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Inspiration of the Almighty

**A
30-DAY**

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INTRODUCTION

First, permit me to say that the 30-days that would transform your life has finally come. On the 27th of February 2014, the Holy Spirit gave me the mandate to start writing Timely Notes, with a lucid instruction that “He would be the Author, while I would be the privileged writer”. I’ve received several feedbacks that has proven this mandate over and again. Among them was a man who approached me and said “It is impossible for a man to write these things, it has to be God that is writing it by Himself”. Another lady said “Anytime I read Timely Notes, It’s always as if God is talking to me directly”. Personally, I’ve had to read each Note over and again, because most of the things I write also sound new to my ears.

Timely Notes is posted daily on my blog and other social media platforms, and it has since been a daily devotional for many individuals, families, and organizations.

These 30 “Timely Notes” are carefully selected Notes from an archive of over 700 others. This is a book you’d be compelled to read in one day, but please I urge you not to rush it. Take time to practice the lessons from each day, and see how God beautifies your life.

God bless you, I love you, and don’t forget to send-in your testimonies!

Your friend,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Emeka Anslem".

Emeka Anslem

DAY 1

Speaking in faith is often the first step to actualizing any miracle. I believe that spoken words have a force that mobilizes people to where their breakthrough will happen. The woman with the issue of blood spoke in her heart, and suddenly, she did what she spoke. Even though there were obstacles on her path, she still managed to touch the hem of Jesus' garment. Jesus spoke concerning the Centurion's servant, and before the Centurion could return to his place, his servant had already responded to the spoken word.

If you want to see a blessing tomorrow, then speak to it today. Jesus spoke to the fig tree one day, and by the next day, what Jesus spoke had come to pass. Spoken words may not pay your bills, but it would move you to

do things that will help you pay your bills. When challenges are becoming too tough, start speaking. As a matter of scriptures, spoken words are like hammer, and they're able to break any tough challenge. Things around you may be bad, but say how you'd like to see those things. One idea will get you out of any situation, and a positively spoken word would always feedback a positive idea.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; WHEN YOU'RE FACED WITH A CHALLENGE, DON'T WAIT TILL YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO; RATHER, SPEAK TO THE SITUATION BY TELLING IT WHAT TO DO. Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Create blessings for others within you. In Is 65:8, the bible explains that when a cluster of grapes is going to be destroyed, people point out the ones that still have juice and say "destroy it not, for there is a blessing in it". Then it continued by saying "that is how God exempts His servants from destruction". You may be the worse person on earth, but with a little good within you, people will see you differently. Focusing on the bitter things about our lives would only create room for more bitterness. And that's because what you focus on naturally expands. If you focus on the little "good thing" inside you, it won't be long before it outshines all the bitter things in your life.

God has special interest in those who create benefits within them for others. There is

always a conscious feeling of God's divine presence around me whenever I carry a message inside me. Even to a point that if you insult me, I won't feel it - even if I want to. It recently occurred to me that God is protecting the message in me - which will bless others. I've had bitter experiences in the past, but somehow, being a blessing to others has softened those memories. Now I share my experiences joyfully, instead of tearing about them mournfully.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **START SOMETHING FOR GOD, NO MATTER HOW LITTLE. THE KEY TO ERASING THE PAST IS DOING GOOD IN YOUR PRESENT AND FUTURE. BECAUSE THE PRESENT WILL SOON BECOME THE PAST, AND THE FUTURE WILL BECOME THE PRESENT.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Be consistent in well-doing. As a matter of scriptures, God doesn't like it when we're not consistent. The bible says we should not be weary in well-doing, for we'd reap it in due season if we don't faint. It also says we shouldn't cast away our confidence, because it would be compensated with a great reward. The bank may be far away, but you'd still have to get there to claim your check. We need to begin to see our positive engagements and investments as if we're going to the bank. We may encounter traffic jam on the way, we may have to refill our tank in a fuel station, sometimes we may even need to turn back or stop to attend to a more urgent matter.

