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For My Granddaughter, Juliette I Love You

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A TEXT CONVERSTION WITH PASTOR VITALE

Let us take a look at this conversation that is exciting me so much. I was in a text conversation that started out as a business exchange.

Pastor Vitale Texted: I cannot stop thinking about the questions that your husband asked me yesterday. They were profound questions, and I am really looking forward to answering the questions you both have for me. You may think that this is a strange thing to hear me say, but I have been waiting for you, for the two of you, for 45 years. Everything that the Lord has taught me, and all the training that He has given me, has been for you. I can answer all of your questions.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> I am so excited that I can answer their questions.

S. Texted: Wow, I feel like that is a lot of pressure on you and us. By the way, I was thinking about the crystals and did not quite understand why you reacted the way you did. So I did my research, and I do understand where you are coming from. However, I do not worship them or use them as talisman....

Pastor Vitale Comments: Well, what had happened? Brethren, her husband was working in my house. He was working on my bathroom, which is now finished. Praise God. And there were a few manifestations there, not the least of which I told you about, that the shower door broke. So she came down and brought some crystals, and she gave one to him, and she offered one to me. And I told her that I could not

take it. And she said, Why? I said, because it would be idolatry for me.

The exchange with the two of them has been my dream. I am so used to coming up against the pride in the believers in the Church. It is just annoying, painful, grievous, unpleasant, the pride and the competition that I come up against from believers.

There is one woman right now, she is supposed to be studying here. And I think that she is very spiritual. I think she knows it. And she is in such competition with me; she cannot even get near to me without manifesting. And it is ridiculous because there is absolutely no comparison between this ministry and her ministry. I am just giving you that as an example. This ministry is 32 years old. By and large, that is what I am up against. Either they reject me outright because they think the doctrine is wrong, or they are in competition with me, or both. And these people are not impressed by the Church. They are not in the Church, so they are not impressed by the Church. They are not in competition with me; they are just wondering what I am because I am so different from the Church world.

So anyway, she was not offended that I did not take the crystal. But apparently, she went home and researched it and wanted to understand more than what I had answered her.

S. Texted: ... So I did my research, and I do understand where you are coming from. However, I do not worship them or use them as talismans.

To me, God created earth and all that is within: rocks, plants, water, animals, people, et cetera. All that He has created is for us. To me, an essential oil or a rock or a crystal or dirt, ocean, earth, etc. has healing properties or energy given to us by God

to help heal us. I do not look at a crystal and say, 'Please, crystal, help protect me.' I ask God to protect or heal me and use nature to help.

Pastor Vitale Comments: So what she is saying is that nature, to her, is the mediator. The problem is that Christ Jesus is the mediator. So using nature to help you becomes an idol.

S. Texted: As an example, you use herbal supplements to help you, as do I, and I use essential oils as well. They come from the same place. When I feel literally as though my energy has been drained, I look to be grounded by earth elements, rocks, crystals, the ocean, sitting on the grass, ground, leaning on a tree. The energy there created by God helps to heal me. They are in no way instead of God....

Pastor Vitale Comments: Well, they are instead of God. She just does not understand that she is using them as a mediator.

S. Texted: ... They are in no way instead of God, but a creation from God that helps me, positive energy and properties that were God's creation. Does that make any sense to you?

Pastor Vitale Comments: And I answered her. Please note that I am not in a power play with her, and I am not looking to contradict her. I am looking to have a positive conversation where she is entitled to give me her opinion.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> It makes a lot of sense to me, I said. But the Scripture says 'There is a way that seems right to man, but the end thereof is destruction.'...

Pastor Vitale Comments: She was not offended by that. You cannot have an intelligent conversation with somebody if they are going to manifest when you respond, and that has been my experience. I get into conversations with people, some of them in God, some of them not in God. They tell you whatever they want to tell you, and you come back with an answer like that, and they are offended at you.

I was at the rabbi's house for dinner one night, and this woman was there who I happened to know. She is in the New Age. A lot of secular Jews are in the New Age, and they are in Buddhism, because they are looking for spirituality, but they do not want to observe the law. So a lot of his guests are secular. And I knew her because we had had a conversation previously. I had given her one of my messages. She had wanted some kind of interaction with me, and I was trying to tell her that I am not your typical New Age person. Why do you not test one of my messages before we go any further? And she listened to one of my messages, and she realized that I was not what she thought I was.

So now this was two years later, and she was pretty much saying to me, if you read between the lines, You are very spiritual, and you could have a place in the New Age. And I said to her, Well, that is the worship of another god. Here she is trying to elicit me; she is trying to recruit me. And all I said was, Well, that is another god.

And she was so offended, and she did not talk to me for the rest of the evening. At that point, the call came to go to the table for dinner, because we were lounging in the rabbi's house. And while you are sitting there talking to somebody, and the call to dinner comes, usually you walk in with the person, do you not? She would not walk in with me. She as much as said, Uh-uh. And she went on without me and did not talk to me for the rest of the evening.

But this person had a normal response. She gave me her opinion; I gave her my opinion, and she was not offended by it. And I was not offended by her opinion. We are having an intellectual conversation. I am not there to capture her. I am not there to convince her that she should become a born-again Christian. We are having an intelligent two-way conversation, which is almost impossible with the people in the Church or the people in the synagogue or a lot of other people that I have met. To me, this experience is unique, and that is why I am so excited. I love conversations like this because God's truth prevails. The truth prevails.

I will be corrected on occasion, but in this occasion, we were talking about crystals, and I know that it is not God, and the truth prevailed in her reason. I was just talking to her. I was not saying, I have got to get this woman; I have got to get her to believe it; I have got to defeat her; I have got to get her to stop using crystals. I had no such thought. It was an intellectual conversation, and she drew the right conclusions. Or she has not actually reached a conclusion yet, but she followed the path properly; she is someone who just wants truth.

There is a whole mess of them out there waiting for us, waiting for what we have been studying all these years for, and that is what I am all excited about. The Lord is moving this ministry into the public forum. It is so exciting, so exciting.

I gave her the Scripture that says, there is a way that seems right to a man, but the end thereof is destruction.

PROVERBS 14:12

¹² There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death.

KJV

I was not wanting to fight with her but wanting to give her the Scripture in a manner that would be as easy for her to swallow as possible.

I went on to say,

Pastor Vitale Texted: God sent Jesus to give us life, and we can attain that life by following His instructions, and they do not include what you say, although, yes, it makes a lot of sense, and there should be no pressure. I am so happy at the thought of having honest exchanges with you.

Pastor Vitale Comments: Brethren, I was not thinking this through. This was the anointing on me. This is the Lord. This is what came out.

And I am sure that my sincerity came across to her. I am all excited about this honest exchange.

S. Texted: So, then taking an herbal supplement would also not be OK?

Pastor Vitale Texted: Taking an herbal supplement is not the same as seeking the energy of a tree, if I understood you correctly. The key word is energy. Well, the energy that we need is Jesus, is in Jesus Christ. The energy of the tree is the soul energy of this world, soul. It is different than the energy of God. His energy is spiritual energy. The creation was soul and spirit from the beginning. But Adam fell because he chose soul energy instead of spiritual energy.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> That is the Holy Zygote. And the soul power, that was called Rahab.

S. Texted: But to me, it is His energy. I guess I am not explaining it right.

Pastor Vitale Texted: I understand what you are saying. There was soul energy and spiritual energy. Adam chose the soul energy and lost his immortality and fell into this mortal world where we all die. So, you get a temporary benefit from that soul, and that is your soul energy. So, you get a temporary energy from that soul energy, but the end of the matter is that we all die, where Jesus came to give us life.

