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DIVINE TESTIMONIAL BY PASTOR YEMISI BAMBOSE MATTHEW 3:17



Matthew 3:17 - *“and lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.”*

Genesis 18:16-22

A divine testimonial is God's overview of you; it is your current state as far as Heaven is concerned.

A divine testimonial is your report sheet with God.

It is Heaven's evaluation of your earthly performance according to their record.

A divine testimonial is how Heaven sees your performance here on earth.

Everyone must remember that we are all here on Earth on an assignment that is time-allocated, and time will reveal how well we have fulfilled, or failed to fulfil, that purpose.

We should also know that destiny is a function of time. Time is a very important commodity that must be used wisely, as failure to seize the moment could mean losing out on time.

There are things which are time-sensitive, and failure to accomplish within the time allocated will mean failure in achieving it.

Time cannot be manipulated, but you can use it judiciously.

Heaven is taking record of our earthly activities, as the Bible says in that God will teach us to number our days and apply our hearts unto wisdom.

In what way are you applying your heart to wisdom?

This year is running to an end, what would be the report of Heaven about your performance this year?

How would you rate yourself and how would Heaven rate your performance knowing what we know about God as a righteousness Judge?

He said *“I know Abraham that he will train his family in the ways of God”*, how does God see you now; how well have you journeyed this year?

When referring to Abraham, God said *“I know him”*. God knew that Abraham would do the right thing, and that he would leave a godly legacy behind. God knew that Abraham would train his children to fear God and walk in His ways.

No wonder Isaac feared God greatly; he obeyed God when He told him not to go down to Egypt.

Genesis 26:2-5

Jacob feared God and honoured Him in his decisions and in the ways, he built altars unto the living God.

Genesis 28:18-22

He made a promise to God to pay his tithe and build Him a house, if God will go with him on his journey, and he kept to that promise.

How many times have we made promises to God and failed to keep them?

Not obeying God's simple instructions and not keeping your promises to others makes one a lousy person.

The percentage of your life that you give to God reveals His position in your life. For many of us, our work takes the most important place in our life, so much so that some of us do not have time for family or even God.

If you dedicate all your working hours on a job, you will soon discover after retirement that you have wasted your life following routine.

The time we give to God in fellowship, thanksgiving and other forms of worship will show where our priority lies.

If God is your priority, it will be revealed in your daily routine, decisions, and choices.

But we must always remember that whatever we do with ourselves, and our time will be evaluated by Heaven.

How much of the money, that He has given you, have you put into good use? Good uses such as, covenant practices or helping the less privileged of the society; how much have you put to good use and how much have you wasted?

Time is the greatest commodity that God has given to us all; how well have you used your time this year on productive activities rather than frivolous things?

As the year is coming to an end, God would like us to evaluate and score ourselves on how well we have performed this year.

What does God think about you right now?

What has God said concerning you, and what is the opinion of Heaven regarding your life?

When Heaven evaluates or marks your script, what will your mark be?

Are you on target or are you lagging behind?

The essence of this exercise is to be critical of yourself. Give yourself a mark and ask Heaven to show you where you need to adjust as we prepare to enter into another year.

A successful business tycoon would sit down to evaluate and plan ahead, so what must we do to prevent wasting the precious commodity of time given to us by God?

Joshua 13:1

God said that Joshua had failed to accomplish all what was given to him to do, and now that he was old and stricken in age, the land was still unoccupied. As far as God was concerned, Joshua had failed to accomplish his purpose.

We need to spend time with God and ask this critical question, 'how am I doing?'

Joshua rated his performance by listing all the cities they had conquered, leaving out the ones he had failed to take.

God will commit resources, in the form of people, time and money to us, and we must be faithful and diligent with the resources committed to us.

When Heaven evaluates you, your cars, houses and bank accounts will not matter. What will matter are the souls you have led to Christ, those you delivered from committing suicide, and the ones you were instrumental in giving hope to through the love of God, amongst other acts of love and kindness.

God made a divine testament about Job to the devil and Job did not fail God.

