The Year Of Incredible Wonders.

Text: John 9:9 "Some said, This is he: others said, He is like him: but he said, I am he".

1. OPENING SPEECH

Isa 8:18 Here am I and the children whom the LORD has given me! We are for signs and wonders in Israel From the LORD of hosts, Who dwells in Mount Zion. (NKJV)

The testimony of a widow whose dead son was raised to life in a small town called Nain.

Luke 7:11-17 Now it happened, the day after, that He went into a city called Nain; and many of His disciples went with Him, and a large crowd.

- 12 And when He came near the gate of the city, behold, a dead man was being carried out, the only son of his mother; and she was a widow. And a large crowd from the city was with her.
- 13 When the Lord saw her, He had compassion on her and said to her, "Do not weep."
- 14 Then He came and touched the open coffin, and those who carried him stood still. And He said, "Young man, I say to you, arise."
- 15 So he who was dead sat up and began to speak. And He presented him to his mother.
- 16 Then fear came upon all, and they glorified God, saying, "A great prophet has risen up among us"; and, "God has visited His people."
- 17 And this report about Him went throughout all Judea and all the surrounding region.

1. WHAT IS WONDER?

A simple way to describe wonders of God is when unexpected miracles happen and you are unconsciously opened wide your mouth. A classical example is found in **Luke 1:59-64**

In summary: The miracle that happened to Zechariah on the naming day of his son-John.

Another way to describe wonder is when your life is suddenly transformed through the power of God, and the transformation is so great to the extent that people around you could not believe it. An example is found in **John 9: 8 & 9**

Wonder can be classified into two categories

- ✓ Common Wonders.
- ✓ Uncommon Wonders

Nos	Common wonders	Uncommon wonders
1	Natural way of Conception	Supernatural way of Conception
2		

	Medical or medicinal way of healing.	Supernatural way of healing e.g terminal
		diseases.
		Supernatural way of human growth and Ageing.
3	Natural way of human growth and Ageing	 Deut 34:7 Moses was 120 years old, eyes not dim, force not abated. Josh 14: 7-14. Caleb was 85 years old, yet his strength remained as when he was 40 years old.
4	Elevation via Title	2. Elevation via Mantle. 2Ki 2:14
5	Success through Traditionalism. Gen 29:9-26 Leah became the first wife of Jacob instead of Rachael because of tradition.	2. Success without obeying the Tradition. Luke 13:10-13. A woman who was healed from the spirit of infirmity on Sabbath day

3. PROPHECY

- This year, the Lord will release incredible wonders that will amaze the whole world.
- > This year, the Lord will perform a particular signs and wonders and its news will go round the whole world.
- This year, the Lord will release wonders that will popularize the name of the Apostolic Church throughout the world.
- This year, conjoined twins will be miraculously separated without surgical operation.
- > This year, those who were born abnormally shall be miraculously made normal.
- Unceasing wonders of God shall turn this assembly into a spiritual citadel.
- This year, there is going to be an incredible wonder of provision to the extent that your bank account will be divinely credited with huge amount of money.

4. THE MESSAGE.

I want to speak on seven incredible wonders which will greatly manifest in our lives this year.

I. Wonders of Provision.

John 21:11 Simon Peter went up, and drew the net to land full of great fishes, an hundred and fifty and three: and for all there were so many, yet was not the net broken.

What is Provision?

- a. Provision is when the rain of surplus is no longer ceased in your life.
- b. Provision is when the Lord has erected a spiritual silo for you. Though the physical silo may be empty but the spiritual silo is filled up with provisions.

c. Provision is when you are flourishing or spending conveniently above your earnings.

The principles of God's Provision

- a. Give.
- b. Pay your tithe.
- c. Pay your first fruit.

This year there shall be provision of newly built houses. The Lord will provide good cars for His people. He will provide good jobs for the job seekers. He will provide spouses for the bachelors and spinsters. The doors of admissions will be opened to the students. The Lord will meet all our needs in a wonderful way.

II. Wonders of Procreation.

If a barren woman is pregnant through natural process, such is called common wonder. But because this year is a year of incredible wonders, the barren will conceive through supernatural process. A classic example is found in

Hebrews 11:11 And by faith Sarah herself had power to give birth, when she was very old, because she had faith in him who gave his word; (BBE)

The Lord performed seven major wonders before Sarah could conceive.

- 1) Sarah's womb might have grown up fibroid. The fibroid disappeared!
- 2) Sarah conceived without mensuration. Supernatural wonder!
- 3) Sarah conceived without ovulation.
- 4) Sarah conceived without fertilizing eggs.
- 5) The Lord made special fallopian tubes for her.
- 6) The Lord gave her strength to carry the pregnancy at 89 years old for nine months without being admitted into maternity center. Heb 11:11 Sara herself received strength to conceive seed
- 7) The Lord energized Abraham to impregnate his wife at 99 years old without having his back bones broken. A clue to David in 1 Kings 1:1-4

III. Wonders of Protection

This year, the Lord is going to protect and preserve you in a wonderful way. When you are besieged with enemies the God of wonders will stretch- forth His hand to protect you. A good example is found in **1Samuel 23: 26-28.** David was miraculously protected even when Saul would have captured Him.

IV. Wonders of Popularity.

Mathew 4:24 And his fame went throughout all Syria: and they brought unto him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatick, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them.

Mark 1:28 And immediately his fame spread abroad throughout all the region round about Galilee.

V. Wonders of Promotion/Elevation.

When God is ready to promote, He will not just promote you from level eight to twelve, rather he will take you from the dust and cause you to sit among the princes. This year, the Lord will take you from the back seat to the high table. Merited and unmerited promotions shall be awarded to you.

VI. Wonders of Healing

Acts 3:10 And they knew that it was he which sat for alms at the Beautiful gate of the temple: and they were filled with wonder and amazement at that which had happened unto him.

VII. Wonders of Peculiarity.

Da 6:27 He delivereth and rescueth, and he worketh signs and wonders in heaven and in earth, who hath delivered Daniel from the power of the lions.

What made Daniel a peculiar man in Babylon?

- a. He was the first man in the world who went and came back alive from the lion's den.
- b. Lion' den can be liked to an evil forest. Daniel went there and was not hurt by the evil ghosts.
- c. Daniel's flesh became uneatable to the carnivorous animals.

This year, the Lord will make you peculiar. He will make you special. You will be made so indispensable to the extent that those who hate you will be forced to familiarize themselves with you.

5. **STEPS TO ACTUALISATION**.

> An absolute reliance and rest on God.

2Chr 14:11. The God who can help the strong and the feeble.

Sanctification.

Joshua 3:5 And Joshua said unto the people, Sanctify yourselves: for tomorrow the LORD will do wonders among you.

Gospel must be widely propagated collectively and individually.

John 4:48 Then said Jesus unto him, Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will not believe.

You must be in Christ the light of the world.

Psalm 88:12. Shall thy wonders be known in the dark? and thy righteousness in the land of forgetfulness.