S. Texted: Even scientifically, almost everything is made up of some energy, of some type of energy, interactions between the different types of energy occur all the time.

Pastor Vitale Texted: True, ...

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> I am trying to agree with her or validate her whenever I can, and what she said is true.

Pastor Vitale Texted: ...the energy that Jesus brings is beyond this world. It comes from the immortal world. The children call it heaven, but we are not going there, it is coming here.

S. Texted: Ah, to me, the immortal world is not of God.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> There is an immortal world that is not of God....

Pastor Vitale Comments: Her information is not wrong; she is lacking information. And if she is a true seeker of the truth, when the truth is added, she will put it together. Her information is anti-Christ. It is a partial information. So when I add the truth to it, anyone that is honest in their heart and

really wanting to know the truth, anti-Christ will die, and truth will come alive in that person's mind. And this is what is happening here.

Pastor Vitale Texted: There is an immortal world that is not of God. The definition of immortal is without end; it is so great that you cannot perceive the end. There is an immortal world that is so great that we cannot perceive the end, but when Jesus returns to the earth it will roll up like a scroll and cease to exist. It is an illegal immortal world. I think I mentioned it to you there were three worlds of creation, or three worlds that are a part of the creative process. This world is called the World of Action where invisible consciousness takes form. It is above the illegal immortal world. It is illegal now, but in the resurrection, it will be filled with godly souls....

S. Texted: Why is it called illegal? Again, a negative connotation.

Pastor Vitale Comments: ...And above that world, above that illegal world is where Jesus is. And Jesus is the resurrected, righteous animal. He is Adam; Adam is an animal. Jesus' personal soul is an animal soul.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> Because the souls there are dead, the world is illegal.

Pastor Vitale Comments: She wanted to know why it is illegal.

Pastor Vitale Texted: Because the souls there are dead, but they reveal themselves as God to people who do not know better....

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> And now this is where it really got tough for her.

Pastor Vitale Texted: ...Death is separation from God.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> Because everyone thinks that death is the death of the body.

Pastor Vitale Texted: Death is separation from God, and life is attachment to God. The souls in the World of Forms are not attached to God.

S. Texted: So these dead souls will be cast out of the world?

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> She is looking for the negative message that is in the Church. She is looking for it from me. So she is asking, So these dead souls will be cast out of the world?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> I believe they will be swallowed up into life. The resurrection took place in a high spiritual place, and it is descending into this world like a tsunami. Life is swallowing up death.

S. Texted: I do not understand that.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> In other words, that which is disconnected from God is being reconnected. What specifically do you not understand? That life is swallowing up death?

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> This is what people need. They really cannot go into the website and get their answers. They need a personal interaction. And our job is to find out what they do not understand and answer that question. Our job

is not to show them what we know, how smart we are, how intelligent we are. Our job is not to prove that it is God speaking through us. Our job is to be a teacher, to put our finger on where they are going off, what they cannot understand.

And sometimes the person cannot say I do not understand. We have to realize that they do not understand and go back to the point where they lost their ability to follow us. But she made it easy for me. I said, what specifically do you not understand? That life is swallowing up death?

S. Texted: Yes.

Pastor Vitale Texted: Life is attachment to God. Death is separation from God. So there is existence that is actually death. You can be dead and still exist. That is what we experience in this world. This world is dead, but we exist.

S. Texted: So if I am understanding correctly, those who believe in God are life, and those who do not are death?

Pastor Vitale Comments: She was coming from the Church doctrine: You people think that you are elites because you believe in God. You are going to heaven, and we are all going to hell. That is where she is coming from. We have to answer to the error of the Church. We have to answer to the error that the Church has been preaching for however many years since it went off.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> No. Give me a minute to think of how I can make this simple.

S. Texted: I am not understanding. LOL (laughing out loud).

Pastor Vitale Comments: So I did not realize it at the time, but I think she must have gone into the website or the YouTube channel, and not been able to understand me.

So my next text is an attempt to help her with this extremely difficult concept that death is not the death of the body; it is the death of the soul.

Pastor Vitale Texted: You are doing great. Let me ask you some questions so that I can come up with an answer that you can accept. Even if you do not believe it, can you accept these questions hypothetically? Only those who are attached to God are alive. And belief is not attachment.

Pastor Vitale Comments: Belief does not attach you to God. Jesus said, only believe, but belief does not attach you to God. When you believe, it establishes the soul tie with Him so that He can move upon you to attach you to Him. And how does He attach you to Him? We are attached to Him by having like thoughts. So to be attached to God, you have to study and learn about Him. Jesus said, come learn of me. That is what He said, so that we can share His thoughts. And that attachment is in shared thoughts, not in belief. Belief establishes a relationship.

 $\frac{\text{Mark 5:36}}{^{36}}$ As soon as Jesus Heard the word that WAS SPOKEN, HE SAITH UNTO THE RULER OF THE SYNAGOGUE, BE NOT AFRAID, ONLY BELIEVE.

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MATTHEW 11:29

²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and **learn of** ME; FOR I AM MEEK AND LOWLY IN HEART: AND YE SHALL FIND REST UNTO YOUR SOULS.

KJV

S. Texted: So what is attachment?

Pastor Vitale Comments: That excited me.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> That is the right question. Attachment is through agreement of mind. In other words, we experience life when we think what He thinks.

S. Texted: Think what He thinks?

Pastor Vitale Texted: What God thinks. Adam acquired the thought process of the soul and died. He died to immortality and now exists in the state of mortality called death. Death does not necessarily mean cessation of existence....

Pastor Vitale Comments: So this is so interesting and exciting to me that it started as a conversation about crystals, which are obviously not of God, and it wound up talking about God. I do not even know how it happened. I just followed my nose. I did not sit down to minister to her. We were talking about crystals, and it just went in the right direction. We were two people having an honest conversation, it went in the right direction. And that is what is exciting me so much.

Maybe you have an idea how hard it is to find a conversation like this in the Church or in the world. People, they just rise up. They manifest against you. They walk away; some of them just walk away from me. Some of them compete with me. Some of them argue with me.

I have been waiting for something like this for 45 years, and that is the truth. It is very, very rare. And to have it from an outsider; these two people are the first people I have ever had

such a conversation with, truly seeking the truth, no hidden agenda. They do not have any agenda.

And I do not have any agenda other than that I love communicating on this level. I love talking about God. I love talking about the Word of God. I love spiritual truth. And if you are not fighting with me, I love talking to you. It is a pastime for me. I love it. No agenda other than it makes me happy. If something good comes out of it; if you find God, if you learn something from me, praise the Lord. But I am happy in the conversation.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> ...Death does not necessarily mean cessation of existence. The only source of life in the universe is God. So to be truly alive, which means to not die, is to think like He thinks and to believe what He believes. This is different than 'believing in God.'

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> Now, this is key, and I put it in quotes. This is different than **believing in God**. To think like He thinks, and to believe what He believes, this is different than believing in God.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> So since it is impossible for us to think what God thinks, He has given us His Son to be a new soul and a new mind that can think like God thinks. That new soul and new mind is called Christ Jesus, and He is inside of me, and He is talking to you now. And He wants to be inside of you.

Pastor Vitale Comments: Did Jesus not say something like that to the woman at the well? (John Ch 4)

Brethren, it should not be any surprise because Christ Jesus in me talked to the woman at the well. And there is nothing new under the sun, in people's curiosity, in people's desire for truth. There is nothing new under the sun.

So she is asking questions similar to what the woman at the well asked. And the one who answered the woman at the well is inside of me talking to her. And He said the same thing to her. He is in me, and He is talking to you now. I am so excited.

