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Dear Friends,

*We ENTER into the **NEW YEAR 2017** – with **PRAISE and THANKSGIVING... on our lips...for ALL of the BLESSINGS of God, TO us, and THROUGH us - to OTHERS!** Come share with us in this **PRAISE and THANKSGIVING**, as we give to God, **ALL of the GLORY and HONOUR due His Name!** He has **BLESSED** us beyond measure throughout **2016!** **Welcome 2017**, as we sing **PRAISES and THANKSGIVING** for **ALL that He WILL DO** this year! I had the pleasure of sharing this **PRAISE REPORT (Part 1)** on our JBM Facebook page in December, and I share today also, just one of the **TESTIMONIES RECEIVED (Part 2)**; plus my **JOYOUS RESPONSE** to that testimony **(Part 3)!** Enjoy as you journey with us! **Give God the GLORY!** Hallelujah! Amen!*

Thought for Today: - JBM Facebook - December 11th, 2016

Part 1 - BUT GOD!

Have you ever stood back and ...watched what God does with your "little" as He turns it into His MUCH; in spite of the 'human' hands it passes through.

*Some folks do NOT do or say the right things, when it comes to putting to **OBEDIENT** use, God's **SEED (money)...** sown for all of the right reasons, by His faithful, and intimately **OBEDIENT** children!*

*But, that is **NOT** the end of the story.*

Read this piece of scripture with me... noting in particular, verses 6 and 7...

*1Cor 3:1 **HOWEVER, BRETHREN**, I could not talk to you as to spiritual [men], but as to nonspiritual [men of the flesh, in whom the carnal nature predominates], as to mere infants [in the new life] in Christ [unable to talk yet!]*

1Cor 3:2 I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not yet strong enough [to be ready for it]; but even yet you are not strong enough [to be ready for it],

1Cor 3:3 For you are still [unspiritual, having the nature] of the flesh [under the control of ordinary impulses]. For as long as [there are] envying and jealousy and wrangling and factions among you, are you not unspiritual and of the flesh, behaving yourselves after a human standard and like mere (unchanged) men?

1Cor 3:4 For when one says, I belong to Paul, and another, I belong to Apollos, are you not [proving yourselves] ordinary (unchanged) men?

*1Cor 3:5 What then is Apollos? What is Paul? **Ministering servants [not heads of parties]** through whom you believed, even as the Lord appointed to each his task:*

1Cor 3:6 I planted, Apollos watered, but God [all the while] was making it grow and [He] gave the increase.

1Cor 3:7 So neither he who plants is anything nor he who waters, but [only] God Who makes it grow and become greater.

1Cor 3:8 He who plants and he who waters are equal (one in aim, of the same importance and esteem), yet each shall receive his own reward (wages), according to his own labour.

1Cor 3:9 For we are fellow workmen (joint promoters, labourers together) with and for God; you are God's garden and vineyard and field under cultivation, [you are] God's building. [Isa. 61:3.] (Amp)

I LOVE that.

BUT God!

Thank You Jesus - that You ALONE have OVERCOME the world, on our behalf. (John 16:33)

Thank You Father God, that EXACTLY the purpose, You have assigned for the SEED that has been sown... WILL COME to PASS.

You said -Your Word will NOT go out and come back VOID. (Isaiah 55:11) Hallelujah!

But it WILL accomplish ALL that You have assigned for it!

Whoohoo! That's shoutin' time for me, about there; Because, I have surely SOWN some SEED into God's kingdom over the years – and I have learned, that you cannot OUT-GIVE God.

GIVE and it shall be given to you...

Luke 6:38 Give, and [gifts] will be given to you; good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over, will they pour into [the pouch formed by] the bosom [of your robe and used as a bag]. For with the measure you deal out [with the measure you use when you confer benefits on others], it will be measured back to you. (Amp)

*So – you see, my harvest will come in; because Jesus said it would – and I BELIEVE Him! Some of it will not happen till we get to glory... but that is OK too. **Because then it will be CELEBRATION time, for ALL of us, and I LIKE to SHARE! Amen!***

In order for me to be BLESSED, I NEED to see YOU BLESSED!

