"Open the Floodgates, A Historic Gathering and Prophetic Word for the Destiny of Wisconsin"

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It's a joy to be back here. It's unusual for me in this season of my life; I have to really know this is where the eye of God is, and I started watching the Lord point us to Wisconsin. Because – Venner would know – Venner please stand up. Let's welcome Venner and Bill Alston; they've done a lot of paving the way here in this state. To move prophetically in the moment, you have to see God establish you in time. I've written so many books about time that would help you understand time. Faith works in time and space, so you have to be in the right place at the right time, and I believe now I have seen the Lord point us to Madison, Wisconsin. Let's thank God for that.

[Bowling] Masters tournament was in Green Bay, Wisconsin this year, so after Dallas (NFL game between Dallas and Green Bay), and after I recognized where my son was going to be bowling, I said, "God, You are saying, Wisconsin." I started really praying about Wisconsin. I started really focusing in on Wisconsin. I had met the Springers just one time out at Che's and I've always had a long-time relationship with Bill and Venner, and yet I knew that it was God's time to shift. I'll tell you why: because we war with the prophetic word. I knew the history of the prophetic word over Wisconsin, and I knew the last time I prophesized He shifted us towards Madison, to the center, more of the center of the state. I knew we couldn't go back the same way that we had been before. We started praying about it in our office. I called Venner. I called Cindy and Mike, and everything pointed us toward the Springers being the host of this next move of God. Let's thank God for that.

There is biblical principal: when you gather in a moment, you create an event, and that event determines your future. So I believe a call in 3 weeks – you have responded to determine the future of Wisconsin. And so they graciously – I said, "Brian just find out." I was just in Poland this time last week. I said, "Just find out." I've been in China and Asia all month, and I said, "Just find out, because I really know God is saying, *It's time for Wisconsin*. I don't come for any other reason other than, "It's time." Look at someone and say, "It's time." I know beyond a shadow of a doubt you have responded to God's timing, so we want to look at that. We want to move forward. We want to get to the place that we know what God is saying and we know how He is saying why we had to come together right now. Now that becomes very, very important for the future of our nation, and we had to gather here. That sounds like a wild statement, but I only go with God.

I just came from representing the West in a gathering in Poland over the 70th anniversary of the Holocaust, and I was very honored to be chosen and very nervous to be chosen. Why I was chosen is because my whole life is that one scripture: *I will restore what the canker worm has eaten away*. And I believe that is why God chose me, because my life is a life of restoration. So, actually, coming back, this is my first time to minister after the journey that I have been on, which was a very historical moment, so I believe God is

saying that I'm bringing that right in here. When we started singing it, it was just amazing, and I actually told Chad, "I'm starting my message off with that." You know, it's just amazing when you are in the right place and hearing God, because that is what you are receiving then on.

I want to share some about Wisconsin and why I feel like right now God's eye is on the state; then we want to loose it. I believe being in this place here, at Global Presence Center, is a miracle. God had expanded this place for us to gather, and that is a particular anointing we receive by walking in here. This represents the first gathering of the expansion of our next season. Let's thank God for that. That's really what the year is about as we move forward prophetically.

I have only been in Wisconsin twice, so this is not one of the most usual places for me to go. You know, some places I go every year. I go every year to Las Vegas for their big gathering, and I go every year to Amarillo, and one of the largest churches in Texas and their large gathering, but I don't get to come to Wisconsin much, because it's never been real conducive for the prophets to come. It's just, to be quite honest, it's never been something that the people seem to gather and host, so you don't. The Bible says, I'll make room for your gift, so this time, though, it didn't matter. It didn't matter to me if I just came and went and prayed here, but I knew it was important for Wisconsin, if you are ready to move into the next new season. Let's just shout, "We are ready."

Now let's look at something that will help you get a picture. Look at somebody and say, "I can restore what's been lost." See, that's the whole premise of Joel Chapter 2... It's time for the land to Rejoice.

How many have seen Dr. Robert Heidler, who I minister with? He actually shows how the stars and the planets speak, and God spoke the earth into existence. So then by faith, the whole earth was framed. So when you speak the word of God, it's framing things for your future. Then you have to wait and move into what God is saying. And here, God is saying it's time for the land to rejoice. That's what the book of Joel is about. Joel is a book where it's being prophesied a moment for the Land to take a turn and rejoice. But also, the future is being prophesied.

I believe that song (In the Last Days) was birthed here, wasn't it? Now that song was birthed in this house. That is a song for this Land that is crying out, and I'm going to share more with you, in a moment, what the land called Wisconsin looked like from heaven.

It's very important that we see restoration flowing in the land. There are four levels of restoration, and you find that in the book of Joel. I believe God is starting a new move of restoration here in Wisconsin, but it also goes from there to the Valley of Decision, and that's the next chapter. You have to make a decision, an act of your will, to move forward from this moment. That's what becomes so important.

