

## 2012 The Year of God's DIVINE Government

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No doubt you have read or heard countless prophecies that 2012 will be the **Year of God's Government**. This is because the number 12 from the Hebrew means *governmental perfection or completeness*. Other meanings for the number 12 are <sup>1</sup>*Divine government and election; apostolic fullness; discipleship; the Church; united and oversight*.

There are simple to indepth prophecies on the topic of God's government, so I'm not going to attempt to relay anything other than what the LORD has personally dropped in my heart about the year 2012. You may find it repetitious (because usually the LORD confirms His word through His prophets), but there may be a few items that are further words or revelation. Regardless, we need to pay attention to what the LORD is saying through His prophets.

As mentioned, in Hebrew the number 12 means *governmental perfection*. For instance, God established the 12 tribes of Israel and Christ ministered on the earth with His 12 disciples. God has chosen 12 to represent His perfect government on the earth. Only God has perfect government and therefore, only perfect government can come from Him. So yes, 2012 is the **Year of God's Government**. But, what does that mean? After all, aren't we now and haven't we always been under God's government? No. Christians are supposed to be under God's government, but that doesn't mean that all are. Many struggle to get under and stay under God's government.

The word, *government*, means *the political direction and control exercised over the actions of the members, citizens, or inhabitants of communities, societies, and states; direction of the affairs of a state, community, etc.* **God's government** could then be defined as: *The spiritual and physical direction and control exercised over the actions of the members, citizens, or inhabitants of His kingdom.*

In Hebrew the English number 12 is actually, *Yod-Bet*. *Yod* is the numerical number 10 and *Bet* is the numerical number 2 equaling 12. In modern Hebrew the meaning of *Yod-Bet* is important. Unlike our English language in which our numbers have no meaning with the exception of their numeric value, numbers in Hebrew are actually spelled out and have much meaning. So, *Yod-Bet* has the following meaning: *Yod or Yud* carries the numerical value of 10. As the 10<sup>th</sup> letter of the Hebrew alphabet, it means *Work, Make, Throw, Worship and Guide--all the functions of the hand*. *Yod* is the first letter in God's Hebrew name YHWH. The letter *Yod* can also be found in every letter of the Hebrew Alphabet. Since Yeshua upholds the world by the Word of His power (Hebrews 1:3), and *Yod* is part of every Hebrew letter (and therefore every word), *Yod* is considered the starting point of the presence of God in all things--the "spark" of the Spirit in everything. In that, we can see how the meaning of *Yod* is significant in the meaning of the governmental number of 12.

*Bet* carries the numerical value of 2. As the 2<sup>nd</sup> letter of the Hebrew alphabet, it means *house, tent, family as well as in, with, inside or within as the family resides within the house or tent*. *Bet* has to do with what goes on *in* the family "in

their house.” And, of course, God wants Himself and His government to be a part of every family—to be a part of every home—to be a part of what goes on *inside their house*.

So what does *Yod-Bet* then mean in respect to God’s Government? *Yod*: The Christ-Messiah is the efficacy (effectiveness, efficiency, worth and value) of His people--without Him we can do nothing. The functions of our hands need to be functions done in righteousness, which can only happen if God is our God and we are under His Kingdom government. He is the Presence in everything good. He is our First and our Last--Beginning and End. It is important that we comprehend this and live our lives accordingly. *Bet*: The Christ-Messiah is the habitation of His people. We are the house of God—the Temple of the Holy Spirit. He desires to dwell—make His home in us and bring and release His government into us.

(Excellent reading and meditation for Yod and Bet, of course, are found in Psalm 119 where the Hebrew alphabet is found. **Bet is found in Psalm 119:9-16 and Yod (Yud) is found in Psalm 119:75-80.** In reading, studying and meditating upon these portions of the Psalms you will find revelation, faith and strength.)

## ***God’s Government and YOU***

God’s government involves His *Kingdom* as well as His *Order*. A kingdom is a type of government having a king (or queen).

God’s government involves His Order. His Order is about how He *regulates, conducts, or manages*. This information is given to us in His Word--the Bible. If we’re not reading, studying and meditating upon the Word of God, we’ll have the potential for being out of God’s Order. The Holy Spirit also brings and imparts God’s Order to us. We must come to know and have a solid relationship with Holy Spirit. We must not resist Holy Spirit.

God’s Kingdom and His Order needs to be settled, evident and exhibited in and through us personally—our personal lives, in our thoughts, words, purposes, and actions. Therefore, every one of us needs to be brutally honest about we stand in Christ right now and ask ourselves the questions, “Is Christ **truly** my King?” “Am I existing in His Kingdom?” “Do I live my life by God’s divine governmental order?” Or, “Do I live my life by my own governmental order?”