Delay is not denial. You may have done so much for your spouse, your boss, your relatives, or even your children, just to make them see reasons to change, but yet, they

still have that very character that you so much despise. Sometimes, you may be discouraged, and you'd even feel like resigning or leaving them. But hang on, in due season you'd reap if you don't faint. However, most times, people develop characters that compliment your own character. That also means you shouldn't carry that "holier than thou" mentality, rather, you should check yourself and see if there are things they don't like about you.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **LASTING CHANGE TAKES A PROCESS, AND IT DOESN'T COME EASILY. JESUS HAD TO TARRY ON THE EARTH FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS, JUST TO CREATE THE LASTING CHANGE THAT WE ENJOY TODAY.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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You can't get out of trouble by getting away from the trouble. You have to face it, and deal with it. For instance, if you want to have financial freedom, then be ready to simplify your lifestyle by spending less and saving more. If you want to resolve your marital problems, then create a win/win agreement that both of you will benefit from. If you want to do better in business, then be ready to solve those challenges that your competitors shy away from. If you want to do well academically, then you need to be well-informed about your academic works.

Your five loaves and two fishes can feed five thousand, if only you'd invest them. Miracles are not mere accidents; they are deliberate

acts of God provoked by the desperate acts of men. A miracle happens when God moves to resolves your challenges for you; but oftentimes, He doesn't move until you begin to make moves towards your challenges. In 2 Chro 20:17, God had already told Jehoshaphat and his people that "they shall not need to fight in that battle". But afterwards He said, "tomorrow, stand your ground, and go out to face them". Therefore, my friend, stand your ground, face your fears, and defeat them with the help of the Almighty God.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **YOU WON'T HAVE TO LOSE THAT BATTLE IF YOU FACE IT. GOD WILL ALWAYS FIGHT FOR THOSE WHO ARE CONFIDENT ENOUGH TO FACE ANY CHALLENGE.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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I can eat my cake and still have it. I mean, what's wrong with that? This world is filled with ideologies of people who had some experiences in life. When they fail in a particular cause, they make a statement like "you'd need to be a superhero to make this work". When marriage does not work for them, they'd say "marriage is not for busy people". If they fail in school, they'd say "not everybody is wired to go to school". They just have a way of making anything that does not work for them a norm around them.

These verbal blueprints have really affected our nations. Many people have signed up to live on their salary forever, because their parents had told them that "people who do

business live a difficult life". The truth is, in business, you get paid for results, while in a job, you get paid for your time. Yeah, of course you work hard in the office, but think of the number of hours you spend doing nothing. It's faster to become a millionaire by getting paid for results. How would teachers teach their students how to get paid for results when all they know how to receive is "salary". Students, if you study hard, you'd get a good job; that's always their best line of words.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; LET GOD BE TRUE, AND ALL MEN LIARS. DON'T BE CONFORMED TO THIS WORLD, BUT BE TRANSFORMED BY RENEWING YOUR MIND. Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Faith is like removing a coconut shell. The process may be difficult, but it won't change the fact that you need to remove the shell to eat the coconut. Everybody wants to enjoy God, but the challenge is that they don't like to endure in faith. Faith is not the promises of God; it is accessing the promises of God with absolute obedience to God's commandments. Don't tell me you're "believing God for a blessing" when you've not "done what He commands to receive the blessing".

We don't need faith to enjoy blessings. I've never heard anyone say "Praise God, I ate and drank with faith today". Faith is only required to remove the strongholds that try

to hinder our access to blessings. We'd discover from scriptures that every time faith was mentioned, the next thing that follows is an obstacle. Faith came against the fig tree, the storm, and the lunatic man. Faith cured the woman with the issue of blood, fed the Syrophenician woman, healed Jairus' daughter. Faith fed over five thousand people, and brought Lazarus back to life after four days. The amazing thing is, it was never mentioned that those people needed faith to enjoy the blessings they received.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **FAITH IS FOR FIGHTING. IF YOU WANT TO ENJOY THE BLESSINGS OF GOD, THEN FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Faith is not just about claiming a promise; it's about doing what has to be done to receive the promise. The bible tells us that we should follow those who through faith have received the promise. Heb 10:36 also mentions that we can only receive the promise after we have done the will of God. The ultimate of faith is to receive the promises of God, but to reach that ultimatum, the will of God has to be in place. It's more like saying the ultimate of a house is to provide shelter, but before shelter can be provided the house must be built. We're not supposed to struggle to receive God's promises just as a building does not struggle to provide shelter.