Story of when he was 18: restoration of bloodline/future—see CD/DVD

This passage (Joel chapter 2) shows you something about the move of God. When God came down at Pentecost, in Sinai first, when Moses went up to receive the Torah from the Lord on Mount Sinai. That was not a book like we see in The Ten Commandments; it was a living fiery movement of written revelation. It was on fire when Moses received it, but when he brought it back down into the atmosphere of the earth realm, all of sudden in front of the golden calf it hardened. Remember Moses had to go back up again, move forward, and receive again God's Torah. For all those years they had been crying out and celebrating Pentecost. Joel began to prophecy 2,000 years later that there would be a time when the sons and daughters would prophecy because the Spirit would come down. Every year they would celebrate Pentecost. About 3,000 years later, altogether from the time the Torah was released, the teachings of God were released. All of a sudden the Spirit came. What they had been celebrating for 3,000 years happened in their midst.

What that says to us is this: There comes a moment for what you've been waiting for to happen. Heaven and earth intersect. It's in time and it's in place. All of a sudden an action is created in the earth realm. An action is created in the atmosphere. That's what this year is about. I can honestly tell you I would not have chosen Wisconsin. God has chosen Wisconsin for this time.

Let's look at the timing we are in, understanding that timing is very important. This is a time that we've watched and this is a time that we've warred. These are key times we are living in. There is a sound of heaven coming into the earth realm producing a new glory realm. God's people have to be watching to intersect with that time. Remember I look at things from a Hebraic perspective because our covenant is Hebraic and because we live in a covenant, where God made covenant with a man named Abraham who became the father of the multitudes of nations. Because of the Lord Jesus Christ we are grafted back into this covenant. So it's very important that we look at time from the covenant we are grafted into. When you do that, you see a lot more than just looking at time as if we were celebrating it here in this nation. There's nothing wrong with the way we celebrate it, but we see more dimensions of an understanding of what God is saying.

Remember, last year was about this door that would open up for God's people. In this valley we are in, a new hope would come in that would allow us to make a decision. In the midst of restoration, we are moving into this moment of deciding our future. There is an incredible change going on in the heavenly realm. Let me show you one scripture out of Psalms 102. Most people don't understand that the heavens have moments where they shift. Because of shifting in the heavens, nations come into Valleys of Decision. God has chosen Wisconsin, someway in this shifting process from Heaven, to make a Nation decide its future! Now, remember, I'm prophetic. I just go with what God is saying. I don't have to understand it all either.

When the heavens start shifting, winds start blowing, and change starts coming in.

He talks about Israel and gathering there.....

God's land that He chose (Israel) glory cloud over Jerusalem—indicator of a shift—see CD/DVD

I've been involved with China since the early 80's. I was recently with the 5 key House Church leaders and 200 leaders representing 13 million believers in China. That's how strong the church is in China. Here's what's interesting, they bought a building so they could build out a room for us to meet in one day; then they tore it down. That's how key it is, the meetings that go on with the leaders that propel God's Kingdom forward in that nation. I thought about that when I walked in here, how God prepared this place just because He knew we were going to have this meeting. Now hear what I'm saying to you. That just shows you we are moving in His time, we are gathering in His time.

See Ps. 102:25

There comes a time where the heavens above you are no longer what you wear into your future. There comes a moment where God says, I'm going to shift the atmosphere of the heavens above you in Wisconsin. You're going to gather. I'm going to start shifting. Then, like a cloak, a mantle, they will be changed. And then, all of a sudden, when you walk back out into the atmosphere here, it's not the same atmosphere you walked in from, and the new begins. Now that's how simple it is: a meeting like this shifts the destiny of an entire region. All of a sudden, demon forces that ruled you in the last season – powers and principalities – they've been knocked out of place and you have the right to rule. I am here to announce, since I've been in Wisconsin last, there's something that's been knocked out of place in this atmosphere and now there is a people ready to advance and ready to rule.

Now, that's what makes it so important as we go into this season, because this is a season where there is this law of restoration and there is this law of redemption that is working together. We started singing about it. When you start singing about restoration, all of a sudden, redemptive prophecy starts flooding in from the atmosphere. Now what is redemptive prophecy? It's the type of prophecy that declares your identity as it should be for the future. And the Lord says tonight, *This a redemptive prophetic gathering*. He has drawn you into this gathering, and by you being a part of this corporate structure He has drawn us into tonight, all of a sudden the residue of redemptive prophecy – something in your bloodline starts getting unlocked tonight. Also, you have to understand we are in a presence war, so there is no place better we could be than Global Presence Center here in the state capital of Wisconsin.

So, Father, we thank you right now that there is a greater shift than even we understand going on in this state right now.