Job 1:8 - *"And the LORD said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil?"*

Job is a great example to many who need to trust God solely for their lives and their future.

Belshazzar received a negative testimony from God for his foolish act of using God's golden vessels to drink wine. Anytime a person used what should be dedicated to God on himself, he attracted such judgement.

With King Belshazzar, his kingdom was taken away from him that night and given to another better than himself.

Brethren, there is always an ongoing evaluation from Heaven, and we should ensure that we do our best to fit into God's agenda for our lives.

1 Samuel 16:1

God said to Samuel, *"how long will you mourn for Saul, see that I have rejected him."*

When King Saul was still occupying the throne as king, Heaven had already replaced him.

According to Heaven's marking scheme, King Saul had failed his assignment. He failed to accomplish the will of God by not carrying out the full instructions of exterminating the enemy, but rather made excuses for himself and blamed the people. He failed to own up to his failure.

1 Samuel 15:18-19 - *"And the LORD sent thee on a journey, and said, Go and utterly destroy the sinners the Amalekites, and fight against them until they be consumed. Wherefore then didst thou not obey the voice of the LORD, but didst fly upon the spoil, and didst evil in the sight of the LORD?"*

Many of us will need to repent wholeheartedly, as Heaven is watching and may be having second thoughts about our ways of life. Amend your ways and make things right with God, before it is too late.

Prayer: Father, the grace to fight the good fight of faith and to press on towards my goal release unto me in Jesus name



2023 PROPHECIES BY THE GENERAL OVERSEER OF RCCG



GENERAL:

- ◆ The biggest challenge in 2022 will lead to your biggest testimony in 2023.
- ◆ The Lord will speak peace to some troubled homes.
- ◆ For quite a few people, there will be restoration of lost glories.
- ◆ Many troublemakers will lose the ability to make trouble.
- ◆ Few balloons will be deflated this year.
- ◆ There will be a bit of wealth transfer.

INTERNATIONAL:

- ◆ The weather pattern will be more erratic but it will be nice wherever God's children are.
- ◆ The world will be relatively more peaceful.
- ◆ The issue of migration will take a new turn in the new year.

2023 CHURCH ACTIVITIES AND DATES

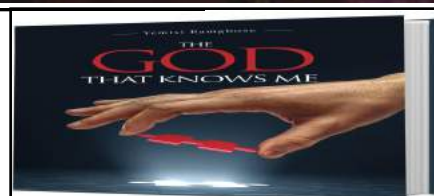
DECEMBER	Holy Ghost Congress Royal Ladies Prayer Meeting Christmas Party Carol Service 3 Days Fasting and Prayer/ Crossover Night	4th –10th December Thursday 21st December at 7pm 17th December 24th December 29th –31st December
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2023 OUR YEAR OF DOUBLE PORTION THEMES:-

JANUARY	PRAISE THE LORD	PSALM 150:6
FEBRUARY	COME UP HIGHER	REVELATION 4:1
MARCH	OPEN DOOR	REVELATION 3:7-8
APRIL	WHO IS ON THE LORD'S SIDE?	EXODUS 32:26
MAY	WHEN GOD APPEARS	GENESIS 18:1
JUNE	KINGDOM LIVING	MATTHEW 6:33
JULY	UNLIMITED GOD	PSALM 147:5
AUGUST	DILIGENCE	PROVERBS 12:24
SEPTEMBER	IN HIS NAME	MATTHEW 12:21
OCTOBER	FLOURISHING	PSALM 144:12
NOVEMBER	PRESSING ON	PHILLIPIANS 3:14
DECEMBER	DIVINE TESTIMONIAL	MATTHEW 3:17



Pastor Yemisi's new book is out! Please get your copy for £5!