Then she answers, that does not sit with me. No one can think and believe what God thinks or believes because we are not of Him. So she did not understand my previous text; it went over her head. I already told you that we cannot do it. That is why God has given us His Son, and a new soul and a new mind, so that we can do it. So that went over her head.

S. Texted: It does not sit right with me. No one can think and believe what God thinks or believes because we are not of Him....

Pastor Vitale Comments: And she is right.

S. Texted: ... You believe Jesus has risen, been resurrected. If I am understanding you correctly, one would have to allow Jesus inside of them to be 'alive.'

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> Well, that is true. it is through connection. So now she follows it up with the anti-Christ thought.

S. Texted: Then those who have allowed Jesus inside of them become almost a hive mind, no individuality.

Pastor Vitale Comments: And I thought that was so interesting because I know that, on multiple occasions when I have been preaching to you, I have responded to that question. I do not know if anyone that listens to me has had that question

in their mind or not, but no one ever spoke it to me. And on several occasions, I have addressed that issue and told you that it is not a hive mind, that Christ is infinite creativity, so He can be creative in a completely individual way in each and every one of us.

Actually, our personality, which is our soul, restricts Him. His creativity in us is restricted by our carnal mind and our emotional personality. He has infinite creativity, enough for each one of us to be infinitely creative in our own sphere. So to think in terms of a hive mind, that is the carnal mind. I know I have told you that. It sounds like a terrible thing that we will all be the same. How frightening. Except that God is not a man. He is not a man.

S. Texted: ... So then what we are told, that God loves all His children, would not be true. Only those who accept Jesus inside them are those who will be saved.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> And that is what the Church teaches, right?

S. Texted: How does one allow Jesus into them?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> With regard to your first sentence, true....

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> What was her first sentence? No one can think and believe what God thinks or believes because we are not of Him. And I said, True. So I told her again. She did not hear me the first time; I told her again.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> ... That is why we need His mind, which He is willing to give us freely. No hive mind. There is no such thing as a hive mind in God. It is the exact opposite.

He is a liberator. He frees us from sickness, pain and death and all the evils of this world, and releases our creativity.

S. Texted: If we think and believe what God thinks maybe I am taking that too literally.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> She is really, genuinely trying to understand me. You can do so much with a person like that that genuinely wants to understand you. So much can be accomplished.

And, brethren, when you are ministering to somebody, you get blessed. I got blessed as much as she got blessed. It is a mutual exchange. The person that ministers on a level thinking that they just have to make their point, that they have to get through to the person to be satisfied, you do not even understand the joy that can come from an honest exchange and from your relationship with God; having the answers for someone who is new and actually seeking truth. The joy and the satisfaction are in the honest exchange, that your ministry to them is bringing forth godly responses from them, even if what they say is not godly. It is a godly response based upon the best that they can do at the time. That is what my satisfaction is, not that I convinced her of something that she did not believe before. That was not my agenda. I was enjoying the conversation.

You know what the Buddhists say: It is not the end of what happens; it is the journey. The greatness is in the journey. So many people acquire greatness, and then they are bored because it was the journey that stimulated them. It is the journey, brethren. These people belong to God. We are to befriend them and have honest communication with them, and He does whatever He wants with them. We introduce them to Him. That is what we do, and then He takes over.

It would not surprise me at all (this woman is so spiritual); I really expect the Lord to be talking to her. He has probably been talking to her all along; she just did not know who He was. I absolutely expect that, last night after this conversation, and this morning, that He was communicating with her.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> No hive mind. It is the exact opposite. He is a liberator. He frees us from sickness, pain and death and all the evils of this world and releases our creativity.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> This woman happens to be in a lot of pain, physical pain.

S. Texted: If we think and believe what God thinks, maybe I am taking it too literally. So I went on to explain, God's mind is infinite. The potential for creativity is infinite. All of the creativity that we now have would be amplified. Each of us would be an infinite expression of His nature, which is righteous. And righteousness does not bring death; it brings life. Right now, we are a shadow of what we are supposed to be.

Pastor Vitale Comments: And the world knows that we only use one-tenth of our brain.

So there was a long absence, a long period of silence. Apparently, she was called away. But it was so long, at this point, I thought that I was overwhelming her.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> You can tell me at any time if you have had enough for tonight. This stuff is not easy.

Pastor Vitale Comments: And I knew that, even though it was an honest exchange, that I had taught her things that she did not know. And I had not only taught her, but my teaching had contradicted things that she previously believed. So

although I did it in a godly manner, and my motive was pure, the reality was that what I was saying was challenging and correcting what she had previously believed.

So in the past, I have had people not be able to take it. They manifest, or bad things happen. We say it in a loving way. They swallow down too much, and they vomit. And she just seemed so strong and so stable and un-angry and unafraid in her communication with me that I thought maybe she had had enough. But what was happening was that it was underground, and it was attacking me as anxiety. As I told you earlier, I am not prone to anxiety at all. When I prayed about it, that is what I got. It is either one of them or both of their anxiety.

And again, it may not be them but their personality. The anxiety is coming from the primordial king in them. Why? He is coming face to face with Christ Jesus. Brethren, the primordial king is in jail in that body. I hope you all understand that. The primordial kings are unattached to God, and they are incarnate in the human beings that sin every day, which sin affects them in a negative way. They are under judgment. They are in jail. And the one that put them there is now confronting them, and maybe they do not understand what it means or where they are going. Or maybe all this false doctrine is coming out of the primordial kings themselves; they think they are going to be punished or whatever. I do not know. But the reaction to Christ Jesus is anxiety and fear. We read that in the Scripture, when Jesus approached the Gadarene demoniacs.

S. Texted: I have a little more time. It is OK, just chaotic here with the kids.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> She sounds so stable; it is amazing to me.

S. Texted: I keep picturing that old commercial: 'Calgon, take me away.'

Pastor Vitale Comments: I am not familiar with that commercial.

S. Texted: OK, I get it. No hive mind.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> She drew a conclusion that she accepted what I said that her thought was not accurate.

S. Texted: So then what we are told, that God loves His children, would not be true? Only those who accept Jesus inside them are those who will be saved? And how does one allow Jesus inside them?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> Jesus loves everyone and desires that all should be saved....

S. Texted: But only those who accept Him into them?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> ...But He does not force us to do what is necessary to be saved. He wants everyone to be saved, but in order to be saved, you have to do it on His terms, and He does not force us to accept His terms.

Pastor Vitale Comments: That is what I told her.

S. Texted: OK, good, because I will never be a saint.

Pastor Vitale Texted: None of us ever will be either.

S. Texted: So what is necessary?

Pastor Vitale Comments: Brethren, that is right out of the Scripture. That is what the young ruler asked Jesus, and that is what a couple of people asked Paul in the New Testament. What do I have to do to be saved? I am just so excited.

This is so much better than someone coming out of fear and you saying to them you are going to say the sinner's prayer and scare them half to death with going to hell. This is what it is supposed to be. This is how Jesus wants it. We just tell them the truth, and then it is up to Him. We are the mediators. We are Christ Jesus. We are the mediators. We are introducing them to Jesus by His doctrine. Then He approaches them, and it becomes a personal relationship, whatever happens; if they hear Him or they do not hear Him, however it goes. That is our job. We are mediators. We introduce the people to Jesus by His truth.

He wants a relationship with everybody. But in order to have a relationship, it cannot be one-sided. The people have to do something. What do I have to do? You have to accept His terms. Then she is going to ask me what they are. What are His terms? He said, Come and learn of Me. He wants to teach us.

Pastor Vitale Texted: Jesus said, to the person that asked him that question, 'Keep the commandments. Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, your mind and your soul, and love your neighbor as yourself.' The problem is that we are not capable of doing it, so we need His soul, His emotions and His mind to do it. And He is willing to give it to us on His terms.