The widow of Zarephat planned to prepare the last meal she had, so that she and her child can eat and die. I'm sure she had

prayed and perhaps fasted for the promises of God to come to her home, and that's probably why God sent Elijah to her. But here was Elijah, instead of giving her the promise, he gave her the commandment. Though it was difficult for her to obey, but she did - and eventually received the promise. I believe that this is how God attends to our prayers; He gives a commandment.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **THE PROMISE WILL ALWAYS COME AFTER YOU HAVE DONE THE WILL OF GOD. THEREFORE, AFTER YOU MUST HAVE PRAYED, LOOK FOR THE COMMANDMENT TO OBEY.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Faith gives uninterrupted access to blessings. In Luke 8, the bible records that; people were waiting for Jesus, Jairus needed Jesus to come to his house to heal his dying daughter, and at the same time, people were thronging Him - you know how it feels when the president is passing a community, everybody would be struggling to touch him. Everybody needed His attention, but it was just unfortunate that He was going to Jairus' house to heal his daughter.

Now, here was a woman who didn't need His attention, instead, she only needed to touch the hem of His garment. And as soon as she

did, her issue of blood ceased. Jesus turned for the first time and enquired about who had touched Him. His disciples were upset about the question because virtually everyone was touching Him. And when the woman unveiled herself, He made it known to the woman that she didn't need His attention because her faith had already given her what He would have given her. Faith does not need God's attention. The moment she touched Him, virtue left Him and heal her.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **THE MOMENT YOU BELIEVE A WORD, START SPEAKING IT. SPEAKING WHAT YOU BELIEVE TOUCHES GOD; AND ONCE GOD IS TOUCHED, BLESSINGS MOVES FROM HIM TO YOU.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Be positive about everything, even the things you desperately need to change. Many people are still on the same job because of their negative attitude towards their job. They have this "I deserve a better job" attitude; which affects their job, relationship with colleagues, and the company at large. The truth is; if your attitude towards people does not bring peace to them, you won't see the hand of God. Remember that scripture admonishes that we should follow peace with all men otherwise we will not see God.

The salary may not be up to your expectation, the business may not bring as much profit, your spouse may not be as supportive, your teachers may not be as intelligent, your children may not be as brilliant, but be positive! I've lived with a

mindset that "nothing comes to me for nothing; everything that comes to me comes for a positive reason, and that reason must be positively accomplished". Things may appear bad, but it doesn't change the fact that it is bad for a positive reason. And for that singular reason, I have to be positive. Come to think of it, if I approach a positive thing negatively, what do you envisage will happen?

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; IF YOU'RE NOT POSITIVE, YOU WON'T HEAR GOD. AND IF YOU DON'T HEAR GOD, THEN YOU'D REMAIN IN THAT SITUATION LONGER THAN YOU SHOULD. Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Faith is like a spiritual subsidy that God has added to a believer so that things can be cheaply accessible to him. Before faith was discovered, Believers were not known to have valuable possessions, they called them "church rats". As at then, who would dare to buy a house, to buy a car, or to even get married? All that believers did was to preach, going to school was even a problem for most of them. When faith came, it became cheaper to do all those things. With a lesser effort, everything will be possible to a believer.

Our bills may be heavy, but the subsidy of faith gives an assurance that we can and will

clear those bills. It would interest you to know that it was in the new testament that believers were empowered to buy things. In Matt 25:9, the bible says "go to them that sell and buy for yourself". That also means that without the subsidy of faith, we cannot afford anything in life. But what a joy, God does not have any plan to remove the subsidy of faith; and that simply means we have an unending access to get things cheaply.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; THE SUBSIDY OF FAITH IS ABOUT 99% OF THE COST PRICE OF ANYTHING YOU DESIRE, ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS TO ENGAGE 1% OBEDIENCE TO GOD'S WORD, AND YOUR DESIRES WILL COME. Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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The weather is always cool in the morning; but don't expect it to remain like that all through the day. As a matter of fact, expect heat from the sun before noon, expect rainfall to wet the dry ground at any time. A day without the sun and rainfall would be a very good day for most individuals, but this doesn't happen every time. Whatever the day may bring, nature is always ready to accept it. Even if the rain comes with a flood, the plants and the ground will find a way around it. Even if the sun begins to drop fire, nature would always prevail. Remember that a flood consumed everything on the earth in the time of Noah, but in the end, nature survived.