I believe there will be some radical changes happening this year that will determine who is under God’s government and who is not and many Christians will be forced to make some radical decisions this year in order to get under God’s government. But faith is always rewarded!

### ***How does God’s government look when it’s implemented in our lives?***

Many people claiming to be Christians “think” they are under God’s government. How do we know if we or another person is under God’s government?

**First, being under God’s government means to be under His Sovereign authority--first and foremost--not the sovereignty of the state or sovereignty of man (although we all under both).** It is God’s government that should establish our *belief system* or in other words, *what we believe*. All human governments and all humans will ultimately be answerable to God, therefore, we do not base what we believe or our government on human grounds. And, God is Sovereign, we do not ask God to believe what man believes. That may sound ridiculous, but untold thousands are right now asking God to believe what “they believe.” We are to believe what “He” believes. All our moral belief system is based in His Kingdom governmental order--not what we think or what our state passed in their legislation last month or last year as what is moral and right. Only God is righteous—only He is right! Therefore, we are under His authority, first.

Someone said that a primary reason so many Believers are not effective in exercising their Kingdom authority is because they themselves are not under God’s authority. Our spiritual authority is wholly linked to being under God’s authority. God expects us to walk in His authority which releases the power of God on earth. Lack of spiritual authority

and power is evidence that one is not under God's Sovereign authority or government. So, we start by believing and living our life by His Sovereign authority, which should establish a belief system under the influence and control of His government.

**Second, being under God's government means that the *righteousness of God* will take precedence in our lives.**

Psalm 9:7-8 says, "*The LORD reigns forever; He has established His throne for judgment. HE RULES THE WORLD IN RIGHTEOUSNESS and judges the peoples with equity.*" God rules the world in righteousness--anything outside of that is not God's government.

The LORD pointed me to Psalm 12 (a governmental Psalm) as an indication of the year to come. In verses 1-4 it says: "*HELP, LORD! For principled and godly people are here no more; faithfulness and the faithful vanish from among the sons of men. <sup>2</sup>To his neighbor each one speaks words without use or worth or truth; with flattering lips and double heart [deceitfully] they speak. <sup>3</sup>May the LORD cut off all flattering lips and the tongues that speak proud boasting, <sup>4</sup>Those who say, With our tongues we prevail; our lips are our own [to command at our will]--who is lord and master over us?*" (Amplified Bible)

In this passage the writer is talking about the unrighteousness that surrounded him. We can't give in to unrighteousness or that which is not right according to God. We must, through Christ, get and stay under His righteousness—His right-ness.

Many would say that if we "love" we are under God's government. But that's not it. Yes, the greatest commandment is love, but we do not have a Gospel of Love--we have a command *to love*. We do, however, have a *Gospel of Righteousness* and many have forgotten that--some have never heard of the Gospel of Righteousness.

**Romans 1:16-17 tells us--**"*I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. <sup>17</sup> For IN THE GOSPEL A RIGHTEOUSNESS FROM GOD is revealed, a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."*

We know we are under God's government if we are walking in His righteousness--if His "right-ness" is evident in our lives.

We are seeing an overwhelming number of people who claim to be Christians and they talk and preach a lot about love, yet there is little or no righteousness being exhibited in their lives. As Psalm 12 says *they speak words without use or worth or truth; with flattering lips and double heart [deceitfully] they speak.* 2 Timothy 3:2-5 tells us *they are lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good, treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God—having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with such people.*

These are all unrighteous. Their guide is their mind or emotions and not the righteous Word of God or the Spirit of God. Only those who submit to God's righteousness will be under His government.

This is very important because all unrighteousness will be punished. Christ gave us His righteousness so we are without excuse.

So, being under God's government means that the ***righteousness of God*** will take precedence, priority or superiority in our lives. "***BUT SEEK FIRST HIS KINGDOM AND HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS, and all these things will be given to you as well!***" (Matthew 6:33).

**Third, being under God's government means that we will have His protection/safety.** 2012 will be a year that God's people will need supernatural protection. You won't have it unless you are under God's Kingdom government. If

you are fully under God's government you will have and experience the King's supernatural protection (Psalm 91)! Safety—we will be safe and secure in His arms (Psalm 27:5; 37:3; Proverbs 18:10; 28:18).

