During my times of prayer, I have been meditating on the 2025 Theme: Believe!!!, given by Apostle Leander Robinson. As I prayed on January 6, 2025, I heard the word Renewal. Each day I continued to pray and meditate on both words, Believe and Renewal. The Lord later spoke the word Restoration to me. According to Merriam-Webster Dictionary, the word renewal is "1: the act or process of renewing: Repetition 2: the quality or state of being renewed." And the word restoration is a synonym of renewal. Merriam-Webster Dictionary defines restoration as an act of restoring or the condition of being restored, such as a bringing back to a former position or condition: Reinstatement.

Jeremiah 15:19-21 (NLT)

¹⁹ This is how the LORD responds: "If you return to me, I will restore you so you can continue to serve me. If you speak good words rather than worthless ones, you will be my spokesman. You must influence them; do not let them influence you! ²⁰ They will fight against you like an attacking army, but I will make you as secure as a fortified wall of bronze. They will not conquer you, for I am with you to protect and rescue you. I, the LORD, have spoken! Yes, I will certainly keep you safe from these wicked men. I will rescue you from their cruel hands."

The Lord said, I informed you that 2024 was the Answer. There are some who are still asking, What Is The Answer? I then heard the Lord say, I AM THE KEY, THE DOOR, THE LIGHT ON THE HILL; I AM THE BURNING BUSH; I AM THE ANSWER!!! For those of you who followed My instructions, and Persistently Pursued Me, Reconnected To Me, Cried Out To Me, and Worshipped Me, you have entered into My Rest. Everything about 2024 led you DEEPER into Me. The year 2024 was just the beginning for you. This is the year of Renewal and Restoration of new life in Me, says God. You will walk in the renewal of your calling and purpose in Me this year. Continue to prepare your fields for the rain.

We must have faith like Jeremiah had when Jerusalem was under siege by Babylon and while he was imprisoned by King Zedekiah. The Lord spoke to him in Jeremiah 32:6-7 and informed him that his cousin Hanamel was going to come and ask him to purchase his land. Just as God said, Hanamel came to Jeremiah and asked him to purchase his land. Jeremiah was obedient to God's word and purchased the land.

Jeremiah 32:13-15 (NLT)

¹³ Then I said to Baruch as they all listened, ¹⁴ "This is what the LORD of Heaven's Armies, the God of Israel, says: 'Take both this sealed deed and the unsealed copy, and put them into a pottery jar to preserve them for a long time.' ¹⁵ For this is what the LORD of Heaven's Armies, the God of Israel, says: 'Someday people will again own property here in this land and will buy and sell houses and vineyards and fields.'"

I am not a ritual, nor am I a traditional god, says God. I AM AN INTENTIONAL GOD! I do not operate out of <u>obligation</u> but out of <u>love</u>. From the inception of the world and mankind, I have and will always be an **Intentional God.** Your existence is not a happenstance. I have always made a way for you. You Must Put All of Your Hope and Trust in ME, says God. Focus In On ME. No matter what goes on around you, <u>KEEP YOUR EYES ON ME!</u> Even in what seems to be turbulent times, I will restore all that the enemy thought that he had stolen from you. I AM A PROMISE KEEPING GOD!

As a yielded vessel who is willing to be used by the Lord, I am both Hopeful and in Reverential Fear of the Lord. This by far has been one of the toughest words I have ever had to deliver from the Lord. God said to me, TELL MY PEOPLE WHAT I SAID! This word also serves as a <u>WARNING</u> to those who continuously reject Me and make their own way, says God. For I have withdrawn My hands from you. You must want Me, Turn from Your Wicked Ways, and REPENT, says the Lord of Host. With A Repentant Heart, Cry Out To Me!

Exodus 20:3-6 (NLT)

³ "You must not have any other god but me. ⁴ "You must not make for yourself an idol of any kind or an image of anything in the heavens or on the earth or in the sea. ⁵ You must not bow down to them or worship them, for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God who will not tolerate your affection for any other gods. I lay the sins of the parents upon their children; the entire family is affected—even children in the third and fourth generations of those who reject me. ⁶ But I lavish unfailing love for a thousand generations on those who love me and obey my commands."

For My Grace Is Sufficient! Remember to FOCUS IN ON ME!