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

NAMES	DATES
Sis Tracey Foster	3 rd
Elder Yinka & Dr Yetunde Owojaiye	4 th
Bro Opeyemi Ojebiyi	8 th
Aamunja Oyedele	8 th
Bro Olakunle Oladiji	8 th
Pst Charles & A/P Rosemary Gogo-Charles	9 th
Sis Tomi Ogunjimi	11 th
Moropeda Omisore	11 th
Sis Toyosi Obisesan	12 th
Col Olaolu Daudu	12 th
Micheal Ajayi	12 th
Mr Nurudeen Oyedele	14 th
Toshe Odusanya	15 th
A/P Yemisi Disu	16 th
Bro Gabriel Ansah	16 th
Bro Oluwatosin Macaulay	18 th
Oluwanifemi Akisanmi	21 st
Bro Enmmanuel Ajayi	21 st
Esther Abioye	22 nd
Jewel Adu	22 nd
Mr & Mrs Olaolu Olubiyi	22 nd
Ayolamide Obisesan	23 rd
Sis Arinola Ogunjimi	26 th
Bro Abiodun Olorode	27 th
Mr & Mrs Deji Dosumu	28 th
Oluwaseun Olowu	28 th
Tetioluwa Kehinde	30 th

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:



1. What does Jesus want you to do to your enemies?

- a) Curse Them
- b) Love Them
- c) Avoid Them
- d) Plot Against Them

2. What was one of three gifts presented to Jesus by Wise Men from the east?

- a) Silver
- b) Silk
- c) Gold
- d) Chickens

3. John the Baptist baptized a person after they had done what?

- a) repented of their sins
- b) became Jewish
- c) believed on Jesus
- d) was filled with the Holy Spirit and fire

DECEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ You are welcome to Winners Way Dartford, we also welcome all our online viewers.
- ◆ Our Theme for December is **DIVINE TESTIMONIAL (Matthew 3:17)** “and lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased” May our life be a good testimony in Jesus name.

Church Activities:-

- ◆ Early Morning Dew on Zoom at 5.45am.
- ◆ Bible Study every Wednesday at 7pm – 8pm
- ◆ Night Vigil last Friday in Church at 10pm.
- ◆ Church Zoom log in details: code: 8161025789 PW:01322.
- ◆ All online church group meetings will now hold using church zoom account only. Thank you.
- ◆ Lets continue to pray that God will heal our land. **2 Chronicles 7:14.**
- ◆ Our Annual Holy Ghost Congress start from Monday 4th to Sunday 10th December 2023, Themed DIVINE REPOSITIONING. Please log on YouTube and be part of it.
- ◆ Our Christmas party comes up on Sunday 17th December immediately after the Sunday service.
- ◆ Our 2023 Carol Service comes up on Sunday 24th December at 10am.
- ◆ The end of year prayer and fasting comes up from Friday 29th to Sunday 31st December and we shall be meeting daily pray. Time:6pm
- ◆ Our Watchnight Service comes up on Sunday 31st December at 9pm prompt. Come and pray yourself into the new year.
- ◆ Our workers meeting for the new year will take place on Saturday 6th January at 11am
- ◆ Please visit the church bookshop for your spiritual development.
- ◆ Please listen out for further announcements.

Thank you!

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BE THANKFUL

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



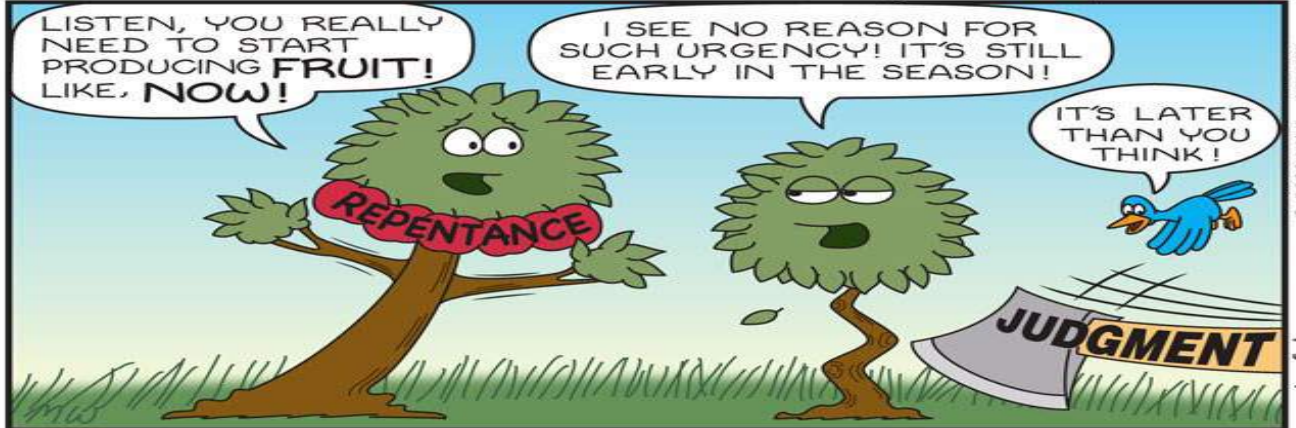
And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.

