't trust dogs to watch your food.
- Don't sneeze when someone is cutting your hair.
- Puppies still have bad breath even after eating a tic tac.
- You can't hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk.
- The best place to be when you are sad is in Grandma's lap.
- It's hard to unlearn a bad word.



- Ask Why until you understand.
- It's easier to see the mistakes on someone else's paper.
- A pencil without an eraser may as well just be a pen.
- It's only fun to play school when you're the teacher.
- Don't expect your friends to be as excited about your "100" as you are.
- Don't say that the "Last One is a Rotten Egg" unless you're absolutely sure there's a slow kid behind you.
- Your room gets smaller as you get bigger.
- When you're dressed up like a princess, it's easier to act like one.
- One drop of black paint from the brush clouds the whole cup of water.
- You can't be everyone's best friend.
- If you want someone to listen to you, whisper it.
- Sometimes you have to take the test before you've finished studying.
- Don't nod on the phone.



Things you never hear in church.....

1. Hey! It's my turn to sit in the front pew.
2. I was so enthralled, I never noticed your sermon went 25 minutes over time.
3. Personally I find witnessing much more enjoyable than golf.
4. I've decided to give our church the \$500 a month I used to send to the TV evangelists.
5. I volunteer to be the permanent teacher for the Junior High Sunday School class.
6. Forget the denominational minimum salary, let's pay our pastor so he can live like we do.
7. I love it when we sing hymns I've never heard before!
8. Since we're all here, let's start the service early.
9. Pastor, we'd like to send you to this Bible seminar in the Bahamas.
10. I couldn't find space to park outside. Praise God!



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28 July Marlin Johnson



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What we Believe:

We are Apostolic Pentecostals

- We are Charismatic and Passionate about Jesus Christ
- We believe in One God
- We believe baptism in the Name of Jesus Christ
- We believe in the Baptism of the Holy Spirit
- We believe in living a Godly Life.