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Preface

This book has writings that are going to entail information most people wouldn't agree with; learned and unlearned individuals. But, this information, facts, and details are the right teachings of God, the Lord. There aren't any books around that are truly like this one. This book is the word of God, no matter how many internal disagreements may be present. This is what God, Lord, Jesus has been telling us for centuries that many of us didn't or haven't taken the time to listen. If more of us take the time the message and the Word in this book will and shall be clear. Those that take the time out in their lives, it doesn't matter what age or gender, can be able to embrace God more freely and willingly. But, doubt stays with us, preventing us from going forward in God's true light. These churches aren't the light; these religious organizations aren't the light. We aren't coming from a point-of-view from a church or religious organization but, from the point-of-view from God directly. We took the time and effort to rise out of the Pit of Sin in this world.

We desired God and his light, we tried to not be skeptical of him but just to embrace him fully no pretenses. Through baptizing our spirits, we were able to be cleaned by Jesus from our naturally born sin. We accepted Jesus as our Savior. Through prayer we are able to praise the Lord and think of the Lord, to ask the Lord to make us better in him. Through meditation we are able to free ourselves from the junk

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filling our ears and in front of our eyes for a moment to dedicate and focus our minds on God's beauty, on our lives in God, on what went on during the day and God's purpose for us on this Planet. Meditation also helps in building our patience. Through fasting we are able to free our bodies from all of those contaminants from food, that we pollute our bodies with. So, as our bodies are going through a detoxification, our spirits are also going through it. When our spirits become freer in God, we are able to move closer to him and his word. (God is the Word). We are able to put down more of the barriers we built up from life as we continue our path to God.

We didn't learn this method from other people or a church. From the time we started in '01 even now, we have increased in knowledge and works. We have been and still are guided by God. We knew from the first time we "went down" to fast, even now, that we are being directed in the right way. Many will have different experiences from ours but, the one thing that stays the same is that narrow pathway set by God and the example made by the prophets, saints, devote followers, and obviously Jesus. To get to God all people will have to go through Jesus, to follow his foot prints in the snow before we all cannot follow it. There aren't multiple ways to get to God but, only one.

We aren't claiming to be prophets, ordained followers, we are claiming to know enough of God's message to full a book and more. We don't heal nor cast out spirits. God has freely and abundantly

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given his word to us, the duty is to share it also in abundance; to be clear and offensive to all those who call themselves believers, undecided, or non-believers. We aren't better than anyone on this planet but, what makes us stand out is our knowledge in God. We are patient with others and are in the struggle to stay right in God. If you don't believe what is written in this book, inquire of God yourself free of religious influence.

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Chapter 1- Cults

These are the points concerning Cults:

- I. Don't make yourself vulnerable to a man, woman, or being that you think is God make you force yourself to believe in God.
- II. Don't think that the only way to be with God is to submit to a man, woman, or being.
- III. God doesn't put you through suffering to share a man, woman, or child for a godly purpose.
- IV. Sharing a man, woman, or being just to feel whole is wrong when you have to be forced to share and you actually have jealousy. To share and to never have satisfaction in body or spirit and to always feel lacking is not God.
- V. To follow a man, woman, or being who claims to be a Prophet or a Supreme Being knowing that you are vulnerable emotionally is dangerous. To feel redeemed by serving time in a marriage or having children is wrong. To have false beliefs of God's Wrath is not protection from God's real Wrath.
- VI. There is a marriage of God and oneself and if God permits another marriage, it would be of one other person. Emphasizing "one" person not more than one besides, God. So really it is suppose to be two people; God and a significant other, "one" significant other.

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- VII. God can share with anyone. God is inexhaustible. People shouldn't feel that God needs to take away from one person just to give to another.
- VIII. False Prophets have egos and needs for self worth. They draw people to become followers great and small.
- IX. No one needs to be submissive to a man, woman, or being just to be one with God, and it doesn't bring about salvation in God, to believe that is brainwashing. Brainwashing is wrong. If anyone believes ungodly restrictions then it is ultimately brainwashing. It is ungodly. These are Cults. Mind control is very serious.
- X. People and animals are not toys to be controlled. If people are being physically, mentally, and spiritually abused then it is not of God, it is the Devil's work.
- XI. Do not abandon God do not abandon to search for his true teachings of righteousness. Even if you have to be single physically, it is God's true plan to only depend on God for companionship.
- XII. Men aren't bigger or better than women. Women aren't bigger or better than men. Nobody should feel that they are above another person.
- XIII. Sex doesn't bring you closer to God. Having children doesn't bring you closer to God. Sex is not godly freedom, it is restriction and

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defilement. Know of sex and reproduction
but, to not become a subject to sexual abuse
and mind control by its use and concept.

XIV. Procreation is important.
Abortions are allowed by God but,
it is not a recommendation.

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Chapter 2- Sex

These are the points concerning Sex:

- I. There should be no sex without intention of procreation; even when married.
- II. There should be no sex with the same- sex. Of course, there is no masturbation.
- III. Don't conduct incest with close family members such as mother, father, and siblings. Especially, closely related cousins.
- IV. No lusting after sex. Feeling the need to be satisfied by sex is not needed. Sex should be the last thing to think about, it shouldn't be desired. Sex is not an entitlement for anyone.
- V. Those addicted to sex really need to give themselves fully to God's mercy to fully break that cycle. It is the Devil.
- VI. Sex is not a real expression of love. If it was then all of God's children should be having sex with God; really. Sex is not a toy to play around with for personal enjoyment. Sex is not supposed to be fun; except for procreation. Sex is a defiling conduct, a way to weaken spiritual enlightenment and freedom with God.
- VII. God didn't put us on this earth to have sex for enjoyment but, only for the use of bringing forth another righteous generation. Humans

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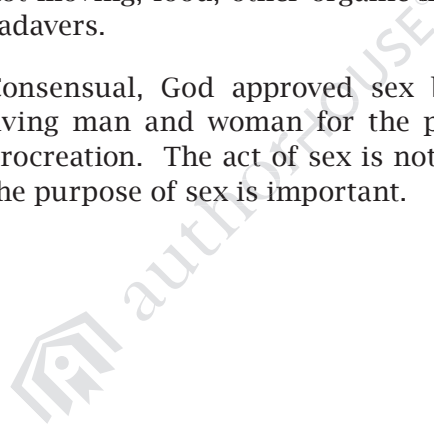
are not like the animals; God gave humans to have more sense of understanding when it comes to excessive and lustful feelings compared to necessity.

VIII. There should be no kinky and crazy sex; no foreplay, and anal and oral sex.

IX. There should be neither sex with animals nor using animals for sexual stimulation; no sex with minors, inanimate objects or structures, replications of animate beings moving and not moving, food, other organic matter, and cadavers.

X. Consensual, God approved sex between a living man and woman for the purpose of procreation. The act of sex is not good but, the purpose of sex is important.

