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Dear Partners,

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Did you know that there is a vaccine for the Coronavirus? It's called the Word of God! This vaccine has been around long before the Coronavirus and is known as the best immunization against any virus in the world! The Word of God is the most powerful weapon on the face of the earth and we need to get a hold of it! With the Word, we can combat satan with all his tactics, plans and assignments. Jesus declared the Word of the Living God when He was tempted by the devil in the wilderness (Matthew 4).

The number one tactic that the devil will use against you is FEAR. The best acronym for the word FEAR is False Evidence Appearing Real. Once you welcome fear, you open yourself up to the attacks of the enemy in every part of your life. **Fear paralyzes** us and causes us to focus on the situation that's in front of us instead of on ways to combat the lies of satan. We've been given all the tools we will ever need in the Word of God. There is not a situation we face that can't be combated with the Word of God. When we speak the Word of God, we have a guarantee that it will always accomplish what it was set out to do.

*So will My Word be which goes out of My mouth;  
It will not return to Me void (useless, without result),  
Without accomplishing what I desire,  
And without succeeding in the matter for which I sent it. (Isaiah 55:11AMP)*

The Word of God is the like a warrior that goes out into the battlefield and accomplishes what the Commander of the Army has appointed him to do! The Word of God is the most powerful weapon that is left on the face of the earth and we should feel privileged to know it and be able to use it. Through the Word, we have the VICTORY over every single circumstance ...*but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory [as conquerors] through our Lord Jesus Christ (who is the WORD- 1 Cor. 15:57).*

In order for us to combat the attacks of the enemy of every day, we need to fill ourselves with the Word of God so that it will start spilling out of our mouth when we're confronted with the situation. What's the first thing most people let slip out of their mouth when something isn't going right or when they hear bad news or face a hard situation? Usually it's a cuss word, right? We don't often hear people say, Praise the Lord! when they've just gotten a bad report or stubbed their toe! But as believers and children of the most High God, the first words uttered from our mouths should be the Word of God. For most of you it may seem radical but in reality we are in the world but not of this world and we are called to be peculiar people.

*"But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should show forth the praises of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light" (1 Peter 2:9KJV).*

The second thing we have to do in order to combat the attacks of satan is: get the Word to go from your head to your heart. You can't expect the Word to work if all you're doing is reading words on a page that have no meaning to you. **What value do you place on the Word of God?** Does the Word have number one priority in your life? If so, you must SPEAK the Word as if it holds the **highest value** - above everything else that you hear or see. We MUST value what the Word of God says over what anyone or anything else is saying. Has the Word made it past your head and into your heart? If not, ask the Holy Spirit to move the Word of God into your spirit so it can become valued above everything else!

Psalms 91 is probably one of the most powerful examples we can speak during the times we live in. Social media, mass media, newspapers and magazines have sown fear and panic in the general public all over the world about the Coronavirus. Airplanes are being grounded, cruise ships are being sent back to port, people are being quarantined and store shelves are being depleted from all sorts of sanitizers and disinfectant wipes. Lysol and Purell are the only ones profiting from the fear that has been created! We as Christians cannot allow the media to dictate what we speak over ourselves and allow it to grip us with fear. We don't operate under the world system. We operate under the heavenly realm with the Word of God as our instruction manual. And our instruction manual says this about our safety, protection and provision:

This is how we personalize Psalm 91 (AMP) for our family:

We, *the Militaru family*, who dwell in the shelter of the Most High (insert your name here)  
Will remain secure *and* rest in the shadow of the Almighty [whose power no enemy can withstand].  
We will say of the LORD, "He is our refuge and fortress,  
Our God, in whom we trust [with great confidence, and on whom we rely]!"  
For He will save us from the trap of the fowler,  
And from the deadly pestilence (**including the flu, Coronavirus and all sickness and disease**)  
He will cover us *and* completely protect us with His pinions (*wings*)  
And under His wings we will find refuge;  
His faithfulness is a shield and a wall (**or buckler-large shield protecting the whole body**)  
We will not be afraid of the terror of night,  
Nor of the arrow that flies by day,  
Nor of the pestilence that stalks in darkness,  
Nor of the destruction (sudden death) that lays waste at noon (**including the flu, Coronavirus and all sickness and disease**)  
A thousand may fall at our side  
And ten thousand at our right hand,  
But danger will not come near us.  
We will only [be a spectator as we] look on with our eyes  
And witness the [divine] repayment of the wicked [as we watch safely from the shelter of the Most High].  
Because we have made the LORD, [who is] our refuge,  
Even the Most High, our dwelling place,  
No evil will befall us,  
Nor will any plague (**includes any sickness or disease**) come near our tent (**homes**)  
For He will command His angels in regard to us,  
To protect *and* defend *and* guard us in all our ways [of obedience and service].  
They will lift us up in their hands,  
So that we will not [even] strike our foot against a stone.  
We will tread upon the lion and cobra (**symbolizes any attacks of the enemy such as fear, panic, worry, etc**);  
The young lion and the serpent we will trample underfoot.  
"Because we have set our love on Him, therefore He will save us;  
He will set us [securely] on high, because we know His name [we confidently trust and rely on Him, knowing He will never abandon us, no, never].  
"We will call upon Him, and He will answer us; He will be with us in trouble; He will rescue us and honor us.  
"With a long life He will satisfy us; And He will let us see His salvation."

This is our daily confession as preventative medicine that we declare over our entire family. We encourage you to keep a copy of this confession handy, personalize it and confess it over your family daily! Put the Word of God to work in everyday circumstances in your life and you will see results!

In Christ,

*John & Alexandra*