In every generation, the Tabernacle of David needs to be restored, but we don't just stop with the Tabernacle of David. David took Moses' tabernacle, brought the ark and created a whole new model. In Acts, after Pentecost occurred, they started prophesying that the tabernacle of David would be restored for that generation. In the book of Revelation it becomes not only the Tabernacle of David, but the Tabernacle of God that begins to move when God's people begin to gather like we're gathered tonight.

Decree a new move of God's Presence is going to sweep across Wisconsin.

Look at the timing we are in—what it looks like. This year is called the whirlwind year. It's where God unlocks the seeds of your future. How you respond this year starts the movement for your future in days ahead.

We decree Wisconsin now is on the verge of breaking a Nation into its future!

It's the season of seeing. It's the season of bubbling up where water has been stored in the ground. Everything that's been stored begins to bubble up, but around it is the number 5 in Hebrew. In Hebrew that center figure is 70. We operate in 10, and 10 means testimony. We are in the season of testimony. 70 in Hebrew means, "I will finish a captivity that unlocks the testimony for your future." So 70 in Wisconsin: There is a finishing aspect of what God is doing in this land. Whatever has been in captivity over the last 70 years in Wisconsin, all of a sudden, this year there's a breaking out. It's surrounded by this season called 5 – 5 is key for us to understand. It says to us right now, "There is this major shift coming." It's this time to receive and watch this major shift in the atmosphere, in the glory realm that's going on, and the heavens are changing.

We're in one heavenly realm here. There are 3 heavenly levels we are in. This is a heavenly level. All of a sudden there's a divine shift going on this year all the way from highest heaven into where we are right here. That means we're the connector of the shift going on. You come to a place like this and you see here in Wisconsin that God is connecting this for the next move of God.

It's a season for watching, so you need to watch for the moment. That word you've been watching after in Wisconsin – we have leaders here from the prayer movement now for the heartland – that word, all of a sudden God says, *It's My time for this word. They're preparing a place for visitation. They're preparing a place for the next move of God.* It means you're at a crossroad, but you are going to watch and see which way to go. At every crossroad, divination stands trying to redirect you, so it becomes a very supernatural moment that we are in. It also means angelic hosts are coming in, so here in Wisconsin we decree the angels are coming.

Hebrew number 5 is "hei," meaning window. There's this window of heaven being positioned over God's people and this divine alignment between heaven and earth occurring. Hei is a <u>loud</u> year. It means the wind of heaven is now starting to blow into the earth realm where a people are gathered asking God to stir up the wind.

There is another word for hei, which is Hallelujah. It is the word for the year. When the people started singing it, the heavens started aligning. When you start singing what God is saying, the atmosphere of God started coming down into this lower heaven and dwelling in the midst of God's people. Shout Hallelujah right now—it's amazing!

There is a new wind of grace in this season. The season of 70 and this year has this new wind that is so important for us to understand. It is a <u>fiery</u> wind coming down. Rene saw fire coming down from heaven. When you start singing Hallelujah, this year it starts

pulling the spirit of burning down into the region, where all of a sudden old things from last season get burned away. The fire of God comes down, the windows open, the wind of God. All of a sudden what was once desolate starts coming alive. That's why Joel 2 has such an anointing as we sang it. You began through your worship here tonight, a restorative work in Wisconsin, a restorative work in your life. I know God well enough to say what God is doing in this state will now affect an entire nation.

I think this is why God brought me here tonight. It means now He is developing your new identity for the future. Now I think we all have enough sense to know that when we walked in here, into a place that has never been walked into before in this particular form, we walked in as a state, not as a church; we walked in as a Kingdom people; we walked in as a people who all of a sudden came into a new form here and said Lord we're ready for the change you want to bring to Wisconsin. And so it's this window of alignment you feel it, you see it, but what it's doing is producing your identity for the future; and what that means is you were held in a too narrow place until now. Now I'm not speaking this just because, but we are in it; you were held in a too narrow place until now. But now, God is unlocking something in you that has never been unlocked, and by Faith it's one of those moments where everything is intersecting from heaven to earth. By Faith we are intersecting in that moment, right here in this place. Ps. 66 says shout unto God. He brought us through fire, he brought us through water, there were nets over our heads, but all of a sudden he has brought us into an enlarged place, a place of fulfillment for our future. Lord we decree that right now over the state of Wisconsin. We decree it over this move of God and we decree it in this place.

A good example in the Bible is Ezra 9. They had been in captivity for 70 years, Daniel intercedes, all of a sudden his intercession breaks through, knocks the principality out of place over them (Daniel 10 and 11). There is then a divine realignment, which causes the government to shift, when the government shifts they find a decree and send all these Jews after 70 years back to the place of their promise. The Bible says in Ezra 9, there is this small window for reviving in your coming out of captivity that can cause you to establish a Glory greater then you have ever experienced. You see the people got moving—Nehemiah rebuilt the city. But then the warfare gets so great, they postpone God's promise. Therefore 16 years later Haggai and Zechariah began to prophesy because God was going to shake the heavens and shake the earth because that promise that has been held up—it's time for it to be released.