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Chapter 3- Food & Drink

These are the points concerning Food and Drink:

- I. No excessive eating, no eating or very limited eating of foods that lack nutrients. No eating or very limited eating of shell fish. No eating or limited eating of fish without scales. No eating or limited eating of animals that chew the cud. No eating or limited eating of things that died of itself or rotten; and including all of the other things listed in the Bible.
- II. No excessive drinking of alcohol and drinks with high levels of sugar or processed sugar with artificial flavors and coloring. Drink lots of plain water, not flavored or vitamin water. Drink lots of plain fruit juices not the sugar based, artificial flavor, artificial color, high fructose corn syrup, and corn syrup fruit juices; that also goes for vegetable juices.
- III. Try to drink clean, untainted water and fruit juices and vegetable juices. Try to drink cleaner, organic fruit, vegetable, and milk drinks.
- IV. Don't eat too many foods high in sugar, salt, cholesterol, fat, carbohydrates, and fried oils.
- V. Don't eat excessive only moderate amounts of candy, sweets, and pastries. Don't eat too many processed foods and fried foods; eat

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more whole foods that have had minimal counts of preparation.

- VI. Eat more bitter foods and put more bitter ingredients in your foods such as, garlic and herbs.
- VII. Don't always rely on pharmaceutical drugs and drastic surgery to help with conditions related to the excess of bad and unhealthy foods and drinks. Drugs and surgery can hurt more than help. The drugs hurt you more period; with side effects. Pharmaceutical drugs and surgery are not recommended.
- VIII. A healthy lifestyle can be beneficial for any ailment. Conventional treatment is not always the answer for a cure or treatment. Herbal medicines are more than highly recommended. Herbal medicines and therapy have very minimal to no disturbing side effects compared to pharmaceutical drugs.
- IX. Even with healthy foods and drinks, do not take it excessively; too much of a good thing can be bad.
- X. A balanced consumption of the right foods and drinks will not create obesity in people. Do not starve yourself to be thin or to stay thin. Starving slows down the body's metabolism. Healthy foods and drinks help to build the body's immune system. There wouldn't be a need for vitamin supplements or over-the-counter drugs.

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XI. Don't use illegal drugs and tobacco products.

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Chapter 4- Physical and Mental Wellbeing

These are the points concerning Physical and Mental Wellbeing:

- I. Don't starve to be thin, it is not healthy. Starving slows down the body's metabolism; it weakens the immune system.
- II. Air and water quality where you live is very important.
- III. Try to do a heart-pumping exercise at least once in a day. Walk more, stay idle less. Yoga and other stretching exercises are good.
- IV. Meditation is important to leave time to be by yourself in quiet reflecting on God, yourself, others, and your day. Meditation to help let go of the distraction of the electronics and noise in a modern daily life; to return to simplicity of quiet, rest, and God. Thinking of God during the day along with talking and complaining to him is healthy. Prayer during the course of a day is helpful for mental wellbeing. Prayer before doing any type of activity and prayer before sleeping is important. Prayer helps you to meditate on God. There is no special position to be in while meditating and praying.
- V. Visions from God cannot be acquired from meditation and prayer alone. Having godly visions isn't a skill to build on for years to

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come it is gladly given in abundance by God. If thought to be obtained in that way and something do become manifest it is of the devil and turn away from it quickly.

- VI. Meditation and prayer helps with the spirit to become closer to God. It is not the only tool, meditation and prayer goes with a whole list of things when it comes to being closer to God.
- VII. Don't lie or deceive yourself and others. Lies and secrets bring you down but, truth and fairness brings you freedom, a clearer mind in God. Filthy thoughts or corrupt thoughts keep the mind from thinking of God. Idle thoughts and chatter keep the mind and spirit from God.
- VIII. Don't consume yourself over your body image.

Chapter 5- Exposition on God

These are the points concerning the exposition on God:

- I. Live a simple life and worship God. Live as like the angels.
- II. Live righteously in ourselves and with others. Don't disrespect each other and God. Don't become susceptible to the Devil and his friends. Don't hurt oneself; no suicide.
- III. Try to be in his image in perfection. Adam and Eve use to be in God's image before they sinned with each other. God made Adam and Eve at the same time. God made men and women equal in mind and spirit, so we can serve God efficiently and equally. When things went wrong by sin, men and women roles become more complex when serving God.
- IV. As a role of prophets, disciples, priests, rulers, and followers. All of these roles can be held equally by men and women.
- V. Giving selfless praise and thanks to the Lord God every day and every minute of the day.
- VI. God wants to share great goodness with us instead of just experiencing it alone. God wants us to be in love with him and for us to love each other.
- VII. He doesn't want us to ignore his message.

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- VIII. There is a difference between the Holy Spirit and demonic possession. God didn't want blind worshipping slaves at his throne being forcibly possessed with godliness but, to learn the way to get to the Lord through challenges and understanding. Hence, during the creation of the universe he created evil.
- IX. The concept of free will is nonexistent because, every path is preordained. The path of the stars, planets, people, animals, and even the weather.
- X. God's pure, unaltered knowledge have been lost to us by the corruption of people going back from Enoch, before Noah and the deluge till now. People of this generation have lost so many books with the wonderful teachings of God over time. God's message has been lost for many human generations. Nobody believes that God created everything in six days without any doubt. Education today makes it impossible to believe this feat.
- XI. The six days did happen. The problem is that we learn by living that six days is too short, the dating of the planet and universe measures something around billions of human years. A million human years to God is a second. Compare infinity years to a thousand human years, it is but a blink of an eye. The time we know of now, created thousands of years ago, is not the same recording of time created by God from the beginning. God just expanded himself in six days according to God's timeline, for example, dog years, human years, or fish years. We all live in the same

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time of existence but, aging and death runs on a different clock.

XII. God's message shall be reborn and become anew again. All of the secrets of God will be revealed and known again. It will depend on who's listening. "Let there be light," God is and was that Light.

XIII. We are a part of God, to truly be fulfilled in life and spirit is to reconnect with God. We lost that by the curse of sin. There is a mission we as people are responsible for that is to find the way to the Lord.

XIV. The teachings and rules that were given to the Jews during the forty year exodus, excluding the necessary, were created by God because, they weren't following God as they should and were weak in his word. To follow rules such as, divorce and stoning are wrong teachings given by God. It was suppose to be temporary. It doesn't need to be followed.

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Chapter 6- Exposition on the Devil

These are the points concerning the exposition on the Devil:

- I. The use of witchcraft is to dupe people to go the wrong way away from God.
- II. The Devil has an assistant, a real close right-hand demon.
- III. Psychics and soothsayers are evil.
- IV. He uses cults and wrong teachings of the true God to bring most people into the depths of Hell. Hell is real.
- V. The Devil and the demons want help but, don't want to admit it.
- VI. He uses implanted thoughts to deceive people into thinking like him. You think it is of us but, at times it is the Devil. The Devil and demons try to keep as much of the true God away from our daily lives and thoughts so, they can have a way of coming in. They know when you have God, they become powerless against you. They cannot harm you. When they know that God is becoming more prominent in your life, they try to have their presence around more to bring you to the paths of Hell.