**Fourth, being under God's government means we will have provision.** 2012 *will be* a year of supernatural provision for people in God's Kingdom governmental order. The King always provides for His people. This supernatural provision, of course, is linked to obedience and obedience is a determinate of being in and under His government.

### ***The Four Governmental Names of Christ***

Isaiah 9:6-7--*"For to us a child is born; to us a Son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And He will be called WONDERFUL COUNSELOR, MIGHTY GOD, EVERLASTING FATHER, PRINCE OF PEACE. <sup>7</sup> Of the greatness of His government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over His kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this."*

Here we find the four governmental names of Christ Jesus of which we come under when we are under God's government:

1. **Wonderful Counselor.** Hebrew reads: *One-Marvelous One-Counseling*. Matthew Henry Commentary reads: "Justly is He called *wonderful*, for He is both God and man. His love and righteousness is the wonder of angels and glorified saints; in His birth, life, death, resurrection, and ascension, He was wonderful."  
In addition, a constant series of wonders--as in signs and wonders and miracles attended Him. In the Hebrew verse 5b actually reads: ". . . and His name will be called *Wonder, Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace*." Indicating a 5<sup>th</sup> governmental name.  
And, without controversy, great was the mystery of godliness and righteousness concerning Him.  
"He is the *counselor*, for he was intimately acquainted with the counsels of God from eternity, and he gives counsel to the children of men, in which he consults our welfare. It is by Him that God has *given us counsel*, Ps. 16:7; Rev. 3:18. He is the wisdom of the Father, and is made of God to us wisdom. Some join these together: He is the Wonderful Counselor, a wonder or miracle of a counselor; in this, as in other things, He has the pre-eminence; none teaches like Him."
2. **Mighty God.** Strong God. Powerful God. Hebrew reads: *El-Masterful*. He is *the mighty God—God, the mighty One*. As He has wisdom, so He has strength, to go through with his undertaking: He is able to save to the utmost; and such is the work of the Mediator that no less a power than that of the mighty God could accomplish it. He is all-powerful. Nothing is impossible for Him, with the exception of one thing--He cannot sin thus, He can never fail. He is the Warrior and Champion. He is perfectly powerful!
3. **Everlasting Father.** Or, Eternal Father. Hebrew reads: *Father of Future*. He is God, one with the Father, who is from everlasting to everlasting. He is the author of everlasting life. But, He is also eternal life as in *Zoe' Life* (imparting God's character and God's life to us).
4. **Prince of Peace.** Prince of Shalom. This is a wonderful definition of *shalom* from the "*One New Man Bible*" *Revealing Jewish Roots and Power*: Shalom cannot be translated into English with a single word. Shalom comes from Shalem meaning *to be complete*. When there is Shalom, there is tranquility, justice, sufficient food, clothing, housing. There is Divine health, with no sickness. Shalom means an absence of: disorder, injustice, bribery, corruption, conflict, lack, hatred, abuse, violence, pain, suffering, immorality, and all other negative forces. A rabbit wrote that Shalom means "No good thing is withheld." . . . When Shalom reigns there will be no

immorality, no injustice. The principles advocated in the Torah will be followed by all. Then the command to love your neighbor will be made complete.”

Shalom is then, *nothing missing nothing broken*.

**These governmental names of Jesus Christ--we are under when we are under God's government!**

### ***2012—Satanic government will increase***

As Christ's Government increases in His people and draws near, the satanic government will also increase. This is the most obvious reason we need to be under God's government. And, we need to be ready/prepared for this to happen. If you think you've seen and heard every wicked thing you could—this year will unleash a wickedness that will surprise and appall you! As the saying goes, “You ain't seen nothin' yet!” We must stand!

### ***2012—A Year of Unlearning Untruths***

It is amazing how many Christians believe something because someone else told them—their pastor, a teacher, a good Christian friend or they heard it on TV or the Internet, but they never researched it for themselves. Much of the Body of Christ is literally saturated in a myriad of “untruths.” These are things we have believed and even lived our lives by for many years, but are not Biblical!

Most untruths are very subtle and some can even make sense to the carnal mind—so we accept them as God's Word. But, the Spirit of Truth—who is the Voice of Truth is confronting and untangling the Body of Christ from untruths. Again, many are going to have to unlearn some unbiblical things, but some will refuse. But, as we submit to the Spirit of Truth and His wisdom and revelation, we will gain truths that will literally turn our world “right-side up!” Many, many truthful revelations this year! And, at the same time, many, many dark revelations will continue to be released. (Please see my series on our website on “Dark Revelations.”)