S. Texted: Most people do not love themselves.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> As I was thinking about this conversation, I was wondering, did I make a mistake?

What we are talking about here is a covenant. Jesus wants to enter into a covenant with each of us. He wants to enter into an agreement with us that can be likened to a marriage vow. He wants to enter into a covenant or a contract with us. And wherever you have a contract, there are obligations on both sides of the contract.

So I am thinking along those terms in review of what I said to the woman. I am thinking, well, when Jehovah entered into a contract with national Israel, He entered into the whole nation of Israel. Today, Jesus is entering into a personal relationship on an individual basis. So I am thinking, how did it go with the old covenant? Jehovah took Moses up a mountain.

I thought about it from this point of view: that ministry to the people should be telling them that Jesus wants to enter into a contract with us, a covenant.

So how did it work with Israel? Well, Moses went up to the mountain, and he came down. It sounds so awesome, both in the King James translation and in the movie. God came down and He blasted the Ten Commandments. Thou shalt have no other gods before you. It sounds so serious and frightening. And we are told in the Scripture that the people were terrified. They said, Do not let God come near to us; we will die. It was a very frightening experience for them under the old covenant.

And I said, I did not tell her that she had to obey the commandments. And then I stopped to think, but I did tell her that. Jesus made it simple. I did tell her that. Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, your mind and your soul, and love your neighbor as yourself. All of the commandments are under that. So that frightening experience that national Israel had, with the Ten Commandments getting blasted out at them, under this new covenant with Jesus, it comes forth as something not frightening and simple to understand. If not

simple to do, it is simple to understand. I did give her that. I did do it.

Brethren, what we do with new people that are inquiring should be a parallel to what happened to the children of national Israel. And God said to Moses, Bring the people out. And the Scripture says, And the people stood at the front of Mount Sinai to meet God. And the way they met God was the Ten Commandments came out. Well, this woman stood at the foot of Mount Sinai in me, and I introduced her to God, whose name is Jesus. That is what I did. She had a Mount Sinai experience, and I gave her the law. I did give her the law.

And then what happened next? The Hebrew children listened to the commandments, and what happened next? They agreed to the covenant. They said, we will hear you, and we will obey. That was the covenant. God said, this is the law. And the people said, we will hear you, meaning, We will do our best to understand what you are saying, and we will do it.

That is the covenant, brethren, not even confessing past sins. Say the sinner's prayer; repent of every sin that you have ever done. Where is that in the Scripture? Well, they do say in it the Scripture. In the New Testament, it does say, Repent. Repent. What does that mean? It means He wants to teach you, and you need to understand that He is right, and you are wrong, even if you do not understand it. That was how I told her to repent. Repent. We have been wrong, and God is right, and He wants to teach you. We will hear Him, and we will obey. You do not have to go through all the bad things that you did before you came in there. The day you meet Jesus, it is a new day.

Repent. I am going to say it again. Repent means you acknowledge that He is right and you are wrong, even if you do not understand it. Now from this day forward, you are

going to be willing. You are willing to learn from Him. That is what repent means in this context.

As your program with Jesus, as your personal relationship with Him, progresses, it will involve confessing sins that you committed in the past, as He is converting your soul into His soul. But this is a new person. They are a beginner. You want them to be pouring out their guts as to what they did? Maybe if they have a need to do it, maybe. But God is not asking for that.

He said, I am going to teach you. This is my law. You want to covenant with me; I am going to teach you, and you learn from Me. And if there is something in your mind that you do not understand, you believe that I am right and you are wrong. That is the covenant. That is the covenant.

Well, Sheila, just yesterday, you said the covenant was you confess your sins and Jehovah forgives you. Well, it is the same thing. I did not say anything different. Maybe you say it one way to a 2-year-old and another way to a 10-year-old. So the person that is well along in the program of having their soul converted, you give them that understanding. But the most basic form of it is you admit that God is right and you are wrong.

God help us all. God help us all. No wonder He has mercy on us. Look at this state that our mind is in. What is going to happen if you go to sleep tonight, and you die in your sleep, and you will be in hell forever with no chance of getting out of it? That is the mind of the Devil.

Who is the Devil? The Devil is the power of the soul called Rahab who joined with the personal soul, lacking the wisdom of God. It is that old Serpent, the Devil. It is that old Serpent. The Devil is the power of the soul, and Satan is the Holy Zygote that is now corrupted by the power of the soul, joining with your personal soul that was born out of that corruption, swimming in the mess of your own fallen wisdom, hateful and evil and frightening and penetrating and designed to control.

If I can make you afraid, I can control you. Come running into my church, or Believe like I believe. That is not what Jesus is saying, and Jehovah did not say it to national Israel, and Jesus is not saying it to you, and He is not saying it to anyone out there. He is saying, Come and learn from me. Come and learn from me. Be prosperous, be healed, be well, be translated from death unto life. And I will give you as much information as you can tolerate as you walk.

Jesus said, in the Scripture, I have much to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. Well, we talk about it here. What is unbearable, or what was unbearable then, we talk about it here. Well, why do you tell these babies, these spiritual babies, what they cannot bear? You tell them, Repent. God is right, and you are wrong. Come learn from Me. The love of God, brethren. The love of God, the love of God.

She said, But most people do not love themselves. I said, True. So she said, So back to how? That is it, question one. Follow the commandments? And I said, Yes. 'All of the law and the prophets hang on two commandments,' Jesus said. Love God, and love your neighbor as yourself. Do not do harm to anyone. Do not do harm to God because, when you sin, you violate God. And do not harm your neighbors.

I was so blessed as I walked to my car this morning because I had texted my next-door neighbor who wanted to see the bathroom when it was done, so I texted her that it was done.

I have been living next door to this woman for about 20 or 25 years now, and we have had our ups and downs. She has been mad at me a few times. A couple of times, I was guilty of

making noise. Other times, I was not guilty. One day she called up screaming that there was a leak, and told my assistant that it was coming from my bathroom. My assistant told her, She is not even here. She is in South Carolina.

So, we have had our ups and downs. She has blamed me for a few things, and I have never held it against her, but I have sought peace with her. And we have been at peace for the last couple of years. And she actually asked me to help her at one point, and I did respond. She just wanted me to come into her house. She was afraid of something, without getting into the whole story.

And she texted me back today and said that she was so happy for me, that she was absolutely happy for me at this new bathroom. And I thought that was nice, but I was rushing to get ready.

And what I did not tell you also happened before that, happened the day before. I told you about my neighbor, not my immediate neighbor on the other side but two units down, who had come out drunk and tried to start a fight with the contractor. And the contractor told me that he was and that neighbor came along and said hi to him. The contractor said he was so surprised. He just said, Oh, hi. Well, I was not surprised. It was a spiritual crisis. It was a manifestation. I felt that it had broken in the spirit a couple of days ago, so it did not surprise me.

And then, even later that day or the next day, I was standing out in the common area, and my back was to the path, and this neighbor came up, and he called my name. And I turned, and he says, Are you going somewhere, Sheila? or something like that. And obviously, the translation was: I am sorry. The man was drunk, and his wife manipulated him; told him a lie. He manifested

So I heard him call my name, and I turned around. I said, Oh, hi, how are you? And I could see it. And that was my natural reaction. I really understand everything that happens, especially around me. Crazy things happen around me, around the anointing. And I could see it in his eyes; he was so grateful that I acted that way, that I was not holding it against him, that I was genuinely happy to see him, and that he was not capable of saying he was sorry, so I will accept that as an apology.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> Yes. 'All of the law and the prophets hang on two commandments,' Jesus said. 'Love God and love your neighbor as yourself.' In other words, when we stop doing harm to ourselves and to others, we will stop dying. But we cannot stop, but He can. So that is why we need Him to be our righteousness....