It's called Sowing, Reaping and Harvest!

One SOWS!

Another WATERS!

BUT God... GIVES the INCREASE; the HARVEST!

Yep! You read it right!

Got nothing to do with YOU or ME... ONLY God!

Sorry to burst your little 'ego bubble'... BUT God!

He ALONE gathers into His barn; those ONLY - whom He has DRAWN - to His Holy Spirit's whisper; and who have HEARD and OBEYED His instructions, with a spirit of repentance!

There is a reminder of the OTHER side of the OBEDIENCE walk ... BLESSING!

Now ... what is interesting for me today, (11th December 2016) is a simple little... 'Tick of Approval' that we received here at Jachin Boaz Ministries, after lodging our official annual documents with the government. And we all know the scripture that says ...

Mark 12:17 Jesus said to them, Pay to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's.

You can find similar in...

Matthew 22:21 They said, Caesar's. Then He said to them, Pay therefore to Caesar the things that are due to Caesar, and pay to God the things that are due to God.

Here is another example of God making mention of something MORE than ONCE!

So you NEED to LISTEN!

But there is another scripture that I LOVE...

Pro 13:22 A good man leaves an inheritance for his children's children, but a sinner's wealth is stored up for the righteous.

Isn't that... a wonderful thing!

BUT God!

ONLY God could do that.

He will supernaturally transfer the devil's money into your account; if you'll just let Him!
And though the CHURCH is spiritually BLIND to so many of these TRUTHS, the WORLD will occasionally surprise you with a... **'Tick of Approval'**; regardless of the fact ...that you haven't asked, or implied in any form, the DESIRE for such recognition... you RECEIVE from the Lord, His FAVOUR, via 'Caesar's' hand.

WOW! I LOVE the way You work Lord.

I LOVE that You recognize the BLESSINGS shared, and the lives SAVED and ENCOURAGED in the FAITH, via those associated with Jachin Boaz Ministries. You are an awesome God.

Yep...

BUT God. Amen.

John 16:33 I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have [perfect] peace and confidence. In the world you have tribulation and trials and distress and frustration; but be of good cheer [take courage; be confident, certain, undaunted]! For I have overcome the world. [I have deprived it of power to harm you and have conquered it for you.] (Amp)

Thank You Father God for providing for us the OVERCOMING POWER to DO, all that You would ask of us.

Thank You for the FAVOUR that has been bestowed upon us, as You walk ahead of us, and get the attention of **'the world'.**

It is VERY humbling to KNOW that You care that MUCH for us.

But it is even MORE humbling to KNOW that You CARE EVEN MORE for those, for whom WE CARE.

Our resources are so FRAGILE and FINITE ... BUT God!

BUT GOD... is into the MULTIPLICATION game! Whoohoo! Hallelujah!

He takes our FRAGILE little FRAGMENTS, and multiplies them into His MUCH... for those who RECEIVE, just as He did for that crowd of people; the day He fed them, with the little boy's lunch.

Thank You Jesus!

What a JOY it is to walk this earthly journey WITH YOU!

It was my pleasure to GIVE this PRAISE report, to our government's agency today (11-12-2016)!

Thank you for journeying with us!

"Our ministry (JBM), though extremely SMALL in number, and income; uses EVERY dollar it receives, to assist those less fortunate. That IS the Gospel of Jesus Christ – to Go Ye! Amen!

And we are BLESSED to report, that people's lives have been SAVED, NOT just unto SALVATION – but ALSO by surgery, and medication, and food and shelter, and MOST of all – education; both SECULAR and SPIRITUAL - ALL provided by JBM this year.

We GIVE ALL of the LITTLE we get, and WATCH what God DOES with our LITTLE, to achieve His MUCH – miraculous, end-results!

To God be ALL the Glory. Amen and Amen!"~~~

Just today (01-01-2017) I received this TESTIMONY... Thank You Jesus! (NOT the only one, but one of a number received)... and so I share it with you, as part of our PRAISE and THANKSGIVING - Welcome to 2017!

Part 2 - Testimony of Carol Ann Barka...

