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Dear Ministry Friends,

“And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come.” Matthew 24:14

A new world has emerged in the seven months since the beginning of our global lock-down. Here in California our churches remain closed, for the most part. Along with our schools, businesses, gyms, and centers of entertainment. Many are wearing face masks, face shields and goggles and avoid even eye contact with those they pass by in public.



God is moving in the nations! He is the Lord of the Harvest! - John and Heather Tayloe

Many are struggling, some out of fear and some out of great frustration. There are growing concerns for the mental health of those who have lost their jobs, lost their businesses, and lost their hope. Many are crying out. “When will it end?” When can we get back to normal?

A POWERFUL TOOL IN TIMES OF TROUBLE

I am excited to share that Christians around the world are discovering intercessory prayer as a weapon of our warfare in this time. There have been amazing movements of prayer, such as we have seen in Washington DC and across this nation as tens of thousands hold Zoom prayer meetings and church services almost every day.

God is putting eternity on our hearts. The Salvation message of Jesus is being proclaimed with great urgency. No man knows the day or the hour when our Lord Jesus will return for His Church. However, we can know the season. Matthew 24 speaks of many things which must take place before the end of the age. But, Jesus is not returning yet.

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WHAT IS JESUS WAITING FOR?

The list in Matthew 24 reads like our news headlines. Without doubt, we are all looking up into the heavens in great anticipation! However, in verse 14, Jesus puts an emphasis on the propagation of His Gospel into *all* the world. He tells us it must serve as a witness to *all* nations. We're told, it will be *then* that the end will come. That's right. Declaring Jesus to the world is the marvelous precursor that must take place. Sharing the testimony of Christ with the world culminates in the return of our Lord Jesus.

OUR END-TIME ASSIGNMENT

As I write to you, we are but days away from a Presidential election. It has been a target of our prayers and of great concern. I believe though we have experienced much over these *unusual* months, the Lord is waking us up to see our personal, national and corporate sins that we might repent; that we might *draw closer* to Jesus through the Holy Spirit in a new way.

As we are renewed and refreshed in the Holy Spirit, may the Lord of the Harvest fill us with His urgency. His plan. His assignment for each one of us as we, with great fervor, share the testimony of Christ with everyone we know.

'It's still four months until harvest'? I tell you, open your eyes and look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest. Matthew 4:35

I believe there is a great anointing on the Salvation message of Jesus. We should focus on our family and friends. Those we know that are hard cases, perhaps determining they were those who would never choose Jesus. You will be surprised who comes to the Lord in these days.

THE SALVATION MESSAGE OF JESUS

Heather and I are giving focus to the Salvation message of Jesus as we broadcast from the VOICE OF HOPE radio stations in Israel and the Middle East, Africa and for Latin America.

The worldwide lock-down has greatly affected our donations received. It has been very difficult to keep the VOICE OF HOPE on the air and broadcasting. We should be taking more ground in this season, not less. As such, it has lead to more, intense prayer and spiritual warfare to break the assignments against delivering God's word to the nations. Would you pray for us?

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HE IS THE LORD OF THE HARVEST

With more prayer and financial support, we not only can, but will do more. We certainly have a greater capacity in our broadcast day than we are using. Please pray and help us as the Lord may lead you. It's Harvest time.

Dear friends, as the Lord gives you a vision and your assignment in the Harvest of the Lord, he will also prioritize your resources and efforts. Please pray for us that millions more will hear and receive Jesus in these days ahead.

Not only do we want to increase the impact of all that the Lord has put into our hands through the VOICE OF HOPE radio stations, we are praying that we can also increase the reach of our broadcasts through additional radio stations as well as an increased web broadcast and social media footprint. We are working on that now. We currently have engaged strategic phone apps and web-streaming and social media live-casts, and we would like to take more territory for Jesus with these tools.

 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regions where Swahili is the main language Regions where Swahili is a second language Regions where Swahili is an official language but not a majority native language Regions where Swahili is a minority language	<h3 style="text-align: center;">NEW SWAHILI BROADCASTS</h3> <p style="text-align: center;">We are excited to report that we are adding a two-hour daily Swahili language block on our VOICE OF HOPE - AFRICA radio station. There are estimated to be 16 million native speakers of Swahili. Over 82 million people speak it as a second language.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Almost 100 million people combined. Please pray as we begin these daily broadcasts of the Gospel in Swahili, that the Holy Spirit will draw men, women and young people to follow Jesus!</p>
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I know the challenges that these days have been for you and your family. There is much turmoil in our nation and our world. This is how Jesus said it would be in Matthew 24 as he addressed His disciples and shared with them the signs of His return.

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Strategic's Vice President, Chela Silwamba, interacting with listeners and sharing the Joy of the Lord on air at VOICE OF HOPE - AFRICA

Jesus warned them, *“Watch out that no one deceives you. You will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See to it that you are not alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come. Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be famines and earthquakes in various places. All these are the beginning of birth pains.”* -Matthew 24

PREACHED TO THE WHOLE WORLD - AS A TESTIMONY TO ALL NATIONS

We see all that happening around us everyday. We can know the season as Jesus wanted us to. Not so we can be alarmed. Not so we can increase in fear. Or develop a defeatist attitude. No, Jesus wanted us to know the season so that we would increase our focus and effort on taking the testimony of Jesus to the world!

Jesus is longing to be with us and us with Him. There are billions who still don't know him as their Lord and savior. Together, we can use tools of international radio to communicate the Gospel to the masses, reaching listeners one on one. The Holy Spirit will do the rest. The Lord is returning soon. Let's bring Him back even sooner by doing what He commanded us to do.

Thank you again for your love, your prayers and your support. You are making a difference and we are honored and thankful to work along side you in the great Harvest of our Lord Jesus.

In His service,

John and Heather Otis Tayloe
Founders and President

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