Pastor Vitale Comments: I am sorry.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> ...And when we sow righteousness, we will reap righteousness.

Pastor Vitale Comments: I am crying on the air.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> And when we sow righteousness, we will reap righteousness, which includes all good things.

S. Texted: Wow.

Pastor Vitale Texted: But we cannot do it without Him because there is a spiritual law that rules in this world. We reap what we sow, and we are incapable of never showing a wrong thought.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> Or actually, we are incapable of never doing that.

S. Texted: So if none of that it is impossible,

Pastor Vitale Comments: She meant possible.

S. Texted: So if none of that is possible without Him, but that is how you allow Him in, it is a Catch-22.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> I do not understand what you just said. How is it a Catch-22?

S. Texted: If to be saved is to follow Jesus, to allow Jesus inside of you, but the only way to do that is to follow the commandments, but you just said that we cannot follow the commandments without Him, then how is it possible to allow Him inside of us?

Pastor Vitale Texted: No, no.

Pastor Vitale Comments: And I was really, genuinely smiling. So this time, I thought that she would not understand that I did not mean her any harm.

Pastor Vitale Texted: No, no. I am laughing out loud.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> She would not be offended by me saying that I was laughing; it was a loving laugh.

Pastor Vitale Texted: The only way to be saved is to allow Jesus inside of you, and the only way to follow the commandments is to allow Him inside of you. His soul and mind inside of us obey the commandments. He does through us what we cannot do.

S. Texted: OK. Back to my original question, how do you allow Him inside of you?

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> I must have said somewhere, you just ask Him in.

S. Texted: What? You ask Him to come in? How?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> You ask Him to come in. And then you learn from Him. You ask Him to come in. And then you learn from Him, and you do what He says. We will hear, and we will obey.

S. Texted: Well, it cannot be that simple.

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> And then you learn from Him, and you do what He says, and what He says is not grievous. And it is all written down in a book.

Pastor Vitale Comments: And I said that because I knew in my mind, it was not just me telling her this it is all written down in a book, but it is written in code. And unfortunately, the Church has got a lot of it upside-down. But it is really that simple. You just have to be willing to learn from Him and implement what He teaches you in your life.

S. Texted: What?

<u>Pastor Vitale Texted:</u> Basically, it is a personal relationship.

Pastor Vitale Comments: I do not know what that what meant.

Pastor Vitale Texted: But basically, it is a personal relationship, and He wants you to get to know Him. He is a real person, but He is different than we are, and He is invisible. He is our higher soul. Our personality is the lower soul. He is already attached to God. So when we develop a personal relationship with Him, we become attached to God.

Oh, and there is one more thing I did not tell you. In order to learn from Him, we must admit that He is right, and we are wrong, even if we do not understand it at the moment.

S. Texted: OK, that is a lot to think about. Thank you.

Pastor Vitale Texted: I just want you to know that there is no pressure. What I meant by what I said was that you and your husband are classic seekers of truth. You are very unique. There are not many like you around, and you may be the first ones that I have ever met.

Pastor Vitale Comments: People that do not have an agenda, that is what I meant. That is what I meant, that I am so excited that I can answer your questions. In other words, I am not excited that you are coming to the Lord (she has not come yet), but I do believe that the Lord is drawing both of them. I do not know what is going to happen. All of my excitement is that I can answer their questions with the right answers, with the answers of God.

Pastor Vitale Texted: And I am so excited that I can answer your questions. I have been studying all of these years, and I am now prepared to answer difficult questions in a simple way.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments:</u> That is it. That was the end of the conversation

I hope you are as excited as I am. Will they come to the Lord? I personally think they will, but that is not my job. I executed the job, and I think I did a fantastic job. I think I get an A. That is what I am all excited about. My excitement is not dependent on their response. If they come to the Lord, I will rejoice with them. But my happiness is that I was able to do a job, and that God has given me a message that is a positive message.

And that is what is making me so happy.

And it has been very hard. This ministry has been very hard, dealing with sin, revealing sin in people that resented it or that attacked me or rejected me. It has been going on for so many years. And I have spoken to the brethren here more than once, people that are struggling, because we struggle. Those of us that have been part of this ministry for years, it is a very tough ministry. We are rejected by the Church. Our numbers are small, and now our last one or two conferences have been canceled. We do not have a lot of fellowship. There are not many that believe what we believe, and we are scattered all over the world. So our last two conferences have been canceled, and it is a very hard walk of dealing with our own sins and dealing with the manifestations of people that do not understand what they are doing, and rejecting you, and cursing you, and trying to shut down your ministry or pray down your ministry. It is a very hard walk.

So from time to time, I would speak to the brethren here and remind them that Pentecost was such a blessing. It was so exciting. We came to church; we saw people healed, people getting up out of wheelchairs. It was a very positive time in my life, being in Pentecost, and that was my youth. That was my spiritual youth, our spiritual youth.

And this is a young adulthood. Actually, it is the pregnancy that is so painful. But the day is coming that it will not be painful anymore because the Scripture says, once the man child is born, that we have the joy that comes in the morning after the hard, dark night of pregnancy. It has been a very painful pregnancy, and now the joy is coming.

That is another witness that the man child is being born. The Son of Man is being born, the Son of Man. The whole concept, brethren, of the Son of Man, for the Son of Man to be in somebody, means that their ransom has been paid. It means that their soul has been overthrown, and the soul of the Lord Jesus Christ is now inhabiting their body. It is a positive Body Snatchers. That is what it is.

So the sign that the joy is coming is the sign that the man child is being born because He is not being born in a moment. He is being born. The actual birth will appear to be sudden, but He has been being born in this ministry for 32 years. It has been a long pregnancy. And the actual labor of the birth has been long and hard. But the fact that the joy is here means that He has been born, but He could not have been being born fully because I am still struggling with my fingers going crazy and other infirmities. But He has been born.

It is in the very, very last stages. The joy has begun. The joy of ministering God's truth to people that, whether they know it or not, are desperate to hear it.

QUESTIONS & COMMENTS

Comment: My daughter and son were doing something with the subject of elements, and then as you were talking about crystals, it connected the two subjects in me. We as a family never talk about that stuff, or it never came to our conversations or anything. So to have it come up today right before this message was something.

Pastor Vitale Comments: Very interesting. So either they were touched by this conversation (which would not surprise me at all because your whole family is very spiritual), without the information that they needed to defend themselves against it, or it was just something that was lurking there that was stirred up. My guess is that they were touched by this conversation, and that they are really going to have to hear this. And now you are equipped to, however you are going to, minister it to your family; the counteraction to that spirit that entered into your house.

So look at that, brethren, how curses enter into our house in this subtle kind of way.

It is just another example of what I have been telling you, that we are getting more and more spiritual. I know how spiritual I am. Many of you, I only see a couple of times a year for the conferences, which we have not even had now. So you have to ask the Lord and judge yourselves. A lot of what comes into your mind or your emotions, it is not a question of is it you or your carnal mind or is it God. It could be somebody else's mind.

So that is why Paul said that we have to lay hold of every imagination, which really means every thought. We have to lay hold of every thought and discern whether or not it is God and bring it into captivity. If we do not know what it is, we have to ask Him. Certainly, if something foreign enters in, we need to ask, where did that come from?