"Thank You Lord, Who always causes us to triumph in Christ Jesus.

January 2016; as I sat on a chair and looked down my driveway, I said 'goodbye' to Queensland and could not believe, that God had delivered me! I cried as my goods were loaded into a container. I had never had a professional removalist, move me anywhere, before that day.

Thanks to Jachin Boaz Ministries, and spiritual partners of this, so vital - ministry, I had left danger behind, to go home to NSW where I was born. The LOVE of this ministry... of God's work, caught me by surprise, and I was completely overwhelmed by God's grace.

I often think... if we put ourselves in the way to be helped... God pours out the blessings, and the increase, and the means – plus LOVE; ALL ...His work!

During 2016 I have been set FREE... delivered, and in a right relationship with God. I thank the Lord for Jachin Boaz Ministries, as they took up the shield of FAITH - to BELIEVE for GREATER things for the brethren. Just like Jesus, they went ALL the way, to help me, in every area of my life.

Thank you so much. I am THANKFUL, and will NOT forget the kindness and LOVE they shared with me. Thank you so much, Jesus! (John3:16-17)”

*John 3:16 For God so greatly loved and dearly prized the world **that He [even] gave up His only begotten (unique) Son, so that whoever believes in (trusts in, clings to, relies on) Him shall not perish (come to destruction, be lost) but have eternal (everlasting) life.***

*John 3:17 For God did not send the Son into the world in order to judge (to reject, to condemn, to pass sentence on) the world, **but that the world might find salvation and be made safe and sound through Him.** (Amp) Amen and Amen!~~~*

Part 3 – My JOYOUS REPLY!

*I continue to give to God ALL of the PRAISE and THANKSGIVING due His Name... as I share my response to Carol Ann, and to ALL who will journey with us – Heavenward, BLESSING the brethren, as DISCERNMENT instructs... **throughout this New Year - 2017!***

God bless you Carol Ann, darling, for He TRULY does LOVE you.

*My favourite part of that scripture... APART from the AWESOME FACT that God was the ORIGINAL "giver" ... and our ROLE MODEL; He GAVE us Jesus; our FREE (but NOT cheap) PASS to Heaven ...I personally LOVE this next part of verse 17, "**...but that the world might find SALVATION and be made SAFE and SOUND THROUGH Him.**" Amen! Love those three "S" words...*

SALVATION – SAFE – SOUND! And the fact that it can ONLY be achieved THROUGH Him! Yeah! That's shoutin' time about there! Glory!

*As we LEARN - sitting on His lap, and sharing the INTIMACY of our relationship, **we HEAR His 'heartbeat' and His 'whispers' to us... to GO YE!** Whatever He whispers in our ears - we MUST DO! **That's called OBEDIENCE!** And God always rewards OBEDIENCE!*

*I am SO glad you, Carol Ann, were part of His REWARD this year. And I am SO excited to see what else He DOES; IN us; and THROUGH us; **this coming year - 2017!***

***Watch this space!** Our God is an AWESOME God. Hallelujah! And He just so happens to SPECIALIZE in MULTIPLICATION - NOT division! So prepare your spirit to RECEIVE from His Hand, this year! NO seeds of BLESSING, from His Hand, can GROW in UN-fertile soil... so be SURE you tend the "garden" of your heart, diligently, to be found a deliciously soft landing place, for EVERY whisper He has for you; this year – 2017!~*

***We are so full of PRAISE and THANKSGIVING to God, for ALL that He has made possible, via our (Jachin Boaz Ministries) OBEDIENCE, throughout this PAST FIVE YEARS!** The 'ripple effect' has been felt globally; Amen; and CONTINUES to send out 'those' circles! And Heaven will reveal the HARVEST. His Word will NOT go OUT and come back VOID! **He is a PROMISE KEEPER!** Unlike us – God is NOT fickle! What God SAYS – God SEES – Yesterday, Today and Forever! And – I usually HEAR Him the FIRST TIME... so no need for Him to cook His "spiritual cabbage twice", so-to-speak. Selah! Mind you, if you require to be SURE that you are SURE, by ALL means ASK Him to RE confirm, many times if necessary... BEFORE making decisions, that could come back to bite you. He LOVES that we ASK. But He LOVES it MUCH MORE, when we HEAR Him SPEAK the FIRST TIME. **That's called INTIMACY! The other is ASSURANCE!** Don't get the two confused. There is NO confusion in Christ, remember! But should you, like me, get it wrong on occasions; REPENT and start again! He is the God of second chances! Hallelujah!*

