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**LETTER FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**



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To my spiritual sons and daughters,

Greetings in the matchless name of Jesus!

November is upon us. We are in the eleventh month; indeed, the eleventh hour of this year, 2022; and assuredly the eleventh hour of this final dispensation before the Lord crack the sky.

With 2023 on the horizon, and as we step into our twenty-first year, it is important, now more than ever, that we grab hold of the vision for this House. As many of you know, our church anniversary theme this year is, *Strengthening our Grip*. What is implied, but I wish to underscore, is the understanding that one cannot grip what is not already firmly in his grasp.

Spiritual sons and daughters, we have in our grasp all we need to excel in the areas we are called upon to serve – we need to keep doing what we have been doing with excellence. God has matured, equipped and conditioned us to run the last leg of the journey before His return. Please hear me from my heart -- the years we have toiled diligently, sacrificed willingly, contended for the faith persistently, and the growing pains we have endured are not in vein. Those years prepared us. We are the ones who will carry the mantle in this season, and we are ready to walk into all that God has for Total Deliverance.

Through your commitment to the Kingdom Business assigned to this ministry, we have laid a solid foundation upon which we have built an Apostolic lighthouse. In this season, we will stand firmly as a beacon of the uncompromised truth of this great Gospel. Accordingly, we will continue to expand beyond ourselves to reach those who are lost, unsaved, backslidden, misguided, and all who are in need of a Savior.

To each of you, be encouraged. While there is much for which we are proud, there is still more to do. I cannot imagine a better church to call home than Total Deliverance. I invite you to join Lady Benson and me as we forge ahead along the path God has set before us in this next chapter.

I love each of you. May God bless you, and may God keep you, which is my most earnest prayer.

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