Humans are survivors, come rain, come shine. We were created to outlast any storm. No matter what may be happening right now, we have capacity to overcome it, just like nature. It may take time, but don't let it take your life. The sun doesn't shine for 24 hours, and even if it rains for 24 hours, it won't rain forever. That also means that nature cannot suffer heat for 24 hours, and that's probably why the bible says that "weeping may endure till the night, but joy comes in the morning".

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE IT THROUGH TILL THE END. BUT BE STRONG IN FAITH.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Satan wants you to feel unworthy. Most times it's not the sin we commit that keeps God's blessing away from us, it's the feeling of guilt that follows. Satan wants you to feel unworthy to get married, he wants you to believe that after everything you've done, you don't deserve to be rich. He wants you to believe that you've aborted too many children, and that's why you don't deserve to have a child. If we do a census of people who have killed themselves, we'd discover that most of them did it because they felt "unworthy". The amazing thing is, even after God has forgiven them, they still feel unworthy.

This is my take; since it's a lot easier to change your story than your worthiness, instead of worrying about changing your

worthiness, change your story. It's a lot faster and cheaper. Simply make a new and much more supportive story and live into that story. The wages of sin is death, and if you're still alive even after committing sin, then you still have an opportunity to live right. Please understand me; this is not a license to sin, rather, it's just a way of saying that Jesus loves you, and He wants you to live your best here on earth.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **IF YOU CAN'T CLEANSE YOUR PAST STORIES, CREATE A NEW STORY IN GOD'S WORD AND BEGIN TO LIVE IN IT.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Faith doesn't make sense. And that's because our natural senses were created by faith. Our minds may reason physics, chemistry and biology, it may even know the geography of the entire world, but it can't reason faith. Faith is a spiritual force, and it will take our spirit to have faith in God. This is why no matter how much my mind doubts the word of God, I still believe it all the same. Your mind may doubt it, but you should still believe it. It's not the doubt in your mind that God reacts to, it's the doubt in your heart. The bible tells us that if we can say to a mountain to be removed, without doubt in our heart, we shall have whatsoever we say.

Haven't we noticed, that; it's easier to reason with the doctor than to reason with faith? It's easier to agree with the weather forecast than to agree in faith? It's easier to reason with landlords than to reason with faith?

Jesus knew all these things, and that's why He told us not to be conformed to this world, but transformed by renewing our mind. When it comes to matters of faith, suspend your natural mind. At new birth, we were given the mind of Christ, and anytime we act in faith, we leave our natural mind and begin to work with the mind of Christ. And this is why many testimonies of faith always appear too fast to our natural mind.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; FAITH IS TOO FAST FOR OUR NATURAL MIND. REMEMBER THAT WHEN GOD TURNED THE CAPTIVITY OF ISRAEL, IT WAS LIKE A DREAM TO THEM. AND THAT'S BECAUSE IT HAPPENED TOO FAST. Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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Jesus told a parable of a certain master who was preparing to travel on a far journey and called his servants to give them silver - according to their level. After he had distributed the silver, he said to them "occupy till I come". We later saw in scriptures that most of his servants made good use of the portion of silver that was given to them; but one of them didn't bring a good report, and his master was greatly displeased with him. He believed that what his master gave to him was not sufficient to bring a good report.

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, He gave us faith, just as the master gave silver to his servant. And the reason why He gave us faith is so that we can "occupy till He

comes". The truth is; the things that Jesus wants us to occupy are not vacant. Some ladies are not married yet because their God-ordained husband is lost in the hands of another lady. Some young folks are not in school yet because someone is sitting on the admission list - deciding who to admit into the school. Some people are still unemployed because somebody is taking their place. These things began with Abraham; all the lands that God promised His people were never vacant. But interestingly, the book of Hebrews tells us how they occupied those lands, it said it was "by faith".

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **WHAT YOU NEED MAY NOT BE VACANT, BUT IF YOU TRADE YOUR FAITH WISELY, YOU'D SURELY OVERCOME.** Have a most fruitful day, In Jesus precious name!

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Faith is demonstrative! The bible tells us that the gospel that we preach is not to entice people, but to demonstrate the power of the Spirit. Come to think of it, most of the lessons that Jesus taught His disciples began with demonstrations. Before He taught them how to remove obstacles, He first cursed the fig tree. Before He taught them how to fast, it was already clear to them that some demons won't leave them until they engaged a higher force. Before He taught them how to be calm in the face of heavy storms, He first rebuked the storm.