Now, in this case, it is this woman's family. Her daughter is an adult. her son is still a minor, but her daughter is in that household, so she is under that authority. So if this woman or her husband had missed this message and not heard this, do you understand what is being said? That, because they are spiritually attached to this ministry, this thought of this world

entered into their children. And if the parents did not hear this message, which is now equipping them to counteract it, it could have brought serious curses into the lives of the whole family.

And this woman is fighting for her life right now, so I personally think that she was the target, to try to hurt her in some way.

Wow, wow. So because of your faithfulness of listening to the message, she was saved, and the whole family was saved.

So we have to be diligent. The Scripture says we have to be diligent, brethren.

Comment: Well, I was really blessed by this, going over these text messages. It was just wonderful, and I am just so excited to see God working in those ways. And the part about where she talked about how we will be a hive mind and not an individuality. I never asked, would we not be a hive mind? but I do remember asking you, will we lose our individuality?

And there was something you preached recently where it cropped up a fear. And I was having fear and even crying. I talked to you, and you said, that is your first Adam dying.

You said something in the message, that God is having a relationship with Him in us, that He is actually loving Himself in us. And I started thinking, Well, where are we? I thought that He loved us so much that He died for us, so I was confused about it. But I was having more than just the question, will we lose our individuality? I was actually experiencing a fear that you said was from my first Adam afraid of dying. Afraid of losing individuality. You said, Well, we are becoming Him. So I just wanted to say that. I asked that more than once.

Pastor Vitale Comments: Yes. Thank you. I know that question has been around, and that is a good point. What you said was really profound, that our first Adam has a fear of dying, and He resists dying. And also what I had told her is that the Lord Jesus Christ is actually having a relationship with Christ Jesus in us. He wants to have a relationship with Himself. And she said, Well, where are we in all this? And the answer is that He, Christ Jesus in us, is swallowing up our soul, and we are becoming Him. We are Him, and He is us.

And at that point, we become the Son of Man. And at that point, when everything coming out of your mind and everything coming out of your mouth is from Christ Jesus, then you can say, I am the Son of God, and I am the Son of Man. But when it is coming out of your carnal mind, it becomes sin for you to say it. So your life has to be given over and swallowed up by the Lord Jesus Christ for you to say that, or at least, at the moment that you say it, it is Him saying it in you.

So It was actually a crisis moment for me when the husband asked me, who are you? And I said, I am a teacher, and that answer was not good enough for him. I do not remember what the second question was, how it came out, but it occurred to me that I had to tell him I am a Son of God. I have never said that to anybody. And it was a moment of a crisis for me to declare something like that. That is a bold thing to say. I did not say the Son of God; I said, I am a Son of God because the Spirit of God is in me.

And it was a crisis moment. I had to say it because that man wanted an answer. That man was looking at me with a serious intent in his eyes. He wanted to know who I was. And Christ Jesus in me wanted to answer him, so I had to let it come out of my mouth. And it was a real crisis moment for me, but he

took it well, and it is just the truth. At the moment, anyway, that is who I was. I hope I am that way most of the time.

Comment: First of all, I want to tell you that I want to apologize for all I thought about you at first. I thought wrong, and I really want you to forgive me about that. And I really was blessed by your message today. It really uplifted me, and I really appreciate that. God bless you. Keep up the work.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments</u>: You are absolutely forgiven. I love you very much in Christ.

Comment: I've been thinking my husband actually needed to hear this message. He never heard that from me, but heard it from you today. I think he needed this beginner's message that you gave. And I told my husband, if he comes with honest questions, I can answer some of them. You will be able to answer more. But if he comes with these honest questions and let's go of the Church doctrine, God will feed him in a deeper way. Thank you.

Pastor Vitale Comments: You are welcome.

It is a great day. It is pouring rain here, but it does not mean anything to me. It is raining in the spirit. The Son of Man is born. Now the joy that cometh in the morning has begun. Hallelujah.

<u>Comment</u>: This message reminds me of the one you taught with the Conversations with Nicole. And you put the conversations in a book with a lot of topics.

<u>Pastor Vitale Comments</u>: That is interesting because I think someone said something about it being put in a book, not in this meeting, but she said that to me. And I had the thought this morning of Conversations with Nicole.

For those of you that might be interested, Conversations with Nicole is a book that I published, which is a series of email conversations that I had with a young woman that contacted me through the internet, and she had a lot of questions about deliverance and demons. And I answered her questions to the best of my ability, and we made a book out of it.

And I believe she was set free. But unfortunately, this was so typical at the time. That was years ago. It happened a long time ago. What was not at all uncommon at the time was, after she got set free, she then joined a traditional church. And I heard from her about a year or two later; she was trying to convert me to some Church doctrine, Christmas or something like that. I am really glad that she got help.

May the wonderful Spirit that is on me touch you and heal you and forgive you of everything and bring you to a higher place today. In Jesus' name, Amen.

I hope you are as happy as I am, and that we can stay happy, because happiness is in Jesus Christ. It means the man child has been born. Hallelujah.

ADDITIONAL TEXT CONVERSATION

Inquiring Mind: You sent me into a rabbit hole last night LOL. Looking up what primordial Kings were and the second Adam. Interesting. Well, for the second and last Adam, that's believed to be Jesus, right?

Pastor Vitale: In two different phases. Not the same.

Inquiring Mind: So Jesus before and after resurrection?

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Adam comes to full maturity in three stages. Actually, I told you the wrong thing. The second Adam is not Jesus. Second Adam is the promise that Jehovah gave to Abraham that first appeared and Isaac. Promised seed. First incarnation of the promised seed was Isaac. It still has not incarnated in its final stage. Which is the son of man.

Inquiring Mind: So Adam is more a spiritual status vs a person.

Pastor Vitale: Absolutely, a spiritual man.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. I think I understand.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Technically, humanity is not man. Adam is man. Humanity are the earthen vessels.

Inquiring Mind: So, man is a child of God who loves and obeys God without question or straying from his commands. As for a primordial king, that was a whole different story. A perfect being so to speak.

Pastor Vitale: The first Adam disobeyed God, committed adultery and the human race was born as an illegitimate offspring. And we have been dying ever since.

Inquiring Mind: That part I understand.

Pastor Vitale: Adam is the son of God. When Jesus said I am the son of God, it was Adam speaking from within him.

<u>Inquiring Mind:</u> Yes, but he (Adam) broke the covenant making humanity no longer immortal basically.

Pastor Vitale: Yes, but he was never supposed to obey unquestioningly. Adam was supposed to internalize the righteousness of God to the point that he would choose to make the same decisions that God would make. But he was seduced before he was internally equipped.

Inquiring Mind: Ok, I understand that part.

Pastor Vitale: Adam was actually a seed that brought forth an offspring and is now used up. That's why a second Adam or a second seed was necessary.

Inquiring Mind: I'm sorry, Sheila. If you are busy, you don't have to waste your time on me with this.

Pastor Vitale: I love it.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. I just didn't want to take you away from what you are doing.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> The second seed, or the second Adam, has not been born yet.

Inquiring Mind: Now you definitely have me confused.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Or, rather, he was born in Jesus of Nazareth, but Jesus of Nazareth gave up his incarnation in this world. I'll back up. It's best if you ask me a question.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. So if Adam was born in Jesus, is that not the second Adam.

Pastor Vitale: A good question. Just thinking about how to answer you. I guess I have to use a different word. The second Adam was conceived and came to term in Jesus of Nazareth but has not been born yet. He can be likened to a nine-month fetus just before birth.

Inquiring Mind: Sorry. You know I'm literal. LOL

Pastor Vitale: I love it.

Inquiring Mind: So Adam was going to be born into Jesus but wasn't. Now is waiting.

