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## Living in a Kairos Moment!!

There are two Greek words used for the word "time" in the New Testament. The word for an amount of time, or measurement of time (such as a day, week, or year) is the Greek word "chronos." This word is used 54 times throughout the New Testament. The other word for time is the Greek word "kairos." This word describes time that is opportune, a "now" moment, such as harvest time, a distinct opportunity, a season. This word is used 86 times in our New Testament Scriptures.

Why did the Holy Spirit use two distinct words for time? Why is it so important that we delineate and differentiate between these two and have understanding in our own lives of the difference? We can get so busy living in the "chronos" that we miss the "kairos!"

♥ "To live like this is all the more urgent, for time is running out and you know it is a strategic hour in human history. It is time for us to wake up! For our full salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. Night's darkness is dissolving away as a new day of destiny dawns. So we must once and for all strip away what is done in the shadows of darkness, removing it like filthy clothes. And once and for all we clothe ourselves with the radiance of light as our weapon. We must live honorably, surrounded by

the light of this new day, not in the darkness of drunkenness and debauchery, not in promiscuity and sensuality, not being argumentative or jealous of others. Instead fully immerse yourselves into the Lord Jesus, the Anointed One, and don't waste even a moment's thought on your former identity to awaken its selfish desires. Offer an open hand of fellowship to welcome every true believer, even though their faith may be weak and immature. And refuse to engage in debates with them concerning nothing more than opinions."

— Romans 13:11-14:1 The Passion Trans.

Kairos moments happen within the chronos of our everyday lives. We are in such a kairos mo-

ment of human history! No one could have imagined how different this year has been. Many things are coming to a head – that is the sense of the word kairos. It is an opportune time! There have been times in history both individually and corporately when kairos moments have been met with unpreparedness. In these cases, God's fullness is not experienced and His purposes are not fully realized. We have a responsibility as Christians to stay in step with God and be alert and aware of how He is moving and what He is doing in the earth.

● "Now as they heard these things, He spoke another parable, because He was near Jerusalem and because they thought the kingdom of God would appear immediately. Therefore He said: 'A certain nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom and to return. So he called ten of his servants, delivered to them ten minas, and said to them, "Do business till I come.""

— Luke 19:11-13 NKJV

Complacency is the enemy of capturing our kairos opportunity! As children of God we must be a people of preparedness and watchfulness. Are we aware of what God is doing in this season? Do we know what's on His heart and how He is directing the church in this hour?

According to this passage in Paul's letter to the Romans, if we are going to live in readiness it will require a change in our manner of living. We must become more and more selfless if we are going to be useful to God in this hour. We cannot afford to be caught up in our own agendas and fighting for our own

opinions. We must let love be the dominant force in our lives, allowing us to mature past the selfishness of our own desires.

Jesus is the greatest example of someone who laid down everything to win the world. We are so calloused in our Christianity that we often don't even feel the depth of that sacrifice. We are called first and foremost to live like He did, to live laid-down lives! Yet we look for the outward displays of power, instead of the inward work of God's Spirit that made Him a candidate for that power.

In a kairos moment of history, we must be about our Father's business, not our own. Earlier in this same letter to the Romans, Paul wrote a section, that someone titled Behave like a Christian:

◆ "Let the inner movement of your heart always be to love one another, and never play the role of an actor wearing a mask. Despise evil and embrace everything that is good and virtuous. Be devoted to tenderly loving your fellow believers as members of one family. Try to outdo yourselves in respect and honor of one another. Be enthusiastic to serve the Lord, keeping your passion toward him boiling hot! Radiate with the glow of the Holy Spirit and let him fill you with excitement as you serve him. Let this hope burst forth within you, releasing a continual joy. Don't give up in a time

of trouble, but commune with God at all times. Take a constant interest in the needs of God's beloved people and respond by helping them. And eagerly welcome people as guests into your home. Speak blessing, not cursing, over those who reject and persecute you. Celebrate with those who celebrate, and weep with those who grieve. Live happily together in a spirit of harmony, and be as mindful of another's worth as you are your own. Don't live with a lofty mindset, thinking you are too important to serve others, but be willing to do menial tasks and identify with those who are humble minded. Don't be smug or even think for a moment that you know

"As the crowds emerged from the village, Jesus said to his disciples, "Why would you say, "The harvest is another four months away"? Look at all the people coming—now is harvest time! For their hearts are like vast fields of ripened grain—ready for a spiritual harvest.""

- John 4:35 The Passion Trans.

it all. Never hold a grudge or try to get even, but plan your life around the noblest way to benefit others. Do your best to live as everybody's friend."

- Romans 12:9-18 The Passion Trans.

When we say, "love" it's like we all shift into neutral, like oh yeah another love message. Loving like Jesus does requires everything and will affect every aspect and relationship in our lives. His love bled out on a cross, overturned darkness and death, and changed eternity.

It's time to live awake, to break out of our complacency and religious routine. Jesus wept over Jerusalem – not because of their sin or even their religiosity. He wept because they missed their kairos moment.

"When Jesus caught sight of the city, he burst into tears with uncontrollable weeping over Jerusalem, saying, "If only you could recognize that this day peace is within your reach! But you cannot see it."

- Luke 19:41-42 The Passion Trans.

Jesus's tears of intercession always bring fruit. As He wept over Jerusalem, let us weep over our cities, our nation, and our lives, praying that we will have the responsiveness to His heart and this kairos moment in history! These are the greatest days of harvest and opportunity. Let's allow God to use us in unprecedented ways!

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David Jeremiah

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John Stott

"God forbid that I should travel with anybody a quarter of an hour without speaking of Christ to them." — George Whitefield

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