He also explained the mystery of thanksgiving with demonstrations. He gave thanks to God, and five loaves with two fishes fed over five thousand people. He gave thanks, and Lazarus, who had been

dead for four days, came back to life. Faith is not passive; it is the active part of God's word. The bible tells us not to be hearers of the word only, but also doers, otherwise we'd be deceiving ourselves. That also means that hearing the word without acting on it is only a religious deception. Don't tell me you've been believing God, but God has not responded. God will only respond according to the level of your faith. And if you've not gotten what you want, it's simply because you've not supplied enough faith.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; A MUSTARD SEED KIND OF FAITH MAY MOVE A MOUNTAIN, BUT I'M NOT SURE IT WOULD BE ENOUGH TO RAISE A FAMILY, TO BUILD AN EMPIRE, OR TO LIVE A HAPPY LIFE. LET'S DEVELOP OUR FAITH! Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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Problems never go away; it's how we handle them that makes it look like they've gone. To be candid, as long as you're breathing, you will always have obstacles in your life. However, the size of a problem is never the issue, it is the size of "you". The bible tells us that there is no problem that comes to a man that is above the man. That also means that if a problem is too much for you, then you've not developed your size to overcome it.

Faith is what determines the size of man. The more faith you have, the bigger your size, and the smaller big problems would become. Buying a house or a car may appear like a big problem to you right now;

and that's probably because you think you need to have the money to buy them. True, but it's important to note that faith can buy everything money can buy - and even beyond. To me, if you can't increase your income, then increase your faith. There are many people who are still owing house rent, not because they don't have the money, but because they don't have the faith. Many people are never going to own a car, because the faith they need to own one is not available. Believers need to renew their minds; the world may operate by luck, but we ought to live by faith.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **MONEY WITHOUT POWER IS MEANINGLESS. FAITH IS THE POWER TO EVERYTHING ELSE. WITHOUT FAITH, WE CAN DO NOTHING.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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Satan knows how to fight, but he doesn't know how to win. It takes faith to win, and only those who are born of God are qualified to operate in faith. The bible tells us that "He that is born of God overcomes the world, and faith is the victory that he'd use to overcome the world". Satan may become so fierce and deadly in a fight; he may even brake your bones, and probably take out your jaws; he may take all your money and suddenly turn you into a wretch; but in all these things, you're more than conquerors. He may beat you, but he doesn't have what it takes to win you.

The righteous man may fall seven times, but faith will bring him up again. That's why all

things work together for good to them that love God. Jesus was dead, but faith brought Him back. Lazarus had been buried for days, but faith cleared the horrible stench and restored his life. There's no closed nor dead case with faith; as long as your faith is still on, God is still working. And if God is working, everything will definitely work - no matter how long it takes. Also, God will never declare Satan a winner, rather, He'd wait until your faith to come back to life.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; ANY CASE CAN BE REOPENED WITH FAITH. REMEMBER THAT WHEN A THIEF IS FOUND, HE SHALL BE MADE TO RETURN SEVENFOLD OF WHAT HE STOLE. IT'S TIME TO MAKE THE DEVIL RETURN EVERYTHING HE HAS STOLEN FROM YOU. Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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A certain man was diagnosed with cancer, and was told he had just two months to live. He was also advised to frequent his visit to the medical Centre, so that they could monitor his condition. The more he visited, the sicker he became. And that's probably because he never received any positive news from the doctors. As God would have it, some evangelists met with him, and told him about the love of Christ. He believed them, not because he was dying, but because he felt lighter with the positive words that came from them.

He started attending church services; and mysteriously, each time he attended, the pastor would declare that "you shall not die but live to declare the goodness of God". Though it wasn't a direct declaration, but this

man took it personal. The more he heard those words, the healthier he became, but the more he listened to the doctor's report, the more "sickly" he became. He decided to stop visiting the hospital, since it was already established that he was going to die. Then, he focused on going to church, so that he can at least feel healthy till the day the doctor had scheduled for him. Months passed, this man had gotten so engrossed by the happenings in the church that he forgot that he was scheduled to die many months back. When he finally realized it, cancer was no longer in him.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; WHOSE REPORT WOULD YOU BELIEVE? YOUR BOSS, YOUR PARENT, YOUR PARTNER, YOUR FAMILY, YOUR DOCTOR, OR THE REPORT OF THE LORD? Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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A cold wind was howling and rain beating down heavily, when the telephone rang at the residence of a rural doctor. The doctor struggled to wake up and noticed it was just 12:30am. Since he was a kind and compassionate soul, he picked up the phone and enquired who was calling. "it's my wife!" cried the farmer who called. She needs a doctor right away, can you please come at once? "Sure, I'd come," said the doctor. "But can you come and get me? Because my car is being repaired. "What, how do you expect me to come out on a night like this?" said the farmer.

