## **God sends Gabriel!!!!! February 23, 2025**

## **Whenever God wishes to communicate EPIC, life-changing, History MAKING announcements, He sends Gabriel!!!!!!!**

## ***Daniel 8:16 And I heard a man’s voice between the banks of the Ulai, who called, and said, “Gabriel, make this man understand the vision.”***



## ***17 So he came near where I stood, and when he came I was afraid and fell on my face; but he said to me, “Understand, son of man, that the vision refers to the time of the end.”***

## ***Daniel 9:21 yes, while I was speaking in prayer, the man Gabriel, whom I had seen in the vision at the beginning, being caused to fly swiftly, reached me about the time of the evening offering. 22 And he informed me, and talked with me, and said, “O Daniel, I have now come forth to give you skill to understand.***

## ***23 “At the beginning of your supplications the command went out, and I have come to tell you, for you are greatly beloved; therefore consider the matter, and understand the vision:***

## **The only other time, He gave it Himself personally!**

## ***Revelation 1:12 Then I turned to see the voice that spoke with me. And having turned I saw seven golden lampstands, 13 and in the midst of the seven lampstands One like the Son of Man, clothed with a garment down to the feet and girded about the chest with a golden band. 14 His head and hair were white like wool, as white as snow, and His eyes like a flame of fire;***

## ***15 His feet were like fine brass, as if refined in a furnace, and His voice as the sound of many waters; 16 He had in His right hand seven stars, out of His mouth went a sharp two-edged sword, and His countenance was like the sun shining in its strength.***

## ***17 And when I saw Him, I fell at His feet as dead. But He laid His right hand on me, saying to me, “Do not be afraid; I am the First and the Last.***



## ***18 “I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death. 19 “Write the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which will take place after this.***



## ***20 “The mystery of the seven stars which you saw in My right hand, and the seven golden lampstands:The seven stars are the angels of the seven churches, and the seven lampstands which you saw are the seven churches.***

## **Gabriel in Luke, however, comes twice!**

## ***Luke 1:5 There was in the days of Herod, the king of Judea, a certain priest named Zacharias, of the division of Abijah. His wife was of the daughters of Aaron, and her name was Elizabeth.***

## ***6 And they were both righteous before God, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless. 7 But they had no child, because Elizabeth was barren, and they were both well advanced in years.***



## ***8 So it was, that while he was serving as priest before God in the order of his division, 9 according to the custom of the priesthood, his lot fell to burn incense when he went into the temple of the Lord.***

## ***10 And the whole multitude of the people was praying outside at the hour of incense. 11 Then an angel of the Lord appeared to him, standing on the right side of the altar of incense. 12 And when Zacharias saw him, he was troubled, and fear fell upon him.***



## ***Luke 1:26 Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, 27 to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin’s name was Mary.***

## ***28 And having come in, the angel said to her, “Rejoice, highly favored one, the Lord is with you; blessed are you among women!”***



## **Both were greatly troubled and needed peace.**



## ***13 But the angel said to him, “Do not be afraid, Zacharias, for your prayer is heard; and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name John. 14 “And you will have joy and gladness, and many will rejoice at his birth.***

## ***Luke 1:29 But when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and considered what manner of greeting this was. 30 Then the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God.***



## ***31 “And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bring forth a Both shall call His name JESUS. 32 “He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Highest; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of His father David. 33 “And He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of His kingdom there will be no end.”***



## **Both ask the question HOW???**



## **Zacharias becomes mute while Mary doesn’t.**



## ***13 But the angel said to him, “Do not be afraid, Zacharias, for your prayer is heard;***

## ***18 And Zacharias said to the angel, “How shall I know this? For I am an old man, and my wife is well advanced in years.”***

## **First, IS THERE ANYTHING TOO HARD FOR GOD?**



## **Second, God did this many times before!**

## ***Gen 18:14 “Is anything too hard for the LORD? At the appointed time I will return to you, according to the time of life, and Sarah shall have a son.”***

## **Third Zacharias was way older and had more experience with God!**

## ***Hebrews 5:12 For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the first principles of the oracles of God; and you have come to need milk and not solid food.***



## ***13 For everyone who partakes only of milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, for he is a babe. 14 But solid food belongs to those who are of full age, that is, those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.***



## **Mary on the other hand simply asked how can this be because I have not been with a man? Just a question not asking for a sign.**

## ***Hebrews 11:6 But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.***

## ***Heb 11:1 Now faith is the substance/confidence of things hoped for, the evidence/*conviction *of things not seen. 2 For by it the elders obtained a good testimony.***

## **So, when God says:**

## ***Phil 4:6 Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; 7 and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.***



## **It means NOT ONE THING… not even ONE!**



## **So, when God says:**

## ***John 5:24 “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him***



## ***who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life.***

## ***John 6:47 “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me has everlasting life.***

## **Doubt is not maturity, doubt is immaturity.**

## **Next week: The Lamb Of God who takes AWAY THE SIN OF THE WORLD!!!**