- COLOSSIANS 3:15 KJV

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PRODUCE FRUIT

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



Bring forth therefore fruits worthy of repentance, And now also the axe is laid unto the root of the trees: every tree therefore which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.

- MATTHEW 3:8,10 KJV

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WAGES OR GIFT

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

- ROMANS 6:23 KJV

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IN ALL THINGS GIVE THANKS

A 4 year-old boy who was asked to give thanks before Christmas dinner. The family members bowed their heads in expectation. He began his prayer, thanking God for all his friends, naming them one by one. Then he thanked God for Mommy, Daddy, brother, sister, Grandma, Grandpa, and all his aunts and uncles. Then he began to thank God for the food. He gave thanks for the turkey, the dressing, the fruit salad, the cranberry sauce, the pies, the cakes, even the Cool Whip.

Then he paused, and everyone waited--and waited. After a long silence, the young fellow looked up at his mother and asked, "If I thank God for the broccoli, won't He know that I'm lying?"

THE GIFT

Thanks for the electric guitar you gave me for Christmas," little Chris Cody said to his uncle the first time he saw him after the holidays. "It's the best present I ever got."

"That's great," said his uncle. "Do you know how to play it?"

"Oh, I don't play it," the little fellow said. "My mom gives me a dollar a day not to play it during the day and my dad gives me five dollars a week not to play it at night."

<p>WWD ANTHEM Winners Family We are one in Christ As you fellowship with us May you really be blessed</p> <p>You are welcome to Winners' Way We are one in Christ Jesus As you fellowship and praise God with us</p>	<p>SAFEGUARDING A/PASTOR FUNKE AKALE DCNS TAYO OBISESAN</p> <p>FIRST AID ELDER ENIOLA OGUNJIMI</p> <p>MEMBERSHIP CLASS A/P ADEBODUN DADA MIN KOLA AKOMOLEDE</p>	<p>RCCG ANTHEM We are Redeemite, United in love Jesus is for us We shall conquer</p> <p>We are together United in Love Jesus is for us We shall conquer</p> <p>We are Victorious United in Love Jesus is for us We shall conquer</p> <p>Covenant Children United in Love Jesus is for us We shall conquer</p>
<p>RCCG MANDATE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Make Heaven. 2. To take as many people as possible with us. 3. To have a member of RCCG in every family of all nations. 4. To accomplish no 2 & 3 above, we will plant churches within 5 mins walking distance. 	<p>WWD FAMILY UNITS:</p> <p>NAME - LEADER</p> <p>MERCY - MIN KOLA AKOMOLEDE</p> <p>LOVE - A/P ABIMBOLA AKISANMI</p> <p>JOY - SISTER BUNMI DAUDU</p>	

PRAYER POINTS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER

DAY 1

Father, Thank You for the gift of life; for being alive and in good health to see December 2023.

DAY 2

Father, Thank You for everything you've done in my life, family, career, ministry, community and nation.

DAY 3

Father, thank You for protection and favour over my life and family members in Jesus name.

DAY 4

Father, I thank You for Your grace, your plan and your promises of increase in my life and family in Jesus name.

DAY 5

Father, thank You for RCCG Winners' Way Dartford for all that You have done for us this year in Jesus name.