Many believers are like that farmer. They want to experience the good hand of God, but they like to get it without doing anything. Just like that doctor, God is available, even

in the dead of the night. But are we ready to do what it takes to make Him intervene on our matter? Faith without work is dead. The farmer had faith in the doctor, but he was not willing to do the work that will commit the doctor. It's not hard to pray, just like it wasn't hard to call the doctor, but the most important part are the actions that follow after the prayer. Thank God the farmer called, but imagine what will happen if he refuses to get the doctor. Prayer notifies God about the situation, but actions convey God to the center of the situation.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; I DON'T WAIT FOR SIGNS TO SHOW THAT MY PRAYER HAS BEEN ANSWERED, NO, I CREATE THE SIGNS. Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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How do you feel when you're praying to God? God does not care about the form, the shape, and the vocabulary of our prayers. It is the feeling that counts to Him. A poor farmer, returning home from the market after a long tiring day, found that the wheel of his cart was about to come loose. He was in the middle of the woods, and his cart was loaded with produce. Anxiously, he searched his pockets for the little prayer book, which he always carried with him. To his dismay, he found that he had forgotten to bring it with him.

He closed his eyes and began to pray thus, "Dear God, I have done something very foolish. I left my prayer book at home and my

memory is not as retentive. I don't seem to remember a single prayer. So this is what I am going to do. I shall recite the alphabet - very very slowly - several times. Since You know all the prayers, please put the letters together and form the right prayer for me". God replied saying "This prayer is the best I have heard today - for it came from a heart that is simple, pure and sincere". Personally, I just realized that the most amazing testimonies of my life were acquired by a few lines of prayer to God.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; PRAYER IS A MEANS TO COMMUNICATE WITH GOD. AND TO BE HONEST, HE CARES ABOUT OUR SINCERITY AND FERVENCY IN PRAYER. Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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Be anxious for nothing; instead, pray about those concerns, and don't forget to appreciate God for the opportunity. But how would you pray or give thanks when the situation becomes really unpleasant? Many people would like to do the will of God at all times, but oftentimes, the challenges they go through take away their heart from His will. I've seen married men who had happy faces during the first two years in marriage, but afterwards, they live in clear depression. At that point, their minds have wandered far away from the word of God, and they'd need someone to constantly remind them - that God shall supply all their needs according to His riches, and not their riches.

Come to think of it, most of the things we get anxious about are things we were first joyful

for. Many people were happy to get a job, but they've become anxious because their job can no longer pay their bills. Many people were happy to get married, but now, anxiety has taken over them because of the needs that have to be met. It's important to know that anxiety breaks our spirit, and a broken spirit dries-up our resources. Your job, marriage, business, church, or anything in this world should not be the source of your joy. The joy of the Lord is what you need to strengthen your job, family, business, and everything of interest.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **AS LONG AS YOU MAINTAIN A JOYFUL HEART, THINGS WILL END UP GOOD FOR YOU - NO MATTER WHAT THE CHALLENGE MAY BE.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 22

Your testimony will come! Don't cast away your confidence in God, because it would surely be rewarded. The devil may try so hard to delay your testimony, but as long as your faith is still on, you'd win the relay. It's important to know that those who run in a race run till they reach the finish line. Faith is like a relay race, and everyone who reaches the finish line emerges a winner. Faith is not about who finishes first or last, it's about who endures till the end. The bible tells us that "he that endures to the end will be saved". Faith is the tool that secures our salvation, as long as we don't give up the race, we'd be saved.