Tonight is some miraculous, divine, prophetic act—the place being built out and enlarged, us gathering so we could be here in the state capital—because it is now time for what God is ready to do in Wisconsin to manifest.

Now why do we have to gather? Because see within us there is this revival going on, it's where God is restoring the spirit of man where all of sudden this window—the Bible calls it your conscious, it's like a window—and all of a sudden He's aligning heaven's window over your window, right now in Madison, Wisconsin and the surrounding. All of a sudden old things get cleaned off; all of a sudden there is a new sanctifying power; all of a sudden new vision starts coming; all of a sudden new energy in the spirit starts

being released from the Lord; all of a sudden the revival spirit starts getting unlocked for today. One of the things when I was reading revelation in the Message Bible this year says if the church will hear what the spirit is saying to it, they will overcome. In the Message Bible it says listen to the wind words, listen to the wind words coming in from heaven into the region.

I'm paraphrasing Revelation—see it was 7 key churches in the region and the Lord himself after 70 years came back and visited to address that region. In that visitation He began to look at each church and say listen to the wind words, the words of the spirit—they are going to cause you to move in a new way. He told each church what they had done well in; he told each church what they had not done well in. There were some churches that hadn't done anything wrong. See don't think that we've always done something wrong. It was just time to be instructed for the future; listen to the wind words; get under the window of your new cycle of blessing. That's what I want to end with tonight, there's this new cycle beginning tonight in Wisconsin.

When Dutch and I came on the 50 State Tour here (Wisconsin) in 2004, it was clear this was the River State. I don't remember giving that word; actually, Dutch gave that word; [not] giving that word to any other state in America. This was the River State, the place where the River of God would flow from. And, you know, I'm listening to Dutch give it and I'm looking around saying, "Lord? Beer, maybe? Milk, maybe? But the River?" But yet it bore witness and all of a sudden the Spirit of Prophecy hit and we began to prophesy about Wisconsin. Wisconsin is a state of expedition and pioneering. I think that's one of your identities you have. But think about the farming aspect of it, you've settled down, and yet part of your identity – an identity is who you are.

When I first in 1976 realized someway I was prophetic, I didn't know much what that was. I just knew that's what I was. It wasn't something that the church operated in. But yet I knew I was. And really, the only place you could go in the 70's and 80's was to Aglow to be prophetic. I'm one of the best Aglow girls around, I'm telling you. That's where Dutch and I met. I mean, where all the prophetic people went was Aglow, because the church, you know, you just didn't do any of that. Dutch and I started going to Aglow in '88. Cindy and I met in Aglow. Barbara Wentroble and I were Aglow girls, I'm telling you. Now I've been on staffs of large denominational churches. I'm a business man. But through a sovereign move of God in the late 70's early 80's I ended up on staff at a large Baptist Church in Houston. I never was ashamed of my identity. I never was ashamed that I was a Pierce, well known, trust me, in all of east Texas, Louisiana, and Arkansas.

See, your identity is so key to you, but sometimes we settle down in something we're really not; therefore, we don't see the fullness of who we are. Remember, Joseph told his brothers and his father, *When they ask you what you are in Egypt when you get down there, do not tell them your occupation*. So, in other words, "Submerge your identity." Now here's what I want to say to you, just like that, that identity can only stay submerged for so long. Your true identity can only stay submerged so long because it's God who knits you together. It's God who determined this land that's called Wisconsin. It's God who knows what's really in the land. That's why so many dominating forces will try to

remove the 1st people of the land, because the 1st people of the land know the voice of the land.

See, I'm a Chickasaw. My grandmother was full blood Chickasaw. I don't look like it, but that's my identity. She sang the Chickasaw songs. So, in the late 80's, early 90's, I knew I was called to help restore the 1st people back to their call in America. I've done that. It's been a part of my life. Cindy and I did "Healing America's Wounds" in 1994 – Mike and Cindy and I in Atlanta. It's amazing what you do to express who you are.

Wisconsin is a state of expedition. It's a people of pioneers. It's a people of moving forward. So Dutch began to pray that you are the River people. Well, I grew up in East Texas with the river. Those River People were sort of nerve racking, lots of strange things with those river people, but he loosed that. Then I remember giving a prophecy in 2006, "Until Wisconsin comes into its identity, and from the North with the Apostle Islands, until that flows down through Wisconsin and spreads across America, America will not shift into its new Apostolic realm." And I'm still thinking, "God, are you sure about Wisconsin?" It's the River State; it's the Apostolic State that causes the Awakening Wind to blow. Now hear what I'm saying, because the North Wind – Now I used to teach on the winds all the time and stir them up. Not until this year have I felt anything about that – the North Wind is the Awakening Wind. It can either be one of the most dispelling, destructive winds or the greatest awakening wind that can come. Above you in the North is the Apostle Islands. There is a reason they are called that. There is a reason you hold the Gate to the North Wind in America. All of a sudden God is convincing me about Wisconsin. You might not look like all of this, but you are! Tell somebody, "We are!"

