

Voice of Triumph

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"You prepared room for it And caused it to take deep root, And it filled the land." Psalm 80:9

PREPARING THE CHOSEN VESSEL FOR OVERFLOW

Fill. When we offer a vacancy to God to fill, he freely expresses his will through us. Offer yourself like Mary did, "Be it unto me, according to thy Word." Then God contains heaven's best treasure, Jesus Christ within you. **Heal.** Mary was breachproof, so she was able to contain the promise without aborting it because of insecurity. When your breaches are healed, you can birth the impossible. Psalm 60:2, "...heal the breaches thereof; for it shaketh." **Seal.** When Mary better understood the heaven-born possibility—to spill over into the earth without measure—she hid the message in her heart to preserve it from contamination. Job 33:16, "Then he openeth the ears of men, and sealeth their instruction." **Fulfill.** Mary attracted every provision to her at the time of delivery. The whole earth bowed to serve. Ephesians 1:19-21, "And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power, Which he wrought in Christ, when he raised him from the dead, and set him at his own right hand in the heavenly places, Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come: And hath put all things under his feet, and gave him to be the head over all things to the church, Which is his body, the fulness of him that filleth all in all."

A GRAND BABY ANNOUNCEMENT FITTING FOR THE KING OF KINGS

Luke 2:8-20, New Living Translation gives the following account of Jesus' birth being announced to the shepherds. Is the vision of what God desires to birth through us so magnificent that he removes all the "no-frills thinking" to announce what he was birthing in the earth? "That night there were shepherds staying in the fields nearby, guarding their flocks of sheep. Suddenly, an angel of the Lord appeared among them, and the radiance of the Lord's glory surrounded them. They were terrified, but the angel reassured them. Don't be afraid! he said. I bring you good news that will bring great joy to all people. The Savior—yes, the Messiah, the Lord—has been born today in Bethlehem, the city of David! And you will recognize him by this sign: You will find a baby wrapped snugly in strips of cloth, lying in a manger. Suddenly, the angel was joined by a vast host of others—the armies of heaven—praising God and saying, Glory to God in highest heaven, and peace on earth to those with whom God is pleased. When the angels had returned to heaven, the shepherds said to each other, Let's go to Bethlehem! Let's see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about. They hurried to the village and found Mary and Joseph. And there was the baby, lying in the manger. After seeing him, the shepherds told everyone what had happened and what the angel had said to them about this child. All who heard the shepherds' story were astonished, but Mary kept all these things in her heart and thought about them often. The shepherds went back to their flocks, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen. It was just as the angel had told them."

EXTRAVAGANT SHOWER GIFTS, BUT NEVER WASTEFUL TO GOD'S PLAN

Matthew 2:9-11, New Living Translation gives an account of wise men following the star that led them to the place where Jesus was born. "After this interview the wise men went their way. And the star they had seen in the east guided them to Bethlehem. It went ahead of them and stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they were filled with joy! They entered the house and saw the child with his mother, Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasure chests and gave him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." Provision can come from around the world from the most distinguished people who are willing to serve God's purpose in the earth. God always provides on a big scale for what he orders. Answers.com remarked about the value of the gifts. "That's absurd to think three wealthy sages would travel across the desert for weeks to bring a treasure worth a trinket. A small chest of gold (pure gold) appx. 1/2 cu. ft' or less than 8" square would weigh over 50 pounds. There's no way to be sure how large the gift was but a small chest would have been an appropriate gift for a messiah. At that estimation and today's market the one gift of gold alone would be worth at least a half million dollars. If it was gold coin it could've been more. The other two gifts were more valuable than gold THEN. While there's no way to know how much, it's a good guess they were of comparable value. So, I would guess that the three gifts combined would easily have been worth well over a million bucks. A couple million even. A nice fortune then and now. They had to go into hiding for several years in Egypt. That would've been enough to do so and pay off anyone who stood in their way."

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Thought for Transformation

After all, there's room in the "end." When God is ready to birth offspring through you and there is a no vacancy, rest assured he may do the unexpected—choose an adjoining stable—so you can receive the spillover to prove his word never returns empty. He looks for opportunity to be close—never stops bringing heaven to you.

Eminent Domain

"Occupy until I come." Luke 19:13. I believe Jesus meant to leave nothing under the control of satan. Psalms 24:1 "The earth is the Lord and the fullness thereof, the world, and they that dwell within." Repossess God's property from the enemy.

No Place, No Space

"When it [unclean spirit] gets back home and it finds it swept and clean and in order," Luke 11:25. satan is attracted to empty spaces. Do not allow him room to roam because he works under entitlement—he thinks you owe him. Ephesians 4:27 says, "Neither give place to the devil." In that regard, he cannot find anything in you that's in common with him or the demonic to use against you.

Praise Rebirths Yield

Isaiah 54:1 shows praise as the catalyst to yield increase, i.e., multiplication. Never underestimate the power of praise. When you praise, everything barren reverses in your favor, no matter how long it has been unfruitful.