There's hope for a tree that is cut down; if it sees a good weather condition, water, and a good soil, it would grow again. What those elements are to a plant are what faith is to man. The tree may not grow on the first day, or even the first year, but as long as those elements are consistent, it would grow again. Consistent supply of faith will guarantee any man's recovery, no matter what he may have lost. Consistency in faith will guarantee any man's advancement, no matter the level of obstacles that are on the way.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; FAITH WILL ALWAYS WIN ANY RACE; FAMILY RACE, CAREER RACE, BUSINESS RACE, ACADEMIC RACE, HEALTH RACE, AND SO ON. THE TRUTH IS, THE DEVIL IS TOO SLOW TO RACE WITH FAITH. Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 23

Faith brings comfort, but you can't be comfortable when it comes. The bible says that "Faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God". In other words, we don't go to faith, faith comes to us, though we have to transport it from where it is to where we are by studying and understanding the word of God. And this is why we can't over read or get tired of the word of God, we just have to continue hearing it - until faith comes.

But how do we know when faith has come? The bible tells us that "he that is born of God overcomes the world, and faith is the tool that overcomes the world". That means, faith has come when you've overcome. So don't

tell me "you've engaged faith but the problem is still there", faith is an ever-victorious tool, no amount of problem can withstand its power. If you're still struggling with problems, then it's because you've not settled in faith. Faith is light, it doesn't struggle to win any battle. And that's why the bible says we should fight the good fight of faith. If the fight of faith is a good fight, then it means that those who operate in faith don't get hurt.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **STUDY TO SHOW YOURSELF APPROVED. AS A CHRISTIAN, FAITH IS THE ONLY PROOF THAT YOU STUDY.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 24

God wants us to live a comfortable life. But the challenge is; the price to attain God's kind of comfort is mostly uncomfortable. Not because God designed it to be so, but because there are many adversaries challenging our comfort in life. When what you do is just comfortable for you, then you're in your comfort zone. And if you must leave your comfort zone to greater heights, then you must be prepared to live an uncomfortable life.

How did you feel the first time you began something new? Uncomfortable I guess. But after a while, it didn't just become a comfortable thing to do, you also grew. Everybody may be comfortable in life, but it's not every comfortable person that is happy. If true happiness is what you desire in life,

then you need to expand your comfort zone. And the only way to do that is to do those good things that are naturally uncomfortable for you. You may think that the most successful people in this world are working really hard; but if you ask them, they'd tell you it's comfortable for them to work the way they do. Bishop David Oyedepo once said that "his body system may become affected if he reduces the way he works". Eighteen long working-hours is part of his comfort zone.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **IF YOUR COMFORT ZONE ISN'T BRINGING YOU THE HAPPINESS YOU DESIRE, THEN YOU NEED TO EXPAND YOUR COMFORT ZONE.** Have a most fruitful day, in Jesus precious name!

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DAY 25

Sometimes you just feel empty, and none of your usual routines would interest you. When that happens, it means you're fed up and you need an upgrade. When you get tired of your job, when you get fed up of your business challenges, when your relationships become a burden, when your marriage lacks the usual taste, when your career begins to bore you, what you need is an upgrade. You really shouldn't expect your results to change if you keep engaging the same approach.

The quickest way to change anything is to first change your approach towards that thing. The outcomes of our lives are the processed inputs

from our lives. The strange behavior of your family members is directly proportional to your changed behavior. If you don't like the way they behave then change the way you behave. I'm not saying you should become stern, but rather, you should seek knowledge on how to handle your concerns. We must understand that the reason why we go through certain challenges is only because we lack the required knowledge to walk free from them.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **KNOWLEDGE IS THE KEY. WHEN YOU KNOW THE RIGHT THING TO DO, LIFE BECOMES EASY FOR YOU.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 26

Many of us grew up with wrong experiences that currently affects our life's blueprint. Many people detest riches because their parents fought over money every day. They believe that money would only bring pain to them. Some other people want to be rich, but only because they want to prove a point. Most ladies want to get married on time, because they don't want to face the pressure from their parents when they become due for marriage. Some people don't mind living with sickness, because they watched their parents die with sickness. And if you try to counsel them, they'd tell you that "it's a normal thing to be sick in their family-tree". Some people are never going to serve God, because they saw their parents blame God for all the challenges they faced.

The first thing every believer must strive to accomplish is a complete renewal of the mind. The bible admonishes that we should not be conformed to this world, but rather, we should be transformed by renewing our minds. Sometimes I wish that God would do a mind wash for every believer, so that our mindset would stop debating His word for us. We need to allow God's word to be the ultimate in the affairs of our lives.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; LET GOD BE TRUE, AND ALL OUR PAST EXPERIENCES WOULD BECOMES LIES. Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 27

God knows we face challenges; that's why He said "whosoever shall say to this mountain, be thou removed...". Though He sees our challenges and would like to resolve them for us, but I feel like God is in a tight constraint. He may not do anything about our challenges until we begin to speak to them. The world would say "a problem shared is a problem halved", but in the kingdom, a problem spoken-to is a problem solved. Many Christians are still thinking like the world does; Jesus didn't need to share His problem with the fig tree with anybody, neither did He share His problem with the storm, He simply spoke to them.