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- VII. They would use things such as education, science, or philosophy to come away from the true teachings of God, to not believe in heaven or hell, angels or demons, not even possession.
- VIII. The Devil is hopelessness, despair, and woes. It doesn't matter if you make a deal with the Devil; he knows you will still end up with him suffering in Hell.
- IX. The Devil and Demons are jealous of us because, most of us aren't condemned by the Lord; we still have an opportunity to still come close to God's glory. They feel since they are condemned, we should be also. They lost their chance to be with God in heaven by disobeying God very early on. They are not our allies or friends.
- X. Once we don't accept God that leaves a door open for Satan. Scientists are getting help from the Devil. Aliens are demons watching over us.
- XI. To not be as the Devil, but to be as God, we still need to love the Devil and demons. Love our enemies. We don't need to love or even like the evil that is being conducted. We are all God's creations evil and good. The Devil and demons are still our brothers and sisters just as the angels are. The only problem is that they defected from God just as we had through sinning.
- XII. The Devil is the strongest being when it comes to evil even though he is trapped in

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Hell for now. He can switch from God-like to evil instantaneously with no difficulty. But, his right-hand demon along with all the rest of the demons does not have this ability; they are all just pure, undiluted evil. They must flee at any occurrence of God, either speech or thought. Demons cannot tolerate the love of God but, only the Devil can.

- XIII. The Devil can present himself as a God-like being and deceive plenty of people but, not those that God gave to recognize him regardless of his many disguises. There is no test needed, just recognition within less than two seconds if a person is truly in God.
- XIV. The Devil doesn't only deal solely spiritually; he has his physical workers to do his bidding on this earth, to keep people oppressed and hopeless. Also, the other side of the coin is to bring about hope, peace, prosperity, and optimism to people just to deceive them so, people could give themselves willingly to him and Hell. The antichrists and anti-prophets are in his pocket.
- XV. The main antichrist and anti-prophet are making their move right now. The Devil loves to take people easily, that is why he loves those that are ignorant in God and cannot tell the difference between him and God; to not recognize the Devil's workers and their words of deceit against God's workers and their words of truth and spiritual freedom.

Chapter 7- Addiction

These are the points concerning addiction:

- I. The Devil is happy and encourages addiction. It keeps people as slaves and to not think of God. To be candidates for Hell and condemnation.
- II. To admit there is a problem is through the grace of God. God is the only one to bring a true solution from addiction, even if people don't recognize it.
- III. The Devil likes to prey on those that are weak hence addiction is an easy way to lure people astray. He also loves it when this evil can be passed down from generation to generation. To break the cycle of addiction is to give yourself fully to the Lord. But, don't get caught up with a brain washing organization.
- IV. We as people don't know ourselves or even our purpose in this life. We see the hardships of life and we want an escape. The Devil from the earliest time of humans even now created a series of distraction for people. The greatest vulnerability to us in addiction is not knowing or getting the proper teachings of God from our elders. We don't know the narrow path of righteousness. We want to feel loved.

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- V. There is emptiness in all of us that we want to be filled; only truly knowing God can take away that emptiness. It is easier to try to forget than to face our fears, problems, regret, and mistakes. Through addiction we do things that we don't want to do to forget and keep somber when confronting our pain. The Devil loves this weakened state to take over your life and to feel you will die if you can't remain a slave to an addiction.
- VI. God is the only true solution to not being an addict. He will take away that feeling of temptation; from falling off the wagon. Helping with temptation is God's specialty. God is here for us.
- VII. If death occurs through the course of addiction, that person will be going into Hell.

Chapter 8- Spiritual Beings in our lives

These are the points concerning Spiritual Beings in our lives:

- I. There is such a thing as spirits, demons, angels, Jesus, and the Devil. They're there all the time but, most of us don't know it. They can manipulate our lives and decision making. They can make their suggestions as if it is our own thoughts. They can manifest as malicious manipulators in peoples' lives and they can manifest as benign manipulators in peoples' lives.
- II. The evil beings want to annoy and frighten people; to bring people to fear and confusion. To have them bring people away from God and God's true teachings, to go astray from God, and to give up hope. They want us to only focus on the evil in this world, to give up on God, and for people to misunderstand God's message and feelings towards us as people.
- III. There are such things as sprites and fairies that can be around us to help manipulate us. Even though they are small demons, they can really impact your life if you are weak to the Devil. Being weak to the Devil is to not care about God in our daily lives.

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- IV. Possession is real. Evil beings in our lives can bring about symptoms of depression, schizophrenia, multiple personalities, and bi-polar disease. They can make you feel rebellious when there is no need to rebel. To make you feel alone and useless.
- V. Evil spiritual beings can possess us if we do not carry the shield of God within us. They can possess us to feel as if we are of the wrong gender; sorry, God doesn't make mistakes on which we are suppose to be. The Devil loves the confusion of the sexes. If you feel that you are a woman in a man's body, that is the Devil causing mischief in your head and in your life. The Devil loves confusion and doubt in us. If you already had a sex change then there is no turning back for many people but, there still can be a chance of redemption for some.
- VI. Spiritual beings are always around us. Evil spiritual beings telling us to do, say, think and feel things that are not consistent with God. It doesn't matter if we are three, five, twenty-seven, or seventy, they don't stop working on us to fail in the Lord. Godly spiritual beings are the opposite; they try to tell us to be godly and to do goodness towards one another. But, we don't want to listen most times out of ten. They try to help us to live righteously in the Lord. Most of us stop listening as early as three or four. For those of us that are sill listening beyond the age of four, it is truly a blessing from God alone. Because, of these

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people that never tried to stop listening, they shall be of the Saints.

VII. Jesus died for our sins and he is the Son of God. Godly beings are here to protect and console us when we are in distress even when we don't know that they are around. They intervene when it is necessary in our lives to bring us to the end of life better off than when we started. They are important crucial components of God and shouldn't be underestimated. We can't do without them. Events around us wouldn't go the way it should without them such as, rain, wind, the seasons, and rotation of our planet and the movement of the universe. Some angels are charged to certain responsibilities such as the planets, stars, wind, our body function, and things that aren't seen that contribute to what we know now. They are a part of the uninterrupted extension of God because, they never sinned.

VIII. The spiritual phase does exist. Spiritual beings, no matter evil or godly are all a piece of God and that make us all related.