I recorded that last year would be a “Year of Revelations” and I believe that was true. I personally received more revelation in 2011 than I ever have. But, 2012 will be a year of those revelations manifesting! In other words, these revelations of truth will PRODUCE what they are meant to produce. They will be *clear, visible, marked, display, reveal* the truth of the revelation and take us to higher levels of relationship with our God, righteousness, faith, power, and authority.

### ***2012—A Year of Sudden Baptisms in the Holy Spirit!***

The LORD was showing me that He is going to baptize some of His people in His Spirit *suddenly*. This may happen in unusual places! Of course, the LORD will not embarrass anyone, however, I saw people being Baptized in the Spirit driving down the road, in the grocery store, in the mall, coming into the church, walking out of their place of employment to their car, etc. The power of God just fell on them. And, people who have had the Baptism in the Holy Spirit are going to be *refilled* in the same ways! Those around them at the time of these sudden Baptisms will literally feel the power of God themselves. Where Christ baptizes people with His Spirit (especially in public places) there will be an outbreak of Revival in that place! Thus, these Sudden Baptisms will cause pockets of Revival all over!

## ***2012—A Year of Sudden Healings***

Much like the “Sudden Baptisms” in the Holy Spirit, there will be Sudden Healings. And again, this may happen in unusual places also. This will happen for those who have been believing for healing, those who have been crying out for healing, and those who have been searching for God.

Because these healings will be sudden and happen in unusual places--they will be witnessed first-hand by unbelievers. These Sudden Healings will also cause an outbreak of pockets of Revival.

## ***2012—The Year of Evangelism***

God will continue to shake the world this year. Much of the Church has been under a serious shaking over the last two years. In that shaking, some Christians fell away. Others, however, have become stronger and have a tremendous testimony as well as an increase in authority and power. Testimony, authority and power will accompany evangelism this year.

But, many will grab a hold of the Gospel of Righteousness and use it to snatch people from the grips of the Enemy!

### **We must consider evangelism extremely important this year!**

The word *evangelism* in fact is not in the Bible -- but the words *evangelist* and *evangelize* are there, and from these we learn what evangelism is. Evangelism is derived from the Greek word *euaggelion*, meaning “gospel” or “good news.” The verbal forms of *euaggelizesthai*, meaning “to bring” or “to announce good news” occur some fifty-five times (Acts 8:4, Acts 8:25, Acts 8:35; Acts 11:20) and are normally translated with the appropriate form of the word “preach.” Evangelism has to do with the proclamation of the message of good news. It is preaching the gospel, communicating God's message of mercy to sinners. But, it takes into account the “good news of the kingdom.” This might be stated: evangelism is the Spirit-led communication of the Gospel of the Kingdom in such a way or ways that the recipients have a valid opportunity to accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and become responsible members of His church. This evangelism takes into account the essential work of the Holy Spirit, the various ways of conveying the good news, holistic concern for the persons involved, the need for actual communication and understanding of the message, and the necessity of productive church membership on the part of the convert.—StudyLight.org.

## ***2012--The Apostasy--The Falling***

I brought this up last year and indeed the Apostasy--a falling away started, but how it happened, I believe was unexpected. The amazing thing is that those who fell away or who are in the midst of falling away (if they do not submit themselves to 5-fold Ministers and the Truth)—do not believe they are falling away!! The Apostasy carries with it an unbelievable devious, shrewed and subtle deception.

*“Let no one deceive or beguile you in any way, for that day will not come except the APOSTASY comes first [unless the predicted great falling away of those who have professed to be Christians has come], and the man of lawlessness (sin) is revealed, who is the son of doom (of perdition), . . .”* (2 Thessalonians 2:3).

The “One New Man Bible” translation reads: *“Let no one deceive you in any way. Because when the APOSTASY WOULD COME FIRST, then the man of lawlessness, the son of destruction, would be revealed.”*

This Apostasy must and will come first and it will usher in the “man of lawlessness.” Don’t be deceived--if the Bible says it will come--then it will. We must be alert!

This Apostasy will include many more who will continue to fall from God’s government *by choice--in other words, willingly and gladly.*

There are several things that are becoming more and more clear as we approach the last minutes of the last days and so much Scripture being fulfilled--and this is one of those things. Let me explain by using an example. Back in the 50's through the 80's the Church taught in regards to the person of the Antichrist that he would *force* people to receive the mark of the beast during the Tribulation period. But the Holy Spirit told me in the early 90's that is only half-way true. The Antichrist and his government will only force those who have accepted Jesus Christ and the Truth--we call them the Tribulation Saints. The rest of the population will willingly and gladly accept the mark of the beast--because he will have convinced them through deception to follow him.

