GARY REPORT

Get To The Root

In latter 2003, after my family left and the Bride brothers there for a delayed Pentecost had left, I was walking out to check on the goats and my attention was drawn to an earth-hugging weed in the yard that was next to what was once the garden. I had noticed it before but just left it alone. By then it had become quite expansive in breadth, almost two feet in width, radiating from one center point, and I stopped to go ahead and pull it. But I knew from experience that I would undoubtedly just break it off, as I could feel that it had a hefty and secure taproot. So I grabbed all the branches and a bit of the taproot and gave it a tug. But to my surprise, the entire taproot came out of the ground! What was my response? I was angry. Why? Because that was not normal at all. Anyone who has ever tried the same will tell you that the taproot always breaks off and stays in the ground, and the weed simply grows back. But not this time! And what made it even more amazing was that the taproot was a full two feet long! I know, because I have kept it to this day and measured it. That means it was a full two feet down into the ground, and it pulled out entirely, down to the slightest tip! Why did this happen? And why did I get angry?

Well, let me tell you why I got angry. My question was: Was this a miracle from God, or just happenstance? How would one know? Was God saying something to me? I don't like to jump to conclusions too easily, and I had just lost my family and was weary, and now I was faced with a spiritual matter. Was it a miracle from God, or mere chance? I've tried to pick far too many weeds with tap roots, and never once succeeded in doing so, and this one was a full two feet into the ground! There was no way I could come to a conclusion other than it was indeed a miracle from God. So, what was the Father speaking to me? Now fourteen years later, I think I know what it means.

Obviously, it has to do with getting to the root of an unwanted "weed." And it was not just any weed, but one which was expansive and on the edge of my garden. And the Garden is the kingdom of God, the church. But let us not go too far with this yet, but instead look at what is at hand right now.

In the last report titled "Intercession/Identification," I addressed some tragic and potentially highly destructive events that have taken place in the Africa Bride work. It could have meant the death of Lawrance, and certainly the loss of the Bride car, as well as the loss of \$1,100 in cash. Of course this was the physical attack against Lawrance as he attempted to travel from Bungoma to where Caleb was. Lawrance was viciously attacked by some men with machetes, and they stole the car and the money, and left Lawrance for dead. At the time we did not know his whereabouts, until we received notice from the doctor at the hospital that he had been brought there and was placed in ICU.

Again, this could have been disastrous, and very disappointing, especially since we are just now on the other side of the <u>April judgment</u> of so many of these men with their evil

deeds. So, why now another bout of loss? And the outcome looked very bad! But was it for the worse? No. Instead, Lawrance was not killed and is recovering, the car was found and taken into custody, one of the two thieves was shot and killed, and the other man has been interrogated and is singing like a bird! In other words, that man is revealing everything and everyone who was involved in this, and once again it points back to none other than Busia, where all of this ongoing tragedy began. And now, all seven of the responsible men who were identified as the perpetrators have been arrested and are in jail in Busia. And yes, our dear brother and defender, Constable Rubben, is once again diligently processing the legal papers against these men and preparing for their trials. Chances are, these men will also receive several years in jail, just like the group of seven who preceded them.

So, what about that root that was miraculously pulled out of the ground fourteen years ago? The answer: "That which has been is that which will be, and that which has been done is that which will be done. So there is nothing new under the sun" (Ecclesiastes 1:9). You ask: Could that root really apply to something that is fulfilled as long as fourteen years later? Well I ask you: How many of the prophecies in the Old Testament were fulfilled in their days? Many are not truly fulfilled until the church period, even today, or in the days to come. So it would be quite fitting for there to in fact be a lengthy delay regarding getting to the root. And what could be that fulfillment? Maybe to your surprise its time is now. But it's not the things that have happened in Africa, though they do prophesy. We are right now walking in a highly costly and difficult "shadow," but that does not negate its significance and value. Far more often you have to walk in the shadow before you walk in the reality. You have to walk beside the horse in its shadow, before you can ever get on the horse and ride it. That is the way of Yahweh. He always has man to walk first in types, before the true fulfillment ever comes.