Pastor Vitale: Yes, he is a fully conscious adult spiritual male who is waiting to be born in a flesh body. But he is not human. He is a gigantic spiritual being who will be born in many human beings.

Inquiring Mind: Kind of like a reincarnation.

Pastor Vitale: True.

Inquiring Mind: But born into many?

Pastor Vitale: One human being cannot contain his consciousness. The only example that I can think of which is a terrible example is an octopus.

<u>Inquiring Mind:</u> Yikes. Here my mind goes again. So he needs several beings but then a hive mind?

Pastor Vitale: No. With a hive mind, everyone is the same.

Inquiring Mind: Right. That's why I'm clarifying.

Pastor Vitale: He is the son of God. He is an infinite being. His mental intellectual spiritual and creative capacity is infinite. And he expresses it creatively in many different beings at the same time without any conflict between them. Reality is that our relationship with him imparts to us infinite creativity. The glue that sticks it all together is his moral base.

Inquiring Mind: Ok, but wait. Now I go back to something not sitting right. I thought Adam was a creation of God in God's image. But Jesus is the son of God. But you're saying Adam is the son.

Pastor Vitale: Good question. Give me a minute. Jesus is the name of God. He is different than Jesus of Nazareth who was a human being born to a woman. The personality of Jesus of Nazareth was joined to Adam, the son of God, who is in the image of God and, therefore, joined to God. Think of it this way. Our human reality is that we are in two layers. Our physical body and our personality which is spiritual or soul.

Inquiring Mind: Ok, so Adam is spirit inside Jesus of Nazareth? But you said Jesus is the son of God. I have this vague memory of being told some people call God Jesus but that's not correct.

Pastor Vitale: Sort of. They were fully integrated. He has no appearance right now. He has to be born into physical

bodies. His personality was integrated. Not this body. Correct. Jesus is not God; he is the last Adam who is fully integrated with God. Therefore, he is the name of God, but not God. He is the representative of God, the name of God. Integrated with God but yet separate and visible. He is a part of God. To make him God would be like saying that my heart is separate from me and my heart is me. My heart is only a part of me. We are all parts of God.

<u>Inquiring Mind:</u> Jesus is a part of God. I get that part. And that we are all parts. I get that too.

Pastor Vitale: So, now that God, who is completely alien to everything that is human, as a human identity through which he can relate to other human beings. So it is said that Jesus is his name, i.e., his connection with the human race. And our connection with God. Christ Jesus, the only mediator between God and man.

Inquiring Mind: I don't think I can follow that part, Jesus is God's name. I have a very negative feeling towards that. Everything else makes sense. Just not that.

Pastor Vitale: It took me a long time to understand that also. You read my last few texts above. His name, i.e., his connection with the human race and the connector, or the ladder to which men can reach God and God can reach man. Christ Jesus, the only mediator between God and man.

Inquiring Mind: I understand everything you are saying. But to me, God and Jesus Christ are two. Connected? Absolutely, without a doubt. Jesus is an extension of God. But not God.

Pastor Vitale: Amen.

Inquiring Mind: I think we will have to agree to disagree on the name part. LOL

Pastor Vitale: He is called God's name because there is no way for a human being to identify God. Or to get to know him. He is Adam Perfected. He is in the image and likeness of God.

Inquiring Mind: Still not God.

Pastor Vitale: We can get to know him because he was human and is now an ascended being. So the way this principle is expressed as to say that he is God's name. Correct. He is not God. He is the perfect expression of God in a form that human beings can comprehend.

Inquiring Mind: Agreed.

Pastor Vitale: He is ambassador, translator. The way what we have just agreed upon is expressed in the scripture is that Jesus is God's name.

Inquiring Mind: Where please?

Pastor Vitale: I don't know that it's expressed exactly that way. We were told that he is the Express image of God. He also says I and my father are one. I can give you those scriptures if you would like. In the Old Testament, Jehovah says I and my name are one. John 3:18 says the name of the only begotten son of God.

<u>Inquiring Mind:</u> I'll look at them. I apologize, but there is such an issue inside me to accept that one thing.

Pastor Vitale: It's not a problem. I'll look further for you. I'll email you a list of the Scriptures.

Inquiring Mind: Thank you.

Pastor Vitale: His name is above every other name. God has given him a name that is above every name.

Inquiring Mind: I see where you are going with that. I think this is more that I am literal.

Pastor Vitale: The whole scripture is spiritual. The letter is only an abbreviation for the purpose of connection. He is a many membered man and collectively we are God's name. Try this one. Acts 15:14...To take out of them people for his name.

Inquiring Mind: Agreed. But also interpretation. To me, when one says, Jesus is God, that means that they are the same. Not two.

Pastor Vitale: He is not God.

Inquiring Mind: Right. That's where this is coming from me. Jesus is not God.

Pastor Vitale: The Church is mistaken. There is not one scripture that says that he is God. They support their position with the doctrine of the Trinity, which is a false doctrine.

Inquiring Mind: I think in some odd way, we are saying the same thing.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> There is only one God and his name is Jehovah. Yes, we are. Actually, God as multiple names.

Jah, Jehovah, Adonai, I Am, El ...

Actually, the whole scripture is his name. And all of those names can be expressed collectively as Jesus. Not Jesus of Nazareth. He is gone and will never return. He has been swallowed up into God. Today, the name Jesus signifies all of the collective names of God.

Inquiring Mind: There. Not to me.

Pastor Vitale: God, who is unreachable, is now reaching for humanity through the personality of Jesus of Nazareth, which He has now clothed Himself in. Are you saying that you do not accept that the name Jesus represents God but it's not God?

Inquiring Mind: No. I'm saying that Jesus is different than God himself.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Of course. Jesus is Adam. God is God. Jesus is the creation. God is the creator. Jesus is the last Adam getting the perfect creation of God. Jesus is Adam. God is God. Jesus is perfect mankind.

Inquiring Mind: Agreed. But his image, not him.

Pastor Vitale: Correct. But because he is his image, which is recognizable, we can use his name to call upon God. He said, pray to the Father in my name. Access the Father in my name. Because you can see me and you cannot see him. We do not know what we shall be but we see Jesus. He is our example. He is the pattern son.

<u>Inquiring Mind:</u> Yes. So through Christ, we can reach our Father. But that does not mean I call our Father, Jesus.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> I see where you are stuck. I've been saying for a while now that Jesus being God's name is a real

stumbling block for the church. And you had put your finger right on it. The only way to legitimately call out to God in the name of Jesus is to understand that Jesus is the mediator. So if that's not clear, you should not call him by his name, Jesus. The problem is that when someone calls God, God, which is his generic name, there are many gods who can answer. Jehovah is the greatest of all the gods. But there is no provision for humanity to communicate directly with Jehovah.

Inquiring Mind: Except through Jesus Christ.

Pastor Vitale: Exactly. He is the Only mediator.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. So we are on the same page there.

Pastor Vitale: Yes. He is the image that stands in front of Jehovah. Jesus can dwell with humanity without killing us. If Jehovah were to try to dwell with us, we would die. He's inside of me. Talking to you now.

Inquiring Mind: Even that I understand.

Pastor Vitale: You understand a lot.

Inquiring Mind: Not enough.

Pastor Vitale: He has sent you one large breast. Take from me all that you can swallow. LOL.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. That's gross. LOL

Pastor Vitale: El Shaddai. It's called the breasted one. That is another name of God. Believe it or not, that's a spiritual principle for all of us.

Inquiring Mind: What do you mean?

Pastor Vitale: We are all nursing spiritual children. It's actually that primordial king in you drawing spiritual life from Christ Jesus in me. I'm just his mouthpiece.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> It's a spiritual breast. Sorry if I grossed you out.