Chapter 9- Psychics and Seers

These are the points concerning Psychics and Seers:

- I. They receive their information from spirits, demons, and the Devil. They are neither Prophets nor Saints.
- II. They are manipulators of people's hopes and dreams to deceive people into believing in them.
- III. These are not godly people unless; they don't depend on spirits and demons for their information but, depend on God for information. There is a reason why there is a clear warning about them in the Bible.
- IV. They can't help but to see spirits and demons disguised as God, Jesus, or the Angels, but they don't know the difference between them to tell them apart. Only through God alone can anyone know the difference between the presence of God and the Devil.
- V. Most of them use their lack luster abilities for profit, recognition and praise. Some get paid for false, vague predictions. Some that try to say they just want to help for no profit are still in the same position of those that use abilities for profit. Because, they use it out of pride and self worth. They are not special.
- VI. People who have these abilities don't know how to handle themselves without the

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corruption of sin plaguing their abilities. For these people to truly use the abilities sans sin is to be informed by God all the step of the way. To depend on God, not on spirits, demons, and the Devil, to guide them with their abilities so as to not become corrupt.

- VII. God makes it for them to be temporarily helped for issues of the world but, overall their interference is not totally welcomed by the Lord. Because, most of these people are into witchcraft, they do not see the Lord's word to be important. Some are even atheist. They feel they can do as they want without the inclusion of God and his mercy.
- VIII. Those that do properly include God in their lives are welcomed by the Lord and encouraged to use their abilities. Yes, God made it so that these people exist but, only as a testament to the rest of us. The testament being to not be in the pitfall of the Devil. Those that think they can use God for their own means, it cannot happen. God's strength cannot be manipulated by anyone besides God and beings that are truly with him.
- IX. Most to all of them are not godly people. The Devil gave people this ability to lead the righteous astray.
- X. An ability given by God is solely given through righteousness and through the development of perfection. When a person does evils and corruptions the ability is forsaken and hidden. Until the person goes on the right path again.

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- XI. Psychics can smoke, drink, and do anything under the sun. Their ability is neither hidden nor suppressed.
- XII. The origin of psychic abilities goes back to the early times of humans, the time of Enoch before the deluge, when certain Angels disobeyed God to fornicate with women. The Angels taught them the basic principles of witchcraft and psychic powers; and these have stuck with our societies for generations.
- XIII. Those that want to seek counsel are given stark warnings by God to not do so. Because, it is unnatural powers that wasn't given by God. Those that seek their counsel are sinning against God. God says the only counsel we should and shall seek is God's counsel from those that he has surely given; that is obeying his commandments.

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Chapter 10- Dreams and Visions

These are the points concerning dreams and visions:

- I. Seeing dreams that come to past doesn't make you a Prophet or a Seer. God can give anyone a dream about something to happen. A child molester can have a dream. Seeing certain dreams doesn't make you special. Most times dreams are a warning. People who look more or make more out of what they see in a dream are just misguiding and elevating themselves selfishly. People who look more into what others claim to see and sometimes do see are misguided and uninformed in God.
- II. No we cannot control a dream or vision. God makes us see and do what is necessary to convey a message to us. Even though, some people think that we can manipulate our dreams, it is really God who allows us to do certain things in a dream. By thinking about something in life doesn't mean it will always definitely come up in your dreams unless, God is conveying a message.
- III. Most people cannot and at times will never properly interpret the meanings of all their dreams. Some go to dream books, seers, or interpreters to understand their dreams. These sources are not welcomed by God because, these sources are all corrupted. By an individual's self preservation the process

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becomes corrupt by an individual's personal desire for money, recognition, or whatever other desires. Only those that are with God can accurately interpret a dream or vision every time but, where to find someone who truly and whole-heartedly follow God? That answer is up to God. God always want us in every situation to seek his guidance only.

- IV. Those that don't remember their dreams or visions or don't see dreams or visions at all, the reason for that is evil. Evil beings can prevent you from remembering dreams or stop dreaming all together. In some occasions a voodoo person can put a spirit on you to suppress dreams or visions. Our spirits become suppressed by the evil in this world by what we see, things we live through in life, and by the wrong decisions we make. But, sometimes God still allow particular people to see a dream or vision, it is God's decision.
- V. Visions shouldn't be confused with a dream. A vision is a state of being when a person is not asleep when an image is being seen; unless, it is a dream vision. Visions are present to those that are in and stay in the ways of God. There are some instances when God can show an ordinary person a vision for a special purpose. But, mainly visions or dream visions are designated for those that are truly with the Lord God. A vision-like experience experienced by seers or Satanists are not visions being described here as a vision of God. A true vision of God is solely

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given by God not only for a personal message for a person; it is given by God for prophetic reason also. A prophetic message concerning the people of God, the people of this world or for the understanding of God. A dream vision again is not experienced by many that consists of this but, when God puts you under a deep sleep uninterrupted.

- VI. A true vision comes typically with a height of understanding about God. It is unobtainable by physical hard work, mental training, or service to God. It is earned from God when he believes it should be given to those worthy to be shown a vision. Visions aren't easily obtained from God.
- VII. The Devil and evil beings can make people dream and have visions on things to be lead into a path of unrighteousness. Seers are participants in this.

Chapter 11- Voodoo and Witchcraft

These are points concerning Voodoo and Witchcraft:

- I. Musical instruments can be used to lure or possess people.
- II. Every religious institution and cult uses it to bring in more followers. Speaking in tongues and healing are faked by these religious institutions to bring in more followers. Some of these organizations use voodoo/witchcraft to make people feel that they were helped when actually it was these same organizations that made them feel sick or ill spiritually or physically. Voodoo in religious cults and institutions are also used to keep followers submissive.
- III. The most use of voodoo is built on jealousy, envy, vicariousness, hatred, and avariciousness.
- IV. Voodoo rituals are real. People still practice it even today. Especially, the practice of spirit worship and creation of voodoo dolls, charms, pouches, and seals, which, always need to be renewed and updated.
- V. Witchcraft, Voodoo, Sanitaria, Wanga are just a few words to name an ancient human practice to bring about things unfamiliar to the workings of God. But, God allows these

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unfamiliar workings as a chance for those practicing these things to turn away from them. There are infinite outcomes that can be brought about out of witchcraft. There are almost little to no limitations when it comes to manipulating the lives of others and ours.

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- VI. The practice of witchcraft goes back to the beginning of human sin. Because, this world has so many draw-backs we as people want things to be in our favor, in our liking. Instead of people learning from the hard lessons of life, we want to run from it and do this wrong so we can continue to do what we would want.
- VII. Some believe there is a separation of voodoo, as in good voodoo and bad voodoo. When it comes to God all voodoo is against God so, all is corruption of oneself. The practice of voodoo proves to God that we are wrongfully and unknowingly claiming independence from our creator; that we don't need his discipline. Those that are stubborn in their ways by practicing voodoo shall never be saved and sooner than later will not receive any more mercy from God.
- VIII. God's Holy Spirit will not be on this earth for much longer and there will be much chaos in this world; voodoo will be of no more use in voodoo practitioners' lives. This is a real and clear warning. Those that are addicted to it when they can't go a day without practicing it need to wean gradually from it. This is not a plea, this is a warning. There is a thin blue

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line and it is shrinking gradually and soon there will be no more blue line. The blue line is the protection given by God through his mercy to those that still shamelessly and stubbornly rely on witchcraft in their lives. It's an unending cycle.