You see, what is happening with these two episodes of judging these now fourteen men from Busia who are our afflicters, is nothing less than the two-blow judgment of Satan whose image is evidenced on Africa: the crushing of the head, then the tent peg to the temple. (Click here to see this.) The first judgment in Busia relative to the Bride took place in May of this year. That crushed their head, even the headman of that trouble. But obviously it did not stop them, any more than did the first Remnant stop Satan. But this last judgment of these in Busia will hopefully bring their end, just as the second Remnant will effect the end of Satan on this earth. He too will go into chains and bondage.

In Busia we have now gotten to the root of the problem. But again, that is a shadow we are walking out so that we can gain the true fulfillment, and that is with regard to the ultimate killer—Satan! We had to walk in the shadow, in order to gain the true fulfillment. Do you understand this? This is true intercession. And as attested and even promised to me fourteen years ago, a miracle is being performed wherein we will indeed get the true root—the end of Satan on this earth as we have known him in the true Garden, the kingdom, for two thousand years! May Yahweh be praised and fulfill His word!

The Father answered my prayers concerning Lawrance and the car, and He will complete what He has begun. And though I did not specifically ask Him to return the

money, He did provide that as well by a response from others. Praise be to Yahweh for that, and may they be blessed as His vessels for honorable use. And if you did not give, there is always that opportunity, and need.

In the first dramatic and costly events we went through in April, 2017, we just had to take the results when there was so much death and loss. But in this fulfilling time that is at hand for us in this month of June (the same month the Spirit came upon me in 1994), I prayed and the Father heard that prayer and we have been delivered and are victorious! May it then be so now in God's Garden, that we get to the root of the ultimate problem—exposing Satan and ensuring his like imprisonment. Amen and amen!

Concluding this report, let us look again at what has been unfolding in Africa regarding this testimony and even intercession that is at hand. From the time I was invited to Busia, events have been taking place that are undoubtedly one great intercession. First, in the darkness I became lame in my foot, and almost canceled the meeting; but with the appeal of another I chose to go. Once there the three bishops tried to stop the meeting, one grabbing Caleb by the collar of his shirt and threatening him. But afterwards that man became an important part of the Bride team, though he was later murdered by the other two bishops (which obviously had to be as well). And from there all the great tragedy of 2017 began taking place. Then in April of this year came the beginning of the reckoning for that tragedy, and seven men were judged for their guilt—one being killed and the others put in jail for lengthy periods of time. And now after the near death of Lawrance and the theft of the car and money, seven more men are about to be tried. And most amazing, one of the officers from Rwanda effecting those arrests, was none other than one of the men present in that beginning meeting in Busia where I taught. His name is Benjamin, and I had the honor of speaking with him on the phone while they were in Busia, delivering the man who was in the car at the Rwanda border and capturing the seventh man. There is great evidence that all of this has come full circle, and we are seeing the hand of Yahweh in it.

Seven men were already judged, and now seven more will face that same judgment. And our hope is Revelation 10:5-7:

Then the angel whom I saw standing on the sea and on the land lifted up his right hand to heaven, and swore by Him who lives forever and ever, who created heaven and the things in it, and the earth and the things in it, and the sea and the things in it, that there will be delay no longer, but in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he is about to sound, then the mystery of God is finished, as He preached to His servants the prophets.

Then comes the eating of the little book and the great climaxing promise: "And they said to me, 'You must prophesy again concerning many peoples and nations and tongues and kings.'" Amen!

The question at hand is whether we are indeed at the place of the fulfillment of all of these things, and I believe we very well are. I believe that this intercession could be a doorway, even turning the valley of trouble into the door of hope (Hosea 2:15). It is to be seen, but given the details of this and the mere fact that we see it, I believe it well

could be that door. He answered my two prayers and even made the provision for the third need. May His goodness and mercy ever increase unto the coming of Immanuel.

It was June of 1994, twenty-three years ago, that I ate that little book and it became bitter to my stomach. And this is nigh to the completion of my third twenty-three years, which will come on August 7, my birth date, when the Bride actually began when God <u>called me out</u> of Christianity. I hope that what we are seeing now at hand is an indication that the long breach is over and the curse is being reversed. And I hope that as Benjamin's name would testify: Ben-oni, the "son of my sorrow," will become the "son of my right hand." The bitterness of the little book has to come to an end. Oh may it be now! Hear our prayer, oh Yahweh! And may You perform the miracle that You alone can fulfill and remove the root of sin, Satan, out of the earth! Amen!

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