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Vision Monday - February 4, 2008

Rhema is coming soon to a city near you

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"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; and behold, all things are become new" (2 Corinthians 5:17)



To the ever increasing global family of Rhema Christian Ministries, grace to you from God our Father in the name of Jesus Christ.

Welcome to 2008 - **The Year of New Beginnings**. We have entered the greatest season of our lives! During the month of January our ministry focus will be twofold. First we will be taking a closer look at the concept of New Beginnings, of which I will speak more about in this letter. This month is also the time of First Fruits and the establishing of mature giving practices in our ministry. As mature believers we need not apologize for our obedience to God's revelation of sowing and reaping. This will be the year that we give abundantly into the Kingdom and in return receive a harvest that is beyond belief.

As we boldly move into the new I want to ensure that there will be nothing that can hinder us from receiving God's fullness in our lives. I need you to take note of the following and then move with understanding into your future:

Let Go - The first and perhaps most important aspect of moving into newness will be your willingness to forget yesterday. Last year was a great year; whether you were successful or not, the Lord still preserved your life. As you set your sights on this year, release yourself from the old. Shake off the trappings of yesterday and step into the glorious light of today - (Philippians 3:13a).

Reach Forth - As you release yourself from what was, your next motion is to reach for what will be. Extend yourself beyond where you would normally go. As you are stretching be prepared to experience some pain; however this pain is not designed to destroy instead it comes to develop. This is the pain of growth. Now, go where you've never gone before - (Philippians 3:13b).

Press Into - The final motion is that of pressing. Your future awaits you and the only thing standing between you and God's promises is your willingness to press. Push for every

promise and expect nothing to be handed to you - (Philippians 3:14)

The Year of New Beginnings has commenced and the clock is ticking. If you want to get more information I invite you to visit us on the web; watch us on television; join us in worship and believe with us for a new start to your life.

Lastly, I need you to know that I love you and I am committed to seeing the promises of God fulfilled in your life. The reaching of your full potential has become my constant assignment.

Have a wonderful month and God's very best to you, in Jesus name!

Advancing the Vision,

Your Pastor, Orim M. Meikle

Pastor's Blog

Invitations to Pastor Orim M. Meikle

Vancouver, BC - May 18, 2008

Montreal, QC - July 20, 2008

Halifax, NS - November 9, 2008

Join us in prayer as this great vision unfolds

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First Fruits/Servant-Leader

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In Exodus 19, we see that just three months after delivering Israel out of Egypt, God took His chosen nation to the Sinai region. There He made them camp before the mountain as Moses went up alone to meet God in order to receive further instructions on how to govern the people in their walk to the Promised Land.

As God was giving Moses instructions, we see in chapter 30 that Israel grew impatient and pressured Aaron to help them make a molten calf so that they could have another leader right in their midst. The fact that Moses was in session with God didn't matter to them as they urgently wanted to satisfy certain needs through the presence of another leader.

What may seem as a distant story is still relevant today. Not only in the context of our relationship to first fruits, but also in the context of our relationships ... [more](#)

God's Financial Covenant with Every Believer

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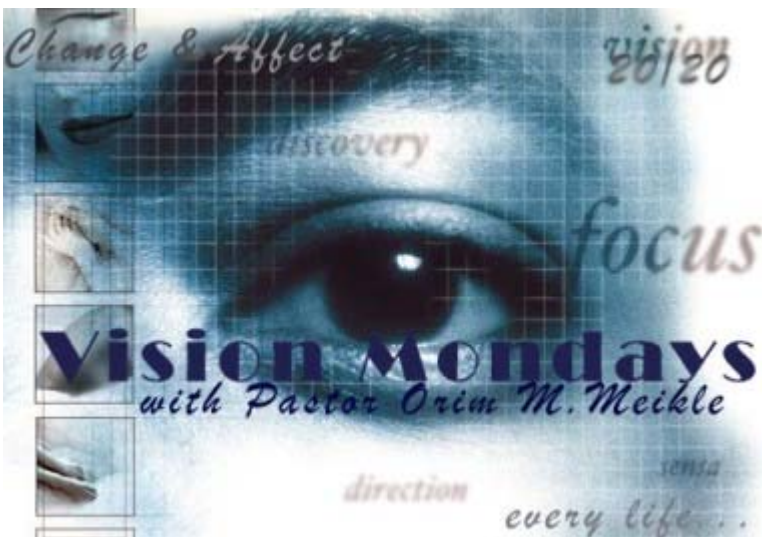


The scriptures teach us clearly that our God is a God of **covenants**. As such, He deals with His people through covenants (e.g., Gen 9:9; Gen 15:18). In its simplest form, a covenant is a binding agreement between two or more parties. One aspect of God's overall covenant with His people is the area of their finances, which is the focus of this article.

At the outset, it is important to note and state that God has a financial covenant with every believer. If this premise is true, then by reciprocal extension, it follows that every believer should have **a financial covenant with his/her local church**.

Historically, the area of finances has been an area of tremendous misunderstanding, controversy, conflict and skepticism ... [more](#)

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