Now, in 2007 of September something happened in my own life personally. We are in this big Apostolic Prophetic Council of Elders meeting. We had people from all around, a lot from oversees and other nations. Cindy and Mike say, "You need to speak in the morning about the prayer movement, where we are going, and what you see prophetically." During the night the Lord awakened me and said, Here's what you are going to speak, That's not going to be your role any longer: leading the prayer movement. I got up the next day and when it came my turn, that's what I did. I let go. Does that mean I quit praying for this nation? Of course not. It just meant it wasn't my role to mobilize the prayer movement people. God had done a lot in me on the 50 State Tour. He told me, and we have record of this in Alabama, that our next president would be Afro American. Therefore, I sort of knew what God was doing in this nation. It really wasn't that I was going to vote that route. It was just what God was doing and there were reasons. Could be to stir up America, could be to heal America, because it needed healing, still needs healing. Last year I went to Selma and did a big gathering, because my life is restoration. It was a gut-wrenching, hard neighborhood because it's got one the biggest wounds in our nation. There's a movie out; you can watch it. We knew we had to do that.

This identity on Wisconsin is so key. Now, I just thought I'd go speak, I'd share prophetically, I'd travel. My call is to the Nations; I'd go all over the world like I was used to doing. But then we were at Liberty Park in May of 2008, and God – all of a

sudden I'm supposed to be the guest speaker because that's when we were opening the gates for the Glory to come back to America. Most of our Nations that have been settled came through those gates at Elis Island, then they would go up to New York and Jersey. That's how America got settled, a lot of it, from Europe. And we were there worshiping and they'd come to this train station. We had rented this train station. We were there worshipping. There were about 2500 people. All of a sudden God fell on me, and when He fell on me He caught me up and He started showing me my bloodline. He caught me up into the future. Now, this May will be 7 years. It takes 7 years for a wineskin to form properly for the future. He showed me my bloodline, how glory had come into it. He showed me into the future 2 of my children that the enemy was going to try to take out. See, prophetic people, when you are at the right place at the right time, you're not bound by time. The Bible says He predetermines your time and your place in Acts 17: 24-27. That means He pro-horizons it. When you show up tonight, all of a sudden the horizon line shifts. You can see further than you could ever see before. You gain vision just by being in here. And that's what happened. I have watched – one of those kids has gotten so totally – He's a musician, one of the best musicians in the whole Metroplex. He was 6 foot 7 and handsome. He started playing in clubs, and [was] requested and fell into a lot of stuff, until 4 years ago, all of a sudden he got radically saved – radically saved. It's amazing to see what God did with that kid. One of them is still finding his identity, but he's finding it. I mean, I'm watching him find it. And another one bowls. You know, you just take them the way God gives them to you; I don't know what to say. One's a writer; one's in Israel. You know, they are interesting kids, especially since we didn't have any, and God came down.

In a move of God in January 1984 at James Robinson, John Wimber was ministering. The Spirit of God fell down. All of a sudden my wife is standing up waving her hands – and she is not a hand-waver – waving her hands, and I say, "What's happening?" She says, "It's like hot oil flowing through my body." Right there in that service, and James has written about this, and John Wimber wrote about it in one of his books, the clots in her uterus, where she was told she could never have children, all of a sudden the power of God knocked them out right there. Right there. She started her first normal cycle; 2 weeks later got pregnant; stayed pregnant for 10 years. Every time one of those kids pulled a stunt, I say, "You and God did this." Now, think about what it would have been like had those seeds of revival stayed locked up. See, they were there, but all the disease that was there kept them from ever becoming fruitful. All of a sudden the power of God knocks them out. Amazing what God does. But in this thing when I got caught up – now I'm supposed to be speaking, and this visitation went on for 4 hours. I was no good that night.

God showed me each state in America. 21 states were in covenant, had a covenant root. 2 states were hanging in the balance and it was almost like they could go – they were double minded – they could go either way. One was Florida; one was California. But California, now listen – don't over judge it – it has a strong covenant root in it, but it shows you how the atmosphere comes. Several states were different. Wisconsin was one of those.

Now this is what it looked like. Venner and I have known each other for years. We've prophesied up here, we've had meetings, but we've never felt like Wisconsin's ground ever had been penetrated where heaven and earth aligned. And so, in 2008, this is what it looked like. God showed me a River. It was a River that looked like liquid fire. That was in every state. There was a remnant people that He could pull together and move through the state. There wasn't a state in America that didn't have that. But then I looked down and there were these places that looked like fiery castles filled with fire. I asked him what that River was. It was a River. He said, *That's my triumphant reserve for the future*. *Every state has that*. Now remember, you are the River State; you had a triumphant people flowing in. In 2006 you had an Apostolic wind that needed be unlocked above you. When I looked at those fiery castles, when this triumphant reserve would come into one of those castles, when they came out they were 7 times brighter, and that's how the land began to experience the glory.