- IX. There is no duality when it comes to practicing witchcraft and being in God. God and witchcraft don't belong together. Both cannot exist harmoniously together. Those who practice this don't see this distinction only those truly with God can. You cannot serve two masters unless you favor one over the other. The merging of God and witchcraft shows the lacking of faith in God. To believe you need extra help besides, what God can provide, those people have no faith in God at all. Denial is strong and so is the hold Satan has on those people.
- X. Some rely on witchcraft because, that is what they learned from young or that is all they know in connection with who God is and they just never learned anything else. These people have to break from that limitation and become well versed in the language of God, not substitutions.
- XI. God is stronger than witchcraft any given time but, to utilize God's strength you have to start letting go of your doubt of him, even those that don't believe in it. With God you are always protected with no renewing.

Writers' Background:

Wendell's Experience:

In the beginning, in the Christian year of 2001, it was summertime. I was trying to make changes in my life. All I wanted was to clean up the faults and vices within my soul, heart, and mind. The choice I made was due to the hardship and pain that the Lord let happen to me to teach me. I was a womanizer, a liar, fornicator, etc... But, one of the things besides fear and worry was that I wasn't baptized with the water and the word of God. During that same time, my sister also had the urge to baptize with the water and the word of God. It was brought to her attention by me to do it soon. She had a dream indicating diving in to water and seeing three angels in the water. It occurred to her that they were her brothers. Also, reading the book of Revelations in the New Testament scared her into going to God. As my sister, I also was, in fear of what the Lord would do to me if I didn't follow in his footsteps.

I worked slowly to learn the proper way the Lord wanted me to be. Due to the weakness in my heart, soul, and mind, a so call acquaintance stirred up the Devil that was in me. I took him in as a brother or a friend. But, because of my weakness and the Devil that was in him, there was great temptation to do wrong. His woes and suffering that he was going through, made him become desperate. The need of money was

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weight on his thoughts. The desire to build back his business was more important than God. But, with my sister, God was important. After reading Revelations, she was now interested in the New Testament and the knowledge of God's teachings. While going to school she tried to fit in as much reading as possible. Going to school wasn't easy because she sensed that there was evil embedded at that location. Therefore, it was a greater fight to be with God at that time. As my friend pursued fortune, I became part of the venture. As time passed, he became vexed that he could not obtain the capital that he needed. All of what Satan was about that emanated from him started to cleave to me. With all I knew of what God was about, there was much struggle to show him the way. Spiraling downhill with great speed, we both went to a "spiritualist" to help us. She, like most spiritualists, was just far from God as we were. Attempts from her to aid us towards prosperity, only created more burden. We all lacked the proper guidance which comes from the Lord.

A woman came into my life in the midst of my calamity. Knowing that I should have trusted my spirit, I didn't. Thus, once I gave into temptation of the flesh and thinking I may have found a mate, God showed me the truth. In late August of 2002 my sister and I were baptized.

Duke's Dream:

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I was watching a man trying to speak to some people about four to ten persons, but they weren't listening. He walked up some stairs where he was at; white stairs. There were pillars at the base of the top of the stairs. He walked a little past these going more from the start of the base to about three quarters from the middle of this elevated platform; there was a tall state of paganistic origins. He took the statue from its base with one hand and in another he had a piece of paper with a little two lines written on it. But, still people that were at the base of the stairs ignored that great feat; reminded me of Sampson. Sampson with God's strength pushed/pulled down the two towers/pillars he was attached to as a captive in Sodom and Gomorrah. So, when he walked down the stairs with these two things in each hand, I realized he is a man of the internet chat rooms that tried to warn people. He walked over to where I was in the kitchen by the garbage and threw the tall statue and the piece of paper in the garbage basket bag. I saw the statue disappear completely into the garbage but, the paper was lying on top of the garbage and I read it; it was a message from God, one last warning for the guy to give out to the masses. I read it and it read, "God sent Moses to talk to the people and after Moses is: Duke, a male name, and a male name to come or to be sent." I read it and was shocked my name was written with two other names. I realized that these three have to be simultaneously doing the work of God. Since Moses is out of the picture. It dawned on me that I am not in God like that, my eyes started to tear up with

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Moses right next to me on my right. He came closer to try to comfort me.

Duke's Dream:

I was watching a black or dark Indian man at the Ocean. He was standing on a cliff. He had his hands out to disrupt and raise the water level to tower stories over him. Then, he releases his hold. This guy follows in the way of the Lord and with his close connection and communication with the Lord, he is able to do this act; this is the narration. Then, they show God wanting to test him one day by another Ocean. This time it was a leveled Beach with grey/black sand. There was a little, small hump as those rock cliffs at the shore line went into the water. He is scared but, with the trust of the Lord, he does his work. The man was afraid that the waters would tower over him and drown him when he releases it. That didn't happen. The waters were disrupted but, didn't rise. The man was compelled to go by the high rock cliff that its base was on the sand and a bit into the water. He goes into the water a little and pair of hands and forearms comes from out the side of the rock, with water already cupped in the palms of the hands, and passed it on his face. This action is a sign of approval; this is the narration. Now, as I am looking at the television briefly it is the black or dark Indian man. He died in the 1940s or 50s as a very old man. His last days were in a worker's retirement

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home but, he never worked a day in his life; God's protection. The other retirees in the home hated this man because, they knew he never worked in his life but, is having the same privileges as them.

Duke's Dream:

I was walking with a group of people coming from somewhere. Then, all of a sudden we started to become more and more separated from each other. I was trying my best to stay with the leading group but, trying to have the group behind me see where I was going. But eventually, they lagged behind and they couldn't follow me and I was able to stay with the leading group. As I was keeping up, they were trying to ditch me and close doors behind them in front of me. I still got through anyway. There was one of the guys by the last doors and told me, "don't go any further, we don't want you here." I didn't listen and went through. I saw people heading to a staircase leading to an upper level. As I was in the stairwell, Satan was there in the form of a white woman adorned in a punk-religious garb. Satan didn't want me there either; I looked at Satan and said, "oh, it's you, Satan." She went up some stairs and I followed, I was curious about the secrecy of this gathering. The upper level look like a church or worshipping place; there were only Chinese and light, pale people. I stayed by the stairs and looked at all of the people. Satan was at the altar speaking to the congregation. My curiosity

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was satisfied and I was ready to leave; instead of just walking down the stairs I wanted to go around then down the stairs. When they noticed I was trying to leave they wanted to stop me from getting back to the stairs. I got to the stairs; Satan sent henchmen/guards with Chinese swords. I was able to quickly defeat them, as I was going through the door there were much more and more powerful. They became invisible. They were demons. I fought with them then, God transported me away with the wind.