DAY 6

Father, empower me to do exploits in year 2024 and let Your power influence my family and surroundings for greater works in Jesus name.

DAY 7

Father, move in an unusual manner during this year Holy Ghost Congress. Let there be genuine salvation healing and creative miracles in Jesus name.

DAY 8

Father, fulfil your promises in my life and help me to attain the height you have set for me in Jesus name.

DAY 9

Father, let this year's Holy Ghost Congress be the best ever with signs and wonders following every ministrations in Jesus name.

DAY 10

Father, let there be open heaven over The Redeemed Christian Church of God worldwide, let Your church experience uncommon favour and supernatural growth in Jesus name.

DAY 11

Father, help me to walk worthy of You; to please You always; to be fruitful in every good work and to increase in the knowledge of You in Jesus name.

DAY 12

Father, let Your praise never cease from my mouth all the days of my life that I will have the strength and wisdom to praise you in any situation that might come my way in Jesus name.

DAY 13

Father, please let all be well with me, my family and Winners' Way Dartford in Jesus name.

DAY 14

Father, in this month of December, I say bye-bye to sickness, poverty, lack, anti-favour and to self government in my life and family in Jesus name.

DAY 15

Father, let the rest of this year yield her ultimate blessings unto me and every member of my family, crown this year with Your goodness in Jesus name.

DAY 16

Father, let my joy in this season not turn to sorrow, Lord help me to enjoy Your peace and favour throughout the remaining days of this year and beyond in Jesus name.

DAY 17

Father, by Your grace I receive a hundredfold increase on every seed I have sown this year in the name of Jesus.

DAY 18

Father, restore back unto me everything the enemy has stolen from my life, home, career and business in Jesus name.

DAY 19

Father, please give me a brand new beginning in all facet of my life, my home and ministry in Jesus name.

DAY 20

Father, Give me a cause to smile and take me to the next level in every area of my life before the end of this year in Jesus name.

DAY 21

Father, let the remaining days of 2023 be full of supernatural manifestations in my life, my family and my entire household in Jesus name.

DAY 22

Father, Give me a divine key to prosperity and abundance. Make me a channel of your blessings and let me increase greatly on every side in Jesus name.

DAY 23

Father, deal with all the agents of death in my life e.g. sickness, poverty, failure, oppression, bondage, hunger, lack, and in the life of all my loved ones in Jesus name.

DAY 24

Father, let my destiny and that of my household be secured in you and empower us to enter into our realm of breakthrough in Jesus name.

DAY 25

Father, let indomitable and the shout of hallelujah fill my mouth today in Jesus name.

DAY 26

Father, let my little faith this year make the impossible possible for me in Jesus name.

DAY 27

Father, let my life, my home and everything that pertains to me reflect you glory in Jesus name.

DAY 28

Father, from now on let me enjoy Your glory to the fulness in Jesus name.

DAY 29

Father, let 2024 bring all my awaited blessings in Jesus name.

DAY 30

Father, let no evil cross over with me and my family into year 2024, don't let me end this year empty handed in Jesus name.

DAY 31

Father, thank You for answered prayers and let my testimonies be permanent in Jesus name.

Please remember to Pray for all our leaders, Daddy G.O, Pastor Leke Sanusi, The King, Prime Minister, Pastor Yemisi and United Kingdom.

God shall answer all our prayers in Jesus name, Amen.

HYMNS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER

HYMN 1

O GOD OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defence is sure.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day.

Our God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guard while troubles last,
And our eternal home.

HYMN 2

IMMORTAL INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes
Most blessed, most glorious,
The Ancient of days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we
praise.

Unresting, unhasting and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting,
Thou rulest in might!
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above,
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness
and love.

To all life Thou givest to both great and small;
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish-but nought changeth
Thee.

Great Father of Glory, pure Father of Light,
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;
All laud we would render; O helps us to see;
'Tis only the splendour of light hideth Thee.

