

➤ Most people work so hard with nothing to show, because the powers of darkness have been all out to resist their advancement. Many believers have continued to sweat with nothing to show for this sweat. But all we need is light, because when light steps in, darkness steps out — *Eph. 5:8*

➤ Jesus said, 'come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, come and learn the truth and you shall find rest for your soul' — *Mat. 11:28-29*.

Do you want to become a child of light and receive eternal life and live the overcomer's life on earth and make heaven in grand style — *2 Thes. 5:5*

Pray this prayer:

Lord Jesus, forgive me all my sins, save my soul from destruction and make me a child of God. I accept you as my Lord and saviour today and I believe I am now saved and born again. Amen!

Finally, I am inviting you to settle down with Christ, learning at His feet, obeying His instructions and your experience shall be from glory to glory till Christ returns — *2 Cor. 3:18*

Jesus is Lord!

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Breakthroughs IN A World OF Gross Darkness

➤ As we all know, the dominion of light over darkness is instant, sweatless and unquestionable. Whenever we turn light on in the night, darkness flees without any form of 'argument' or 'resistance'. In the same way, when we receive Christ, the light of the world, darkness clears the way for us. — *Isa 60:1-3*

➤ We are in the last days, which are described in scriptures as days of darkness and gloominess — *Joel 2:1-2*

➤ Access to light is the only way out in these last days, because the only authority that darkness respects and bows to, is the authority of light — *Jhn 1:4-5*

➤ But Jesus is the true light that lights everyone that comes to this world — *Jhn 1:9/ Jhn 8:12*

➤ When one is born again, he becomes a child of light. This is simple to grasp,

because, like begets like, so every true child of God is redeemed as a light in a world of darkness — *1 Jhn 4:16/1 Thes. 5:5*

- However, though we are redeemed as the light of the world, we have a responsibility to keep our light shining, so as to keep darkness away from our environment — *Mat. 5:14/16*
- By a way of illustration, let us consider our salvation as a rechargeable lamp, this implies that to keep our light shining, we must keep our 'battery' of salvation charged, thereby giving no room to the powers of darkness around our lives — *Mat. 5:16/Eph. 4:27*
- As we all know, the power of darkness is only in the absence of light.
- Therefore, when the battery of our lamp goes flat, our light goes out and darkness comes back to once again unleash its wickedness on us — *Mat. 12:43-45*
- This is where the trouble of many believers lies, they unconsciously watch their battery go flat and their light goes off, which gives room for darkness to come back and in most cases the situation becomes worse than all they ever knew.
- This is why, it is not enough to become a child of light, we must locate a 'powerhouse', where we plug the 'battery' of our salvation into, so as to keep our light shining.
- We understand from scripture that every living Church, that is, every Church where

the gospel of Christ is preached, people get saved, enjoy the presence and the mighty hand of God upon their lives as believers, is recognize as God's powerhouse — *Zph. 3:17-20*

- Furthermore, the word Zion, represents the Church of Christ in prophecy, where believers are ordained to go from strength to strength, as they appear in His presence, which again defines the Church as God's powerhouse — *Psa. 84:7*
- We are in the last days where darkness is fast covering the earth and gross darkness, the people; this is why the bible warns that we must not forsake the gathering together with other believers in Church, much more as we see the days approaching.— *Heb. 10:25*
- Another aspect of the gospel of Christ is the translation of the redeemed from the kingdom of darkness to the kingdom of light — *Col. 1:13/Eph. 5:8-11*
- Behind all our challenges as believers are the rulers of the darkness of this world, and wicked spirit in high places — *Eph. 6:12*
- Even Christ testifies of how gruesome the power of darkness can be — *Luk. 22:53*
- This is why to live a triumphant life, we must learn to take responsibility to keep the 'battery' of our salvation charged, so we can continue to command dominion over the powers of darkness in every area(s) of our lives.