Duke's Dream:

I was responsible in sending out some orbs. The first one or two, I had to hurl out in heaven for God to retrieve it. The orbs were God's and had to be returned to him. The last orb, I was almost tricked. The first scenery I went to was also full of clouds and the second scenery was full of beautiful waves at the lower half, blue all around. The linear clouds were clusters of God's angels sleeping; dormant state. I looked at both sceneries closely; the clouds I chose to throw-out the orb of God. Then, I realized, oops! This is the side of the pagan gods of Greece. When these gods sensed God's orb, they bolted for it. In spirit and mind, I had to out-stretch my hand and retrieve the orb. In mind and spirit, I manifested the scenery with the waves and liner clouds. I entered into it and flung the orb as hard as I could out into the mist of the angels. I was getting ready to leave but, I saw no

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one retrieving it. So, I went up to the orb and two child-like angels came forth from their sleep in the cloud. I thought they wanted me to follow them as they return the orb to God. Then, violent winds came which made the waters from the waves hit me and the two angels violently. The two angels, then told me to save them, I told them I am not the one to save them that I can't. The angels used me as a shield from the violent winds, somehow, I had two orbs in my hands with candle sticks at the top of it which I shielded properly, and the other wasn't. God put up a guard for my face to see past the violent winds to witness that and the two frightened angels to the right side of me. The winds were coming from the left. The winds were caused by the Greek gods that wanted the orbs. Then, the assault ended.

Duke's Vision:

I was in a room sitting in front of Jesus. He was standing beside a projection screen. While looking straight at me, he showed a still shot on the screen of a boy standing in a field with a happy sun to the right of him. Then, Jesus projected a still shot of the same scene but, now there is a volcano in the distance to the left behind the boy. The next slide showed the volcano exhausting deep ash and smoke from its mouth. The next slide showed the sun and sky being blocked with the ash and smoke, the sun and the boy were frowning; that was the last still shot. I knew

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what Jesus was telling without him having to say anything. I started to cry, got up from the chair, and collapsed at Jesus' feet. He looked down at me.

Duke's Experience:

I was preaching with my brother, Wendell, at 14th Street Union Square in Manhattan in New York City. We decided on that spot because, he has preached there before and acknowledged that it is a very good spot to "hit up" more people. Also, the spot is perfect for shelter if it should rain. So, after traveling from Brooklyn to Manhattan by subway and walking around a bit, we closed in on that pristine spot. Since I haven't preached in a while, my brother started first. As he was preaching, as it is whenever we do preach, most of the people walking by weren't listening to him. When we preach it isn't our own thoughts and words, it is of the Holy Spirit that moves us to speak on different problems that are affecting people right now. Most times when we speak homosexual couples love to hold hands in front of us as if we are talking hate speech. We speak on the influence of the Devil and the influence of God. We don't speak hate but, peace in God, not the typical brainwashing that is spoken in churches. My brother, Wendell, spoke for about an hour as the Holy Spirit instructed him to.

I took a breath and started speaking. As I was speaking, I was drawn to focus on the wrong teachings that have been passed down from generation to

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generation concerning the fundamentals of what God is about. I was focusing on how most of what we know or have heard about God is truly false or misunderstood. I kept repeating how people must stop using what they have heard about God and try to search for the truth about God themselves through fasting, prayer, baptism, and meditation. Of course, no one really listened but, when passing hear the word of the Lord being mentioned and try their hardest to really block out what we are saying. As I was preaching, a group of youths were starting to meet and gather to the right of us utilizing the pristine spot to hang out and chat. We knew they were hearing a bit of what we were saying because; they purposely started to be louder. As this mini-battle raged on it started to rain quickly and hard. Again, because we were in this spot it protected us from the rain. My focus went on the rain comparing it to what God's wrath is going to encompass if we don't heed his word to search for his light in this world of darkness. We could feel that they were becoming increasingly disrupted by what I was saying. The rain stopped just as quickly as it started. By this time they have increased in number to about twenty.

Because of their discomfort they started to lash out at us by making snide remarks. I responded to them with the authority of the Holy Spirit from the Lord. Not playing into their game of sarcasm but, preaching my answers. That is when the Holy Spirit really took hold of me. I couldn't control or second guess the words that were coming out of my mouth.

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I started to move and pace with the authority from the Lord. I couldn't control the volume of my voice or even the passion in my voice. The group of youths shut up and was giving me full attention. The look on their faces was of astonishment, shock, and hatred. The people that were passing by were looking at me as if I was crazy or lost my mind. Usually, when this kind of force from the Holy Spirit occurs my words are focused on how people should listen to the word of God and stop ignoring him in our life; if some of us think that we already know what God encases, religious or non-religious, we really don't know God. I tried to incorporate in the preaching to the people watching in surprise that my expressions are of the Holy Spirit from God and that I am really not crazy. But, that explanation didn't work and still looked at me as if I lost my mind. After the climax of the Holy Spirit taking over me it started to become calmer but, still as strong.

As I was speaking, Wendell had a vision of the Devil in a stall in a bathroom taking a dump. From the bottom of the stall he saw that the Devil was wearing black shoes and a black dress pants. He could envision that the Devil had on a whole ensemble of black which included a complete black suit with the black shoes and a tie. He appeared to be a white man. Wendell knew that by the Devil taking a dump was that the Devil was creating disruption to disrupt what we are doing. The black suit the Devil was wearing represented the power he has. The vision

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represented what was really fueling the group of youths discomfort and lashing out.

Then, the Holy Spirit had me to stop speaking. I still felt in my spirit that this task was not over. I told my brother how I felt and he fully supported me and we stayed for another hour with me preaching. After I spoke again, I felt that was the time to leave so we left for the subway. The Holy Spirit only comes into people that welcomes God with their whole heart and don't hold back. God knows his people those who really loves him fully, trusts him, and have full faith in him. Baptism is also important to have the spirit as clean as possible to have the Holy Spirit move through them. The Holy Spirit again is not what society says that it is we do not speak in tongues. We speak English so people can understand us, if God had us preach in tongues then people wouldn't understand us. The purpose of preaching would be useless.

Duke's Experience:

Voodoo experiences are not uncommon for my brother and me. One night when I was fast asleep in a dream, I was suddenly awakened. As I was awakening, I was automatically saying the 'Our Father' prayer from memory in my head. I felt there was a spirit that was sent to possess me in my sleep. After the spirit instantaneously went away I realized what had happened to me. I was already so tired that

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I immediately fell back to sleep after that. This has also happened to my brother.

Wendell's Dream:

I was high above New York City in Manhattan. I was levitating. I saw a big water wave at a distance. As it got closer, the wave looked that it will tower over me. I was getting nervous. At the position I was in the wave, the wave was towering over the Empire State Building and all of the high sky scrapers. I felt the spray of the water and the breeze from the force of the water. It approached closer to me to engulf me. I felt that this dream is representing the wrath of the Lord that is going to come to NYC.