Inquiring Mind: About primordial kings. I was joking with you. LOL. There isn't a lot of information about primordial kings. But at first glance I saw something about archangels and for a few minutes I thought you were calling me evil. I was a little upset.

Pastor Vitale: Oh, no. You have to be careful what you pick up online.

Inquiring Mind: But I went further down the rabbit hole there and I have to say, I still don't quite understand what a primordial king is.

Pastor Vitale: That's a whole different teaching. Are you sure you want to double up? Maybe we should save that for another day. A conversation like this is like swallowing live fire. You don't want to take too much too fast. People that do that sometimes yomit afterwards. I don't recommend it.

Inquiring Mind: How about you give me something to research further on it. I got stuck and to be honest, I'm not sure I want to know who my angels are, but I do like info and you opened up a subject. I'm good as far as info. I just don't want to take up too much of your time. And I do have to leave to pick up kids in 10 minutes.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Well 10 minutes is definitely not enough.

I don't know where to direct you online, but I know that I gave a couple of excellent exhortations on that subject. I will find it for you.

Inquiring Mind: Ok. That would be great. Thank you.

<u>Pastor Vitale:</u> Welcome. Have a good evening. Love you.

Inquiring Mind: You too. Love you, too.

SHEILA R. VITALE

Sheila R. Vitale is the Spiritual Leader, Founding Teacher and Pastor of *Living Epistles Ministries (LEM)*. Pastor Vitale has been expounding upon the Scripture through a unique Judeo-Christian lens for nearly three decades and has an international following. As head of the teaching ministries, she disseminates Judeo-Christian literature, both printed and online, to individuals around the world. Pastor Vitale also planned and organized the creation of Libraries of audio recordings of her teachings on Judeo-Christian Spiritual Philosophy, and distributed them across Europe, North America, Asia and Africa.

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LIVING EPISTLES MINISTRIES

Pastor Vitale began her training for ministry in 1978, and answered a divine call to begin teaching in the New York hamlet of Port Jefferson Station in 1987. The Lord spoke to her about teaching after she expressed her desire for a deeper and more spiritual understanding of the Bible. After that, under the heavy hand of the Lord Jesus Christ, she began to teach her own brand of Judeo-Christian Spiritual Philosophy that she calls *The Doctrine of Christ*. The Lord Jesus Christ named the work, *Living Epistles Ministries*.

Pastor Vitale prepared and delivered her first two formal messages entitled The Truth About Witchcraft and The Seduction of Eve in January and April of 1988. After that, she began preaching on a regular basis within the Office of Prophet and as a Teacher of Apostolic Doctrine, preparing weekly messages, including Signs Of Apostleship and Lazarus & The Rich Man. Pastor Vitale's unique, Multi-Part Message Style is seen in LEM Serial Messages such as, A Place Teeming With Life (9 Parts) and Quantum Mechanics in Creation (18 Parts). Pastor Vitale also analyzed the Greek text and preached extensively on the Book of Revelation in her early years, during which time she produced 197 distinct Message Parts under 29 distinct Message Titles that all deal with The Book of Revelation. The initial meetings of Living Epistles Ministries in 1987 were casual and spontaneous affairs. Formal, weekly meetings began in January of 1988, and gradually increased to two and then three times each week by the mid 1990's. She journeyed to Africa for the first time in 1992, where she was called to the office of Evangelist. After that she moved into the Office of Pastor.

Pastor Vitale travels internationally and domestically on ministry business, most recently promoting her signature accomplishment, *The Alternate Translation Bible*, an esoteric understanding of the Scripture which is not intended to replace traditional translations. Interest in the *LEM* message continues to grow today through the free video lectures on the LEM YouTube channel, the books that *Living Epistles Ministries* publishes, and the free written material that LEM distributes through its online reading room.

BEGINNINGS, INSPIRATION AND CALLING

Sheila Vitale was born into a Jewish family and began her spiritual journey as a child when her mother enrolled her as a student in an Orthodox Hebrew school. She also attended synagogue on Shabbat during that time, where she experienced the Spirit of God for the first time. Such a deep longing for God was stirred up in her that she wept. She was touched so profoundly that she became desperate to attend yeshiva (Jewish high school) but her parents could not afford the fees.

She became very ill around the age of 11 and has battled with chronic illness ever since. Her most recent struggle against premature death came in 1990, when she spent three months in the hospital before recovering and going on to resume teaching and managing *LEM*. Her illnesses led her to cry out to God, seeking a deeper understanding of what was happening to her.

Much later, as an adult, after years of searching, she, once again, experienced the Spirit that had brought her to tears, but this time it was in *Gospel Revivals Ministries*, a Pentecostal church where Deliverance Ministry was emphasized. She had desired a deeper understanding of Scripture since her early years, so she began to attend church regularly. She read at least one Chapter of the Bible every day but did not understand what she was reading. Scripture was difficult for her, and she struggled with the task. After about six months, however, while reading the Bible, she saw a vision of the

angel with the little book described in Chapter 10 of the Book of Revelation, verse 8. She began to understand the Bible after that, but several more years had to pass before she began to receive Revelation knowledge of the Scripture.

Sheila Vitale studied the Bible and Deliverance Ministry for about seven years under the teaching of *Charles Holzhauser*, the Pastor of *Gospel Revivals Ministries*, in Mount Sinai, NY. Sometimes she attended as many as five teaching services each week, as well as studying for endless hours to gain key insight into her faith. She also edited *Pastor Holzhauser's* books during that time. After that, she studied independently under the influence and direction of the Holy Spirit, before founding *Living Epistles Ministries*.

WRITINGS AND WORK TODAY

Sheila Vitale's signature work is the three volumes of *The Alternate Translation Bible*: The Alternate Translation Of The Old Testament, The Alternate Translation of the New Testament and The Alternate Translation of the Book of Revelation. The Alternate Translation Bible is an esoteric translation of the Scripture and is not intended to replace traditional translations. The Book of Revelation and several other books that Pastor Vitale has written have been translated into Spanish.

LEM books are displayed on the official LEM website (LivingEpistles.org) and Paperback and digital versions of LEM books may be purchased at Amazon.com, BarnesandNoble.com, and Google Bools. She also has an Amazon *Author's Central* Website which displays all of her books, a short bio and several photographs of her.

She has also written extensive reviews for movies, TV shows and plays which are based upon spiritual principles, such as *The Matrix*, *The Edge of Tomorrow* and *Wicked*. Pastor Vitale also analyzes modern Social Trends in view of

the Scripture and, in that vein, reviews media that deals with Family and Culture, such as the TV series, *The Sopranos*. She also writes for the *Blog* on the *LEM* website, where a detailed review of radio talk show host Alex Jones' interview of Louis Farrakhan is posted. She has also delivered hundreds of messages, many of which have been transcribed. Message transcripts may be read free of charge on the *Living Epistles* website.

Short, focused video messages by Sheila Vitale, averaging 15 minutes each are also available on a second *LEM YouTube* channel called, *Short Clips by Sheila R. Vitale*.

PASTOR VITALE TODAY

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She has dedicated her life to studying and teaching Judeo-Christian spiritual principles, and continues to focus daily on studying, teaching and writing. In February of 2016, she joined other teachers to dedicate a Living Epistles Ministries Building in Gray Court, South Carolina.

She is also a philanthropic individual who supports numerous charitable organizations, including *Feed the Children*, *Judicial Watch*, *World Vision*, *Lighthouse Mission*, and *The International Fellowship of Christians and Jews*. She also helps local groups such as the *Terryville Fire Department*. In her spare time, Pastor Vitale enjoys watching movies, attending plays and partaking of cuisines from

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