

Brother Kenneth Copeland shared before the message, reminded us of a statement Brother Kenneth Hagin said; *"Praise God until the spirit of worship comes on you; then as you flow into worship, you are in an atmosphere ready to receive what you have been believing for."*

The Gift of Eternal Life (Part 1)

Ezekiel 37:4-6; (TMT)

"What was lifeless, will now come alive. Here the prophet Ezekiel is talking about coming alive as a nation."

Romans 6:23; (NLT)

*"For the wages of sin is death, but **the free gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.**"*

Everlasting and eternal are the same thing = forever life. Eternal life begins when you accept Jesus Christ as your Savior. It is a choice of life which begins now, and this life is victorious life for us to be living now.

Ephesians 2:1-7; (KJV)

Conversation = lifestyle

Quickened = made us alive

1 John 5:11-13; (AMPC)

*"And this is that testimony (that evidence): **God gave us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He who possesses the Son has that life;** he who does not possess the Son of God does not have that life. I write this to you who believe in (adhere to, trust in, and rely on) the name of the Son of God [in the peculiar services and blessings conferred by Him on men], **so that you many know [with settled and absolute knowledge] that you [already] have life, yes, eternal life.**"*

Jesus 'keeps on making' life within us, just as Holy Spirit will continue to overflow within us (being filled), as we allow Him.

This Eternal Life is on the inside of me, and if I allow it, it will renew my mind and bring my body into healing and wholeness.

Why was Jesus born?

John 6:38; (AMPC)

"For I have come down from heaven not to do My own will and purpose but to do the will and purpose of Him who sent Me."

Jesus was sent to earth with very specific purposes and assignments. Jesus came to...

- a. bear witness of the truth.
- b. seek and save the lost.
- c. call sinners to repentance.
- d. give His life as a ransom for many.
- e. make us righteous.
- f. destroy the works of the devil.
- g. preach, teach, and heal.
- h. redeem us from the curse of the law.
- i. deliver us from the fear of death.
- j. fulfill the law.
- k. die on the cross.
- l. be the light of the world.
- m. so we may know the Father.
- n. restore the Father's family.
- o. give us His joy and His love.
- p. teach us how to use our faith.
- q. be our Savior and Lord.

The Word of the Lord for next year.

"In 2025, our Nation will come alive!"

What was lifeless will now have life!

John 6:39-40;

"Jesus was born to give us the gift of eternal life."

Vv.39-40; (AMPC)

*"And this is the will of Him Who sent Me, that I should not lose any of all that He has given Me, but that I should give **new life** and raise [them all] up at the last day. For this is My Father's will and His purpose, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in and cleaves to and trusts in and relies on Him **should have eternal life**, and I will raise him up [from the dead] at the last day."*

John 5:24; (AMPC)

*"I assure you, most solemnly I tell you, the person whose ears are open to My words [who listens to My message] and believes and trusts in and clings to and relies on Him who sent Me **has (possesses now) eternal life**. And he does not come into judgment [does not incur sentence of judgment, will not come under condemnation], **but he has already passed over out of death into life.**"*

The word 'Life' in the Greek is ZOE, which means:

- a. The Godkind of life.
- b. The God quality of life.
- c. Life as God has it.
- d. Life intensive.
- e. The highest form of life which is ours in Christ.

Rick Renner's; "Sparkling Gems from the Greek"

- a. "The 'life' Jesus offers us is Zoe, which suggests a life that is filled with vitality."
- b. "...But I came that they might have, keep, and constantly retain a vitality, gusto, vigor, and zest for living that springs up from deep down inside. I came that they might embrace this unrivaled, unequalled, matchless, incomparable, richly loaded and overflowing life to the ultimate maximum!"

ZOE is "Life in the absolute sense" or "absolute life."

{Reference}

Perhaps you've heard Brother Copeland's example of the word "ABSOLUTE."

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"My air conditioner had me thinking about absolutes. The unit I bought was a heat pump which was designed to cool in the summer and heat in the winter. I kept trying to figure out how I was getting hot air inside the house from the outside cold air. I read how a heat pump operates and found that even when the outside air felt cold, it still had heat in it.

The outside temperature had not reached "absolute zero." At absolute zero, there is no heat in the air, which is -459°F, or 0° on the Kelvin scale.

In thinking about absolute life, I realized that in God, there is “Zoe” or “everlasting life.” **In Him, there is only absolute life.**

1. **No imperfections** — perfect, total, and complete.
2. **No limitations** — no restrictions; only over, above, and beyond.
3. **No contamination** — pure, clean, and wholly.
4. No **darkness, death, disease, lack, or fear** — only light, life, health, prosperity, and faith.
5. *We now have God's absolute life living in us.”*

Galatians 2:20; (NKJV)

“I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.”