Well, when I looked down from heaven over Wisconsin (I went back and I recorded every state). Robert Heidler drew it. We have overheads of it – He showed me in every state where the iniquities were. In every state there were iniquitous thrones and they could only be overturned through gatherings like this filled with worship. That's the only way they could fall. There had to eventually be a worship movement in every state. And remember, the fields are white unto harvest, so God is doing this because the people are locked up. But yet when I looked down at Wisconsin, the triumphant reserve weren't in the land, they were floating. I'm telling you, it was in detail. I don't know why God chooses to do this with me other than He knows I've got a big mouth and I'll share it. Now I'm telling you, He knows whom he can share with. He knows who intercedes. He knows who watches prophetically over the word.

In 2008 there was no fiery castle in the land, but Wisconsin was a covenant state. Now hear me, it was, I think, the only state that I could see its covenant root. But I couldn't see the Apostolic Structure, and God called them Freedom Outposts for people to go to so freedom and deliverance could break loose in them. Now I'm not talking about deliverance the way we know it. He's talking about a glory realm that we've never experienced before. And there wasn't a place in Wisconsin that was so established down in the land that the land began to shine. That was in 2008. But it had a covenant root.

But the only way the covenant root in Wisconsin could come alive and start producing fruit for the future was for an Apostolic Center, and new move of God, and a new look of God in the church to come in and be established. It's the only way. The root couldn't come alive without the Center because that was Antioch in the Bible; it was Ephesus in the Bible; it was Corinth in the Bible. You had to have not a church, because, remember, God visited the 7 churches and said, You're going to have to hear the 'wind words'. I've gone to all those places—they don't exist any longer. So what that said to me was over the next 7 years there had to be a developing Center in Wisconsin, not just an Apostolic Leader like Venner and Bill, and an apostolic/prophetic people, because they were already in the state; but there had to be places that would allow God's rule [in order] for the land to start operating. Places that would be the worship hubs, that would align the worship hubs in the future of the territory. Places where a new generation would align.

Places that understood Israel. And then the state had to come back and recognize Israel and the God of Israel.

Texas has always been one of Israel's greatest friends, but not until last Passover did our governor align Texas with Israel. That was one of his greatest last acts. All of a sudden God says, *Put Wisconsin on the shelf because I'll have to form new things within her.* We have that written out. Beginning in 2008, He said, *Just set Wisconsin on the shelf until these places – I begin to form them for the reserve to come into.* We did it. But it made me know God's heart over Wisconsin: that God had a heart, He had a people, and He would start forming the movement throughout the state. He had places he would establish, not churches, but **Centers for the presence**. Amazing.

And it wasn't until, I guess it was last year when you (Venner) were down at Starting the Year off Right speaking. It was last year – I didn't review that word – or the year before last, where all of a sudden Venner is speaking and God said, a new movement, start prophesying, coming out of Wisconsin (didn't prophesy to anybody and it wasn't just Venner). Venner unlocked it some way and what she was speaking and God said, The River Movement Begins Now. And the Lord said I'm going to go to the Center of the state and I'm going to start unlocking the river that will flood down across this Nation. That said to me watch because there have to be Centers forming, there have to be places forming for the movement to come into. See the movement isn't about church; it's about a movement—for the River to move out of—for the Glory to come in—for the identity to be unlocked.

And all of a sudden I had enough sense to know God you keep focusing us on Wisconsin; there has to be a **Place**. I had no idea they were building it out up to yesterday. There is a people, but there has to be a **Place** for this next move of God and other places that get connected in. Because see you have to have harvest **storehouses**, you have to have a people that is willing to receive the harvest in. Joshua without that the move of God, we saw a big move of God in the 60's and 70's but we didn't have harvest storehouses. We didn't have this in preparation and interceded for it. The Jesus Movement which probably could have been the biggest move of God that could have changed America drifted away.

Now I'm here to tell you I see Wisconsin identity. It's a new identity. You're going to pioneer a River Movement. It's part of your identity. You're going to connect in to this movement which isn't just going to be a movement where it touches cities, but it's going to connect into the very hearts of America and the Land, the Lands of America. It's going to connect into just as the move in Egypt did into the lifestyle of America. It's going to connect into the commodity structure of America—out of Wisconsin—and it's going to affect the political climate in the next 3 years in America like no other state affects the political climate. All because God has been forming a **people** and forming a **Place** and **places** and all of a sudden now is the time for your identity.