The same will happen in this now occurring Apostasy--the great falling away of Christians in these times. Christians will fall away because of great deception. But they will willingly and gladly in ignorance fall away because they will believe--become convinced of a "different gospel." This is happening world-wide *right now*. How? When a Christian does not know and believe the Word of God and have a relationship with Holy Spirit, they are prime targets for heresy, so when something "new" or a new revelation comes out that seems to minister to them in some way--ministers to their flesh in some way, ministers to what they want to hear, *they receive it--gladly and willingly because it makes them "feel good!"* But that "feel good" feeling will be short-lived.

2 Timothy 4:3 highlight this--*"For the time will come when men will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear."* That time is NOW.

In doing so, they fall "completely" out of and away from the true Gospel and thus out from under God's government. Again, this will be a willing and glad move for them! They will be convinced. This is why Hebrews 6:4-8 tells us: *"It is impossible for those who have once been enlightened, who have tasted the heavenly gift, who have shared in the Holy Spirit, <sup>5</sup> who have tasted the goodness of the word of God and the powers of the coming age, <sup>6</sup> if they fall away, to be brought back to repentance, because<sup>[a]</sup> to their loss they are crucifying the Son of God all over again and subjecting him to public disgrace. <sup>7</sup> Land that drinks in the rain often falling on it and that produces a crop useful to those for whom it is farmed receives the blessing of God. <sup>8</sup> But land that produces thorns and thistles is worthless and is in danger of being cursed. In the end it will be burned."*

Let me just quote the rest of 2 Thessalonians verses 9-12--*"The coming [of the lawless one, the antichrist] is through the activity and working of Satan and will be attended by great power and with all sorts of [pretended] miracles and signs and delusive marvels--[all of them] lying wonders--<sup>10</sup>and by unlimited seduction to evil and with all wicked deception for those who are perishing (going to perdition) because they did not welcome the Truth but refused to love it that they might be saved. <sup>11</sup>Therefore God sends upon them a misleading influence, a working of error and a strong delusion to make them believe what is false, <sup>12</sup>in order that all may be judged and condemned who did not believe in [who refused to adhere to, trust in, and rely on] the Truth, but [instead] took pleasure in unrighteousness."* (AMP)

**Check what you believe and call truth!**

**Righteousness and holiness are the keys to being free from deception.**

### ***The Apostasy will reveal a disrespect and disregard for the Five-Fold Ministry Leaders***

In this Apostasy there will be a great disrespect and disregard for the 5-Fold Ministry gifts of Apostle, Prophet, Evangelists, Pastors and Teachers (Ephesians 4:11). There has to be! Some "churches" will even abandon the "need" for 5-Fold Ministry leaders and any spiritual authority. We will see more "self-appointed" unordained and thus rebellious or lawless "ministers" who will minister to the flesh of mankind.

We are seeing now and have seen an increase in total and unbelievable disrespect for ministry leaders. This is important to see and understand because “so-called Christians” are rejecting the gifts Christ *gave to prepare God’s people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up!* If people reject these gifts they are actually rejecting the gift Christ gave them, but in addition they will never be prepared for true and godly works of service. Think about that.

### ***2012 The Church--The Local Church’s existence begins to be threatened***

It is Christ who established the Church AND in it, the local church. Many are trying to get rid of the existence of the local church by breaking it up into small groups or internet meetings with no spiritual authorities, oversight, or in other words, no true 5-fold ministry. This is dangerous, it is in rebellion to the Word of God and it will be on the rise this year as satanic government increases.

This is not to say that small groups cannot and should not meet--they should, but if there is no spiritual oversight--there will be spiritual danger for those involved because there is no true government in operation. In God’s government is His 5-fold ministry--we do not have the right or authority to remove them.

As mentioned, there has been a tremendous increase in the disrespect and dishonor of spiritual authority or 5-Fold ministry over the last few years particularly. We have been overwhelmed with the disrespect and dishonor of Christians in the way they leave congregations--with the “come and go as you please” attitude; tell leaders what to do and what not to do; redirect vision; and more. This will be on the increase. Church leaders will know who is truly under God’s government by their faithfulness and righteousness or right-ness in how they handle their life and life matters in godly humility, submission and faithfulness.

### ***2012--Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem!***

We must continue to pray for Israel!

Psalm 122:6 tells us: ***“Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: “MAY THOSE WHO LOVE YOU BE SECURE.”***

Make this prayer for Israel a part of your prayer time every day that you may be secure!

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