Meantime - let's continue to work TOGETHER (1Cor 3:9) in a spirit of UNITY, and GIVING; and see those three "S" words BLESS the boots off as many others, as God purposes. As God draws them to Himself; He will introduce to us, those whom He chooses to BLESS, via our exercising of Holy Spirit discernment, and OBEDIENCE!

Thank you Carol Ann, for being a **gracious RECEIVER**, and **NOT robbing us of our Blessings!** We are **BLESSED to be a BLESSING**. Amen! And thank you for being a **THANKFUL and APPRECIATIVE receiver**, of Heavenly instructions, via JBM's obedience, to do as He said. Just like the parable, where ten were blessed, but **ONLY ONE ...RETURNED to say THANK YOU**, you are **VALUED, LOVED and APPRECIATED** – especially in lieu of the **FACT, that NOT ONLY God has noted your OBEDIENCE and APPRECIATION**, but Jachin Boaz Ministries has noted that also. **THANK YOU!**

MOST – just **BEG**, borrow and/or **STEEL**. Some are careless with the **GIFTS** which God bestows! Some, in their pride and arrogance – proceed to tell God what to do with; or what they will do with; **the GIFTS given**. **While occasionally – ONE precious, appreciative heart will return with PRAISE and THANKSGIVING on their lips!** Thank you for being numbered amongst the **“ONE”**.

But – regardless of the hand (hands), through which the **BLESSINGS** flow – God is **NOT MOCKED** nor **LIMITED** by human pride, and just as He has promised in His Word, our **OBEDIENCE** will be rewarded – **His purpose to FULFILL**. Amen and Amen! **NOTHING to DO with us – ONLY our OBEDIENCE!** To God be **ALL the GLORY!**

As the **TITLE** of this **PRAISE REPORT** states... **BUT GOD!** **But for God** – we are **NOTHING**, and can achieve **NOTHING**. **And so we HONOUR Him and give Him ALL the GLORY, for multiplying our LITTLE, into His MUCH, and ALL FOR His GLORY**. Amen! Hallelujah! We can **NEVER OUT-GIVE** God... but - Jachin Boaz Ministries will continue to **TRY** – throughout 2017 ...and see how many others God will **BLESS** – via our **OBEDIENCE!** We **WILL** continue to **TRUST** Him!

I am **NOT** sure how Jachin Boaz Ministries may have **INFLUENCED**, **YOUR** life, **but of THIS I am SURE...** that by the time we get to meet face-to-face at the **Kingdom Kidz Koffee Klub** in glory... **ALL WILL BE REVEALED...** for God's Glory and Honour, and our corporate **BLESSING**. Meantime – Let's keep-on-keeping-on! Let's journey on together. Let's **BLESS** as we are **BLESSED**. Let's continue to **TRY to OUT-GIVE God!** We all **KNOW** – that is **IMPOSSIBLE** for us... but we **KNOW** that **ALL** things are possible with God; and it gives us something to **AIM HIGHER** for – that is **FAR BIGGER and BETTER and GREATER than ourself!** Amen! **THANK YOU** for journeying with us in **PRAYER**, in **GIVING**, and in **BEING** – an obedient, and faithful, **IMITATOR** of Christ Jesus! We **LOVE, VALUE and APPRECIATE** you, each one!

BUT GOD!

I continue to – “**STAND AMAZED - in the PRESENCE – of Jesus the Nazarene!**”

Happy New Year – 2017!

You might care to enjoy this sweet song of GRATITUDE with us!

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus - by Don Moen

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U0F8tpP8ODs>

Till next month

From my house to yours

Blessings of the abundant kind!

Leila Nord.