Let me share one story with you, my mother died in November, went to be with the Lord in November. She was a good woman, wonderful woman, Godly woman, but hard woman, business woman. When we went through all of that I shared when I was 16 my

mother was very, very abused, beaten, and ended up in the hospital not expected to live and it was just a bad situation. And yet great identity of God in that bloodline, all of my bloodlines. And I went to see her in the hospital and when I walked in her room she looked at me (because she knew that I knew the Lord) she looked at me and said the Lord spoke to me and now my mother in her 84 years, 83 and a portion years, only said that 3 or 4 times in my life. She said God spoke to me and told me I would not die until I see my children and my grandchildren established in Him. I just always remember that word, because let me tell you it was tough for lots of years after that. But she is a very strong woman; she ended up remarrying a man that was Godly, everything just the opposite, had double of everything. I mean amazing, amazing testimony and God restored my scattered, broken, messed up family and restored all the pieces that had been scattered. It's amazing to watch it, my brother, many of you know him and how he came to know the Lord, my sister came to know the Lord.

It was amazing to see my grandparents who chose never to see us again. Pam and I drove to see them one day; they didn't know who I was and I didn't know anything about identificational repentance. When I asked them, I said "We've had so much, and we've had a lot of hardship; is there any way that you can just forgive me. I want to represent our family and have you forgive me? This was in 1978, and let's start over again." They both broke; both got saved. I mean I watched God do everything He said He would do, and it was amazing that word of my mother's—it was almost like it drove me to see all that happened and my call was to the nations.

And you know you've got some crazy family members, but God said He would restore them all. Now hear what I'm saying is that has anyone else got some crazy family members also? I know Wisconsin's got a few. Abraham had Lot; he was crazy as a loon. I mean, he stayed in a mess all the time. Abraham had to go pull him out of a mess all the time, but that was part of Abram becoming Abraham. Before my mother, when she started getting frail, and knowing she was having problems, always very sharp. She called my wife, who they were very close and, she said to her "I never embraced my identity as a Chickasaw native." As a Native because you know it was reproaches and all of that at that time. And she said, "When I die, I want the simplest casket you can get (which she could have afforded the best you could get), and all I want to be buried in is a Chickasaw blanket because that's how God brought me in and I never embraced that identity. And when I die, I want to be sure He knows I embraced it." Well 3 months later, she's in the hospital, she's in a coma, she'd had pneumonia. All my kids loved her, all the grandkids loved her adored her. They all worked for her; she was over cash management for Dillard's Corporation. They all worked for her because I knew that if they could live through working for her, they could work for anybody.

They went up one by one to see her, even when she was in a coma. But this one kid, who hadn't yet come into the fullness, he went up and he's sitting in her hospital room. She's in a coma and he lays his head on her and starts weeping, and all of a sudden, she wakes up. She said, "Ethan, what's wrong with you?" And he said, "Well, I hate to see you in this state; I feel like it's not going to end up good." And she said, "I'm not worried about me, but I am worried about you." Then she went right back into a coma—turned his life

upside down! Freaked him out completely, freaked him out. He needed to be freaked out. He's a musician, too, one of the best; he's really got it all in his brain you know.

Three days later she woke up again. And she looked at all the nurses and the doctors and at Pam my wife, her and my stepfather, my sister, and she said "I am dying and I'm not going to die in this hell hole here. I'm going home; I want to be with my cats, my dogs and our cattle. Therefore, she pulled the plugs and went home—shows you what she was like. Because she knew it was her time. I was traveling—thank God I've always been traveling. I got home and she'd gone back into a coma; she had 4 good days at home. That morning, she just didn't wake up—it wasn't like a coma—it was like she was in a God-sleep, the sleep of God. The Presence of God was so in that house. My most important moment of last year was me, my brother, my sister, my wife, my stepfather all showed up around her bed, and you knew she was working out something with the Lord, probably Ethan, but other than that. She was working this thing out with the Lord, and I put my hands on her and I reminded her of the word God had spoken to her; now we're talking about 44 years ago. And I said "He's done what He has spoken to you, you just need to go be with Him and let go of down here." You could see her smile and all of a sudden she died. Then she was buried in part of her true identity.

Now hear what I'm saying to you. Of all the states in America, the one that's been one of the most perplexing for me, has been Wisconsin. Because I saw it the way God saw it:

- a River State
- a state for the move of God
- // a place where new **Apostolic Centers** would form instead of the old church structure that was controlling it
- an incredible triumphant people but a 7 year postponement until **places** started forming
- an incredible sound in the state and not just the sound of cattle and farms
- an incredible state that the wind would blow on

And out of this state, the **Apostolic** move of the River and the **Apostolic** glory realm would begin to move. It doesn't matter how old you are either or how young you are, my mother grabbed hold of this word at 83, after she knew what the year was about.

Hear me. You have been chosen, God brought me here, to say to you, the Heaven's have now shifted tonight.

Prophetic Word to Steven and Rene Springer, Senior Leaders, Global Presence Apostolic Regional Center (GP ARC); and Two Mantles Given

Let's stand up. The Lord asked me to bring 2 mantles—1 for this **Place** and then 1 for the **State**. And so I'm going to ask the Springers to come up and you extend your hands. They represent a new move. And remember things pass away, atmospheres change, and the new begins. We had this mantle made for us. You guys (Springers) turn around and look at them. A mantle represents identity. A mantle represents new authority.

