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Todd Bentley has been criticized for his appearance and mentioning angels by name. We believe the Lord is sovereign and chooses those according to their hearts, as well as making a statement against religious spirits. We are not promoting tattoos or telling you to focus on the names of angels. Nevertheless, Hebrews says to entertain strangers thereby opening your houses to angels. There are multitudes of angels in the earth, and as long they confess Jesus came in the flesh they pass the test according to 1 John 4:3.

We are witnessing a true outpouring of God's grace and mercy once again. The atmosphere being created is capable of sustaining a true transformation and reformation. One of the reasons for this outpouring is to change the consciousness or souls of the people on earth.

Please beloved, do not grieve the Holy Spirit with opinions based out of fear and hear say. For too long theologies and "end time" prophecies have supported doctrines that inflate the power and strength of the devil and advance the desire to escape.

The Lord is saying enough is enough. Read the words of Jesus.

Rev. 1:18 And I was dead, and see, I am living for ever, and I have the keys of death and of Hell.

Matt. 28:18 And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, "all authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth."

Beloved the Kingdom has come in the person of Jesus Christ. We are the generation with the responsibility to make this visitation a permanent habitation.

Those of you with any doubts about this outpouring should ask yourselves a simple question, would the devil resurrect people from the dead? Remember, during Jesus' time when He was accused of being a servant of the devil, and He responded by saying, "would Beelzebub divide his own house?"

One of the scriptures people use to discredit this move of God is found in Mark 13:20,22

*And if the Lord had not cut short these days, no one would be saved; **but for the sake of the elect, whom he chose, he has cut short those days.***

*False messiahs and false prophets will appear and produce signs and wonders, to lead astray, **if possible, the elect.***

Jesus is saying clearly THE ELECT CAN NOT BE LED ASTRAY. THEREFORE, IF SOMEONE IS DECEIVED THEY MUST NOT BE THE ELECT. Todd Bentley never says he is the messiah and always gives the glory to Jesus.

Notice the words "if possible." The devil is not in control, God is; and one lesson we have learned is if you walk in faith and not in fear, God will protect you, even, if you make immature mistakes.

The most important thing we can do at this moment in time is to stay in an attitude of thanksgiving and grace for His mercy. I have learned in my walk with the Lord that a posture of fearless authority in my knowledge or "consciousness" of Him produces His Glory and discernment for my life. Simply put, I practice His presence consciously each waking minute of my life. It does not matter what your job is, your consciousness of Him will give you greater abilities not less.

Fear produces the atmosphere from which it originates, hell. That has been the by-product of the theologies and end time prophecy's the Church has adopted over the past 50 years. If you sow yourself into Christ, then you will reap His power in resurrection. That means you die in Him, not in an escape theology that promises your getaway but leaves you helpless now. We must be clear on this, we are either dead to this world and it's attachments or we are not.

End of quotation, letter Ana Méndez Ferrell