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The Unchanging God- YAHWEH

Happy New Year, friends!

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Here in the Militaru household, we rang in the New Year with many phone calls of well wishes, blessings, prayers, and praise reports from partners and friends all over the world. It's been a privilege and honor to receive these countless phone calls from those who have been touched and restored by this Ministry. For as long as we can remember since we came to know the Lord in the mid 70's, we've always rung in the New Year on our knees praying and thanking God for what He had done and was about to do in the coming year. This is how we ring in the New Year in our family because without God we couldn't do what we do today or be where we are. Without His faithfulness and blessings, we may not even be here! Literally, for Alexandra and I, we may not even be alive without His divine protection and guidance when we escaped communism over 45 years ago. That's why we are so grateful and honored that He chose *us* and *you* to partner together in this great work! One thing we've learned over the years of doing this great work is that God is always faithful and constant. He never changes. He is the same yesterday, today, and forever (Heb. 13:8).

For many years, this has been a principle truth that we live by: When we stay rooted in the Word of God and in constant communion with the Father, we will be immovable. When we remain steadfast in the Word and in communion with the Father, we will become more and more like Him. Just like a child will mirror their earthly father, we will mirror our heavenly Father. In a world that is constantly changing (for the worst), the only certainty that we have in our lives is **YAHWEH** (God). There aren't many guarantees that we have in this world, but we do have the guarantee and the **PROMISE** from the Word that God never changes! If we take a look at the world today, we hear about serious rumors of world wars happening, rumors of the stock market and economy crashing (again), rumors of election interference (again). Who would have guessed we would be living in the age where people can't even define what a man or woman is?! But one thing we can be certain about is that **YAHWEH** will never change because He is the **Great I AM** (Exodus 3:14)! **YAHWEH and His Word** will never fail us because His Word says so. And no matter what 2024 has for us or how many twists, turns or surprises are in store, if we stay close to our Father and remain steadfast in His Word, nothing will surprise, shock or move us!

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, for ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord. **1 Corinthians 15:58**

In our most recent television programs we mentioned that there are probably many Christians that are disappointed and/or discouraged going into 2024. Many have not had all their needs met, haven't gotten their breakthrough, haven't seen a loved one saved yet, or haven't seen their miracle come to pass yet. Maybe that describes you, friend, as you're reading this newsletter today. You might be thinking, *I've been faithfully sowing my seeds, staying in the Word and confessing His promises over my life but that miracle isn't here yet.* But God is **still** faithful to His Word and His promises are unchanging.

We're here to encourage you to **keep sowing**, **keep believing and keep confessing**, **and stay immovable in His promises** because He is faithful and He will **surely** do it (1 Thess. 5:24).

The One whose birth we just celebrated will complete everything that's missing in your life at *just the right time* because He is Word (John 1:1), **The Great I AM, YAHWEH,** and His Word will never ever return void (Isaiah 55:11). If we continue to faithfully keep our eyes fixed on the Word, He will fill every void, answer every need, and take care of every want. This is why we encourage the body of Christ to continue to stay rooted in the Word.

Thank you for being faithful in your giving, supporting and praying for this Ministry, and for your obedience in partnering with us to win souls for the Kingdom. Your financial support in 2023 was vital for spreading the Gospel on different platforms to reach the lost and forgotten for Jesus. No matter what is going on in the world, and what will come, we will continue to remain immovable and spread the Gospel of Christ until His second coming! If we remain faithful to what He's asked us to do, He will remain faithful to us.

The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners, to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor and the day of vengeance of our God, to comfort all who mourn, and provide for those who grieve in Zion—to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair. **Isaiah 61:1-3a**

In His Service, John & Alexandra