The Lord would say, Finally now my wing is extended to the state called Wisconsin because you are developing a Center that I can now visit in a new way. I say visitation is on the way, but I say this won't just be known as a place for my Presence to come; this will be known as a storehouse for the future. I say to you I'm going to start bringing in hungry people from campuses and schools hunting for my Wing.

The Lord says, You are going to be an administrator of the Wing of my spirit.

And the Lord says, You will even, it will be known all over this state of the move of God coming out of morning, noon and night here in this place.

I say to you, My Spirit is going to come and a movement of My Wing is now beginning to flutter for I will stir up the sound of My Wing now in Wisconsin, but I will stir it up from this Place in a new way. And worship will begin to break loose and people who are lost will begin to come into worship.

I say to you, you're going to have a voice in the state that you've never had and you're going to be consulted in the state in a way you've never been consulted. You'll be asked to stand on councils and you'll be asked to move forward.

But I say to you, keep expanding for this will not be the end of the expansion. I say I will begin to give you the place that you will be seen in as My Presence expands, you expand. As My Glory comes, you make way for My Glory to increase.

I say to you, I have chosen you for a time such as this and I will cause the army to begin to move in a new way from this **Place**, saith the Lord.

Let's thank God for that (audience cheers and shofar sounds).

I say, a faith explosion will come from this **Place**, and that faith explosion will activate the River of My Glory. I say, the identity has shifted now from any renewal movement, and out of this state a revival awakening wind now is stirring in the north.

Now I'm going ask them (Springers) to stand there and Venner, you come stand here. And the Lord asked me to bring one more (mantle) because He has a broad wing span. (Chuck's hand is on Venner's shoulder) The Lord says, *This begins a new move in this state. It's the move that's called the breaking of the day from* Wisconsin. I say to you, the Apostolic wind of awakening now is flowing in Wisconsin, and the land will begin to be covered in a new way.

(Chuck addresses all 3 standing) I say, from Places like this a new move now has been initiated, and from Places like this the Lord says you will start nurturing and you'll start saying 'I see how they're gathering, I see how they're moving'. I say from Places like this My Glory will begin to cover and hover and it will cause each day to come alive. In the next 2 years in this state, I say the state will be heard of as having an awakening and it will be heard of inside the very heart of this nation in Washington DC (Steven says

'wow', people cheer, shofar blows). So I say to you, *I came to unlock seeds* (Chuck's hand on Steve) and the Lord says to you, *son, there's lots of seed that you will sow in days ahead, and* (Chuck moves around) *there's lots of glory that you will experience in days ahead.*

Now extend your hands to this remnant group, you guys (Springers and Venner). Now, Father, I say right now, this triumphant people in this room, there will be an activation. (I'm going ask our worshippers to come back up). Lord we say in this state the sound of worship will be explosive. It won't look house of prayer nor will it look like just prophetic awakening, I say it will be explosive with restorative redemptive power. Now Father I say to every one of this triumphant people and those that they will minister to and speak to. I say there's an activation and an unlocking of their identity. I say there's a glory realm coming alive in them that's never come alive. I break the power of postponement off of them in Jesus' Name. I break the power of confined boundaries off of them in Jesus' Name. I say no longer can they be confined by cities and identity. I break the power of being known as one thing but being seen as another. I say, you will now be seen like in the days of Pentecost but it will be a river rising in this state. I say, Madison will now be known for the breakout that's coming to it. And I say the winds of revival will converge in Madison. And I say the movement of God will come and I say to Milwaukee there will be a change in the environment of Milwaukee. And I say, the enemy will try to ensnare you over the next 8 months, but I say there will be a change in the environment of Milwaukee and My people will say, we will sing in the streets until the Glory is seen in this city.

Now just lift your hands. Let's just decree this unlocking, I told Steven, I said I brought an offering. I said I brought an offering to give into this land. I said this offering is for the breakthrough of this land. I say it's a double portion offering. It's got a big anointing to break through and cause an extension. It causes things to begin to happen. Lord, we thank You. Now we say 1 will become 1,000 in this state. The Lord says, tonight there's a multiplication, there's a movement. The Lord says, seeds from the past are coming alive. I'm going to ask pastor if he would come up and tell us how to give, but I want to tell you tonight there is a release and an unlocking of identity that is coming to this state so the restorative power of God will begin to move and the identity of God will begin to move in this state. Just sing over us. Now just worship Him for a moment (Bethany begins to sing)...(Chuck says 'whoa') You feel the Spirit here. Father, we've connected the dots, the wind from the north, the river from the Center, and we say let the Glory begin to fall; let it begin to rise, let the storehouse begin to come.