HYMN 3

WHILE SHEPHERD WATCHED THIER FLOCKS BY NIGHT

While shepherds watched their flocks by night
All seated on the ground
The angel of the Lord came down
And glory shone around.

Fear not said he for mighty dread
 Had seized their troubled mind
 Glad tidings of great joy I bring
 To you and all mankind.

To you in David's Town this day
 Is born of David's line
 A Saviour who is Christ the Lord
 And this shall be a sign.

All glory be to God on high
 And to the earth be peace
 Goodwill henceforth from Heav'n to men
 Begin and never cease.

HYMN 4

JOY TO THE WORLD!

Joy to the world! The Lord is come;
 Let earth receive her King,
 Let every heart prepare Him room,
 And heaven and nature sing.
 And heaven and nature sing.
 And heav'n and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the earth! The Saviour reigns;
 Let men their songs employ;
 While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains.
 Repeat the sounding joy
 Repeat the sounding joy
 Repeat, repeat, the sounding, joy.

No more let sins and sorrows grow,
 Nor thorns infest the ground;
 He comes to make His blessings flow
 Far as the curse is found
 Far as the curse is found
 Far as, far as, the curse is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
 And makes the nations prove
 The glories of His righteousness
 And wonders of His love
 And wonders of His love
 And wonders, wonders, of His love.

HYMN 5

OH COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

Oh come, all ye faithful
 Joyful and triumphant,
 To Bethlehem hasten now with glad accord;
 Lo! In a manger
 Lies the King of angels;

Chorus

*Oh come, let us adore Him
 Oh come let us adore Him
 Oh come let us adore Him,
 Christ the Lord!*

Raise, Raise, choirs of angels
 Songs of loudest triumph
 Through heaven's high arches
 Be Your praises poured,
 Now to our God be
 Glory in the highest;

Amen! Lord, we bless Thee
 Born for our Salvation,
 O Jesus! For ever be
 Thy name adored,
 Word of the Father,
 Now in flesh appearing.

CHURCH PROGRAMMES:

Sunday

Sunday Service - **10:00am**

Thanksgiving 1st Sunday - **10:00am**

Winners Youth Church

Monday to Friday

Early Morning Dew (ZOOM) - **5:45am - 6:30am**

Tuesday

Anchor Church service - **Last Sunday at 12:15pm**

Wednesday

Digging Deep (Bible Study) - **7:00pm - 8:00pm**

Thursday

Choir Practice - **7pm**

Royal Ladies Prayer Meeting - **3rd Thursday at 7pm**

Friday

Ministers Prayer Meeting - **7pm**

Last Friday - Shiloh (Night Vigil) - **10:00pm**

Saturday

Evangelism, 3rd Saturday - **On hold**

Excellent Men Fellowship - **TBC**

HOUSE FELLOWSHIP

HOUSE FELLOWSHIP HOLDS WEEKLY THROUGH THE CHURCH FAMILY GROUP.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANTHEM

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
O how I love Thee well,
I am happy, it makes me glad
To rejoice at Thy birth.

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
Thy friendship suits me well;
Both young and old will sing Thy song,
We long for Sunday School.

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
Christ was Thy first teacher,
The Holy Spirit, Great Teacher,
Does manifest in thee.

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
This testimony is sure,
That God, the Father Almighty,
Poured His blessing on thee.

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
Though the sun be so bright,
Or if the clouds be black with rain,
I'll be in Sunday School.

O Sunday School, on the Lord's day,
I rejoice to see thee,
Will thou pass over me today?
Without my being blest?



2023 DECLARATION AND CONFESSION

Thank God for the month of December

The Lord will crown my year with His goodness

I will end this year gloriously and powerfully

I declare that this is my season of good report and good tidings

My season of celebration and jubilation

My season of divine remembrance and divine encounter

My season of progress and acceleration

My season of liberty and freedom from oppression

In this season, I shall not be held down by sickness or affliction

My gates shall be opened continually for the inflow of resources and good things, in Jesus name.

THIS IS MY YEAR OF DOUBLE PORTION, IN JESUS NAME.