Duke's Dream Vision:

I saw myself in Jerusalem standing by a road. I was with my sister beside me. There were Jewish soldiers clearing up debris from a day old atomic blast. But, the soldiers didn't know it was an atomic blast, they thought it was a regular bomb. They were talking to each other and making light of the situation by saying jokes. I knew that the Israeli government didn't tell the soldiers it was a radioactive area. I was saddened by the decision of the government carelessly sacrificing their own healthy soldiers for cheap. I knew that it was the near future and Israel

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was in conflict with a major western nation combined with other large allies. As I was in this scene with this kind of scenario, I saw below it a stamped date of 770 AD. At first I didn't understand what it meant and why it was there but, then it dawned on me that it is referencing the Bible. The part of the Bible this dream vision was referencing is:

Daniel Ch.9 v.24- 27

24. Seventy weeks are determined upon thy people and upon thy holy city, to finish the transgression, and to make an end of sins, and to make reconciliation for iniquity, and to bring in everlasting righteousness, and to seal up the vision and prophecy, and to anoint the most Holy.

25. Know therefore and understand, that from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem unto the Messiah the Prince shall be seven weeks, and threescore and two weeks: the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublous times.

26. And after threescore and two weeks shall Messiah be cut off, but not for himself: and the people of the prince that shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary; and the end thereof shall be with a flood, and unto the end of the war desolations are determined.

27. And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week: and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make

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it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate.

Duke's Dream:

I was in a movie theater walking to the elevator to get to a bathroom. As I approached the elevator, the door opened, someone was already inside. I walked into the elevator and was waiting for the door to close. The man inside started to talk to me. Within seconds I knew it was the Devil. I didn't want to be in an elevator alone with the Devil. So, I started to walk out. He stood by the elevator door trying to talk to me and coax me back into the elevator. I knew it was a trick to try to trap me. He said, "God doesn't care about you, just join me." I said, "No, that's ok." He then said, "God put you through all of this suffering. He enjoys it and don't care. All of this suffering and personal tests will amount to nothing." I continued to walk away unwavering.

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Wendell's Experience:

I was walking around in Manhattan. I noticed a woman a couple of times in a jogging outfit. At the third, I was walking down the street and I heard a yelp from the same woman saying, "That's mine." I looked up and I saw her panting and speechless, she looked confused and shocked. There was a guy with a black hooded pull-over she was speaking to that had her cell phone in his hand telling her strongly, "Get out of here," as he was gesturing with his left arm. As I was starting to walk over this exchange continued until I actually confronted him. By this time, the woman was sadly jogging slowly away. The guy started to do the same to me as he did the woman. I told him, "Give it back to her." He then said, "It's none of your business, stay out of it." Around this time the woman had stopped her journey away from the incident to stop and see what was happening between me and the guy. The guy said, "You don't want to get involved." I kept repeating the same phrase, "Give it back to her." The guy was reluctant but had dramatically toned down his aggressiveness when he was talking to me compared to how he had acted toward the woman. I quickly took off the book bag I had been carrying on my back and threw it to the ground. The woman had approached us and I said commandingly, "Is this yours?" She responded, "Yes, that's mine." I then again told the guy, "Give it back to her." Without hesitation he out stretched his arm and quickly gave it back to her. Before I could

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turn my head, she was off running away. The guy started to walk then he stopped and came back to where I was still standing. He said, "You don't mess around with a black man's business. You don't know when one may have a gun." He took off his hood, gave me a menacing look, turned around, and walked away. As he was walking away, I gave my last words yelling, "Don't do it. God's watching."

Wendell's Experience:

On a Sunday morning a quite interesting event happened. As I was on the E train, I awoke from sleep and decided to eat. While the train was sitting at Chambers Street in Manhattan, two black males walked into the car. One of them stood by the car door as the other sat next to a Hispanic male that was sound asleep. Automatically, you can tell that they were going to pickpocket him. As one kept watch, the other slyly moved over and stretched out his hand towards the unsuspecting man. All the while I'm watching this on and off acting as though I'm not aware. After a couple of minutes of trying, the guy that was attempting to pickpocket walked over to my vicinity. He asked me, "Are you alright." I replied, "Yes, I'm O.K., are you O.K.?" He said, "Yeah, I'm alright. I just saw you looking at me so, I was wondering if everything was O.K. with you." I said, "Yeah, I was looking at every one to make sure they were O.K." As he was walking away, I said, "I hope you all aren't

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going to do what I think you going to do?” He walked towards me and said, “What would make you say something like that, you don’t know me. What am I going to do, huh?” I claimed, “I only hope that you all weren’t going to do what I think you all going to do because remember, God is always watching.” He then walked back to where he was seated and proceeded to make his attempts at the man’s pocket. After a few failed tries, his partner stopped looking out and sat across from him and they started to talk. The petty thief pulled out a cell phone and a couple of dollars from his own pockets. Anyway, as they were talking I stopped over to them and began to engage them. I said, “I’m sorry to bother you guys, but I just wanted to say that God put you both in this car for a reason.”

Now, I may not be accurate with the dialogue but, I’ll do my best. He interjected, “Hey man, I don’t want to hear dat right now.” I insisted, “I know you don’t want to hear it, but this is valuable stuff.” As they tried to ignore me, I began to speak where he and I were talking at the same time. Irritation in his voice, he claimed, “Yo man, I tried to tell you nicely that I don’t wanna hear dat. Right now, you’re disrespecting my space.” I said sharply, “You’re sure you don’t want to hear what I have to say.” He replied, “I’m sure about that.” “O.K.,” I said as I walked back to my seat. As I continued eating, he was steadfast at his craft. Oh, I almost forgot, after the last small discussion, I awoke the gentleman and asked if he was ok. I told him we were at the last stop which is

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Chambers Street in Manhattan. All he did was nod his head indicating he was alright. I told him to be careful, someone might try to take your stuff and he went back to sleep. Every once in a while I would look over at the guys and the sleeping passenger. I kept praying to God that they would be disrupted in their action. The thought of forgiveness was on my mind; forgiveness emanated from me to them. I asked God to forgive and be lenient on them. I said, "God discourage their endeavors and be patient with them. After a few minutes, they retired and walked off the train. As they were passing by they looked at me, I glanced up at them and looked down at my sandwich and thanked God. Then I wondered, maybe I should have offered them a sandwich.