Words carry spiritual powers; the moment we speak, the spirit in the word is activated. John 6:63 tells us that the words that God speaks to us are spirits and life. In the beginning, God saw that darkness was upon the face of the earth, the bible even mentions that the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters, but the Spirit of God didn't do anything until God said "Let there be light". If we are God's children - created in His image, then I believe that the same Spirit is moving upon the face of the earth waiting for us to speak.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **JUST AS JESUS DID, SPEAK TO YOUR CHALLENGES WITH CONFIDENCE. IT WON'T BE LONG BEFORE YOU BREAKTHROUGH.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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If you're tired of the way things are working around you, then change the way things are working within you. It's amazing that every man lives in 4 realms at the same time; spiritual, mental, emotional, and physical realms. It may look like your physical body does all the work, but the truth is; if your emotions, mentality, and spirituality are not in place, your physical body will be completely out of place. I don't force results, I enforce them. And I do that with a confidence that internal laws are greater than external laws. I don't take drugs, not because it's not good, but because I know a spiritual law that works better than drugs.

If you want to increase your income, then start with increasing your internal values. If want to have a happy home, then develop your

spirituality, mentality and emotions to match. These 3 realms are the controllers of the physical realm; if you're finding it difficult to do anything physically, then it means that what you're trying to do is beyond the control of these 3 realms. To enhance your external values, simply enhance your internal values. Most of the things we struggle with are things that may just require a change in our mentality, spirituality, or even our emotions.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **JUST AS LIGHT DOES NOT STRUGGLE WITH DARKNESS, OUR INTERNAL VALUES DOES NOT STRUGGLE TO REFLECT ON OUR PHYSICAL LIVES. DEVELOP YOUR INSIDE!** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 29

The outcome of our lives is like a printed document. No matter how hard we try to manually erase a typographical error, we'd still notice an alteration in the document. If you want to correct the error without a trace, then you must access the soft copy of the document from the computer, edit it, then reprint. Stop trying to resolve your physical challenges with a physical approach. That's probably why you still have scars of the things that happened to you.

Man is a spirit, he lives in a body that possesses a soul. And the bible has told us in different ways that "if we live by the body, we will die; but if we mortify the deeds of the body through

the spirit, then we shall live". We can live without a single scar from our life experiences, but that's if we'd be sensitive enough to get back to our spirit and settle the problem. The bible tells us that "to be carnally-minded is death but to be spiritually-minded is life and peace". That also means that our minds are not programmed to think from the physical, but from the spiritual. Thinking from the physical will only lead to destruction.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **IT MAY COST MORE MONEY TO REPRINT A DOCUMENT, BUT IT'S WORTH IT. CORRECT ERRORS FROM YOUR SPIRIT, THEN SEE HOW NEW YOUR LIFE WILL COME OUT.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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DAY 30

It is never too late to run to the word of God. Lazarus had died, and had been buried for four days; people were mourning, including Mary and Martha. Jesus came into town on that fourth day, and when Martha heard that He was coming, she ran quickly to Him. Though she expressed her bitterness to Jesus, that if He had come the first day she sent for Him, her brother wouldn't have died. Then afterwards she said, "but now that you've come, I know that God will answer anything you ask for".

Mary and Martha both heard that Jesus was coming, but it was only Martha that decided to leave the challenge and run to Jesus. Back then

it wasn't easy to access Jesus, but now, we have Him everywhere we go. Jesus is the word of God! Martha simply explained that the only reason why we should mourn over any situation is if we can't find Jesus. She had to wait for four days for Him to come, but now, all we need to do is to pick up our bibles and search out what He has said concerning our situation.

That's how far we'd go on today's Timely Note. But take these last words; **LEAVE YOUR CHALLENGES AND RUN TO THE WORD. IF IT'S A CHALLENGE FOR YOU, IT WOULD NEVER BE A CHALLENGE FOR THE WORD.** Have a most fruitful day! In Jesus precious name!

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