Wendell's Reflection:

There are days that we all can feel like there's no existence of a place of peace. The heart hardened is the one who chose dreams of grandeur and never seeking life die a terrible death. Heart hardened people usually want peace for themselves. They want respect from others. No one can bump them or step on their feet without the feeling of hate swell up in them. Heart hardened people expect hands to be stretched out to them when in need. But, where are their hands? Their hands are stuck in pockets with clenched fists. These people who want to live without people of other races are afraid of depreciation of

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their homes. Those who are afraid of the people they want to stay far away from are the same who don't want depreciation. The heart hardened is never giving always taking. Heart so dark how it screams for a soul it thinks is more prosperous. Why, old dark heart do you look with hateful eyes? Green is the color of the iris for the one who hates. Here is envy being born within the dark heart. There is no mercy in that heart. Prison is the sentence for the innocent, but not the heart that grows old quickly. The heart that's void of life is not registered within the Lord's records. Fleeing the narrow path of the Lord isn't wise. You think living for yourself and maybe your family is normal when it comes to goodness. You think that you can leave people to starve as they die in the cold with their hands held out.

Remember those dead cold hands old dark heart. Know that your time is coming soon. Patience is for those who desire virtue. The heart that's stone has its eyes stitched shut. It hopes to not see patience. Patience is the Lord. To not look at the Lord means to not see salvation. How peculiar, heart of stone, how is it that you seek peace? You are sick and bed ridden but, you will not go to the doctor. The doctor has the cure for your ailment, which will grant you peace. Cold heart, become warm and beat steadily. Peace is not in this flesh that rots. Peace is not a soul that dwells in torment and darkness. Understand poor heart, what's worth it, a short time of heart ache or a long time of heart's content.

Wendell's Experience:

As I was by my friend's house, her son and her grandson was there. While the son and the grandson was about to leave, as I sat on the chair I started to feel pressure from an unseen entity trying to enter my body. I was fighting it wondering what this is; fighting with prayers and asking God for the entity to go away. The feeling started to dissipate pretty quickly after my prayers to God. So, I again wondered to myself what this is. Could this be my blood pressure or could it really be an entity. Thus, as a few minutes passed, I looked at a drawing that her grandson drew. It looked like scribble. At some point when I looked again at the drawing for a few seconds, I noticed that it looked like an actual face with horns and sharp teeth. When I saw the drawing what immediately came to mind was demon. That was the conformation to me that it really was a demon.

Wendell's Reflection:

There are people going through such sadness daily. They think by projecting an image as if everything is O.K. no one will notice. But let me say this, that no one is happy. How can anyone be happy without the Lord? God almighty Jesus consoles all hearts which are in darkness. Anyone can prevail in a time of such despair. We must grant the Lord an opening. An opening that becomes wider as the Lord becomes

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nestled within our bosom. There isn't a time or place that is perfect to invoke the Lord. The Lord must be sought after at any time. As I walk about observing things, I can clearly see right through the hearts of people and the things they create. Obsession, it is the same as addiction. We have in this world where women will buy make-up as if they can't do without it. Some women feel they are unattractive and a worthless feeling sets in. Movies, billboards, and the media continually bombard, especially women, us with images of women having an image of perfection. The skin has to be flawless, the hair long and luxurious, and a body that's proportioned in a way that most women may never achieve. All of a sudden jealousy and envy sets in, and women are wondering how to obtain what's before them.

When men are looking at and desiring women with this physical appearance, how can women who lack it compete? Notice the word, compete. Competition is what women are in even though they deny it or don't comprehend it as such. Women are competing to be seen by men and even by other women. Think about it, if you see your boyfriend or husband admiring another woman, how would you honestly feel? Remember, I said, honesty. The jealousy creeps inside and paralyzes a woman, making her helpless. She is thinking what does she have that I don't have? This begins the spiral down a hellish road. Dislike or even worse, animosity towards that woman and your mate begins. Many relationships have been torn apart due to such foolishness. A fight might ensue between

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two women just because of a glance the ones mate gave to the other. Not to mention what can happen between the two in the relationship. There is a fine blue line and we are all teetering on it. How you as a woman will raise up your hand in violence because of jealousy. Hatred in your heart, for what cause is there to hate? We rationalize what we do as if it is appropriate in God's eyes. The vanity that you loath, you desire. Understand your error when you reach out in thought towards something evil, it has been done in the flesh. Once you start doing unholy things in the flesh then the inside and outside go rotten.

Out of contemplation you bought the make-up. Then as time passes, you bought the name brand clothes and shoes. Before you know it, jewelry, if not already worn, is attained and we can't forget the latest hair style. Now, look at yourself in the mirror and ask yourself, what do you see? If you haven't figured it out yet, then let me tell you that Satan has a hold on you. It is a hold that only the Lord, Jesus can unbind you from. Why mimic what's in front of you and you don't even know where it derived from. You don't know if Satan created this so you and many other women can be trapped. Be watchful and ask God to help you to discern what's right and wrong. Now that you have bought and worn all of this, do you feel better about yourself? Also, has your boyfriend or husband stopped looking at or lusting after other women? May praise, glory, and honor be to the Lord.


Wendell's Experience:

I was leaving a Duane Reade in Manhattan at night. I had just bought myself something to eat. While I was walking, I saw a homeless lady standing in front of a pharmacy across the street. I was looking at her and at the same time she was looking at me. I knew she needed some assistants. I started to walk toward her. I said, "Hi." I tried to be as polite as possible to make her feel comfortable with me. She responded with a "Hi." I told her my situation about being homeless. She started to open up to me and became more comfortable talking with me about her situation. She first asked me for a swipe on the train. Then, she decided she wanted a bagel; I went with her to purchase it. I asked her if she needed anything else. First, she said no then she accepted. We went into Duane Reade and headed down stairs where the cereal is. As we were entering the aisle of the cereal, the security guard was right behind us blatantly making his presence obvious. I thought maybe I must be interpreting his movements wrongfully. But, when I and the lady stopped that is when he also stopped closely by us. He was standing there the whole time we were patiently looking for the items she wanted. She got what she wanted and we started to head toward the check-out upstairs. The security guard pursued us. I paid and we left heading for the train station.

After the situation, I was reflecting on what had happened. I was in the Duane Reade before I had

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decided to come back with the lady and the security guard saw that I bought stuff the first time. I stayed on the first floor when I came by myself the first time. I didn't know when I returned with the lady to buy her something to eat that he would follow us even though he saw us transacting to pick-up and buy an item. The homeless lady was white. The security guard was black. I wondered if she was by herself would the security guard have followed us down stairs. This makes me feel how with every good deed the Devil is always trying to disrupt it.

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About the Author

Wendell Francis and Duke are West Indian Americans who grew up in a lower middle class spiritual West Indian Baptist family. They reside in Brooklyn, NY, USA. They grew up with some knowledge of God but no true understanding of what God is about, what the scriptures have to offer, why they even had to obey a being they couldn't see, and what was the importance of the Commandments they didn't understand. Until, one day God opened their eyes where they were able to discern the truth about the spiritual component to the life of everyone. God was able to conceive in them the awareness of spiritual beings that are harmful to our well-being that takes us astray; to grant foresight of things in the scripture that are true and if it's past, present, or future. So, they were given a deeper understanding of the scriptures. With the years of preparation and knowledge given by God, he is utilizing them. Even though, still imperfect, to help guide people onto God's path.

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