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### Praise The Lord For: An Incredible Year And The Soon Return Of Our Lord

If you are reading this now, it means that Jesus did not return in 2024! And so we look for Him in 2025...with increased evidence that it surely must be soon.

Years ago, I had a 33 1/3 LP album entitled "1968 The Incredible Year". Many shocking and life-changing events occurred that year...the Tet Offensive in Vietnam shook America's resolve, the assassinations of Martin Luther King Jr and Robert Kennedy rocked the nation, Pres. Lyndon Johnson announced he would not run for re-election...and many other events made it an incredible year.

2024, was also an incredible year. We saw many significant events:

- War spread throughout the Middle East on a scale greater than at any time since 1948 when Israel was established as a nation, and the Arab countries surrounding them vowed to "push them into the sea". So far, Israel has "punched" Hamas, Hezbollah, and Iran "in the nose" with only minimal help from their strongest earthly ally...us.
- The little country of Ukraine has continued to stymie and embarrass Russia for almost three years...to the point where Vladimir Putin has threatened to use nuclear weapons.
- The 2024 election was the most divisive in our nation since Abraham Lincoln's election ignited the Civil War. Both parties have claimed the other would destroy our Republic. Courts were used as political tools on both sides. Two assassination attempts were made against Pres. Trump. Last

summer we learned that Pres. Biden has been a sick man for a long time.

- The advancement of technology seems to have leaped forward greatly this year. Artificial Intelligence has become available to the general public. It is like asking a librarian a question, and having him or her summarize the answer from every book in the library.
- The race between the U.S. and our adversaries to use Artificial Intelligence and other technological advancements for military use has become a major issue for our nation's security going forward. Someone has described this as the greatest threat to the human race since the development of nuclear weapons.

These and other developments have made 2024 a landmark year. We believe the return of our Lord will happen soon. No one knows the day nor the hour, but if we look in the Scriptures, and then look around us, I believe we can see the "signs of the times" indicating it is drawing near.

Are we discouraged? No, a thousand times no! On the contrary, we are excited that our Saviour may soon return to receive us to himself...and take over the government of the nations. In the meantime, we should live every day to the fullest... While keeping one eye on the Eastern Sky. As Sis Stacey Ivey says in her daily devotions at 9:00 AM, "Perhaps Today"!

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## Bro. Nick's Corner

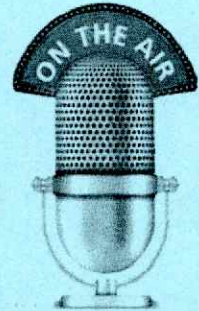
### TUNE IN DAILY

Sign on Time January 7:45 AM

Sign Off Time January 6:00 PM

102.1 FM and 104.9 FM

24 Hours A Day



### New Year Changes

I have a problem every year when we turn the calendar over. This is a problem with which I am very embarrassed. I do not know why I do this, but every year it happens. Do you know what it is? Forgetting to change the year when I write the date. All through January and even into February, I forget to write the correct year on my date. Can I get a witness from anyone else?

Daily, and even monthly, it becomes easier to remember. When you write the two-digit year day after day for 365 days you form deep associations and a strong memory. This demonstrates the power of repetition. When you repeat information over and over, it helps to retain information in our long-term memory. Neural connections are made, and retrieval of information is quicker.

As Bible believers, the same is true. When you repeatedly learn the fundamentals of the Bible, you become stronger and more connected to the Truth. As we develop patterns, like daily Bible reading, praying always in the Spirit, coming to every church service, and giving every Sunday, we strengthen those beliefs, and it benefits the Child of God. So, let me ask you, what do you need to strengthen this year? Do you need to get back to the House of God? Do you need to be faithful to read the Bible again? Whatever it is, strengthen it before it is gone.

*Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die: for I have not found thy works perfect before God. – Revelation 3:2*

### January Bible Reading

1	Genesis 1-3	16	Genesis 41-42
2	Genesis 4-6	17	Genesis 43-44
3	Genesis 7-9	18	Genesis 45-47
4	Genesis 10-12	19	Genesis 48-50
5	Genesis 13-16	20	Exodus 1-3
6	Genesis 17-19	21	Exodus 4-6
7	Genesis 20-22	22	Exodus 7-9
8	Genesis 23-24	23	Exodus 10-12
9	Genesis 25-26	24	Exodus 13-15
10	Genesis 27-28	25	Exodus 16-18
11	Genesis 29-30	26	Exodus 19-21
12	Genesis 31-32	27	Exodus 22-24
13	Genesis 33-35	28	Exodus 25-27
14	Genesis 36-37	29	Exodus 28-29
15	Genesis 38-40	30	Exodus 30-32
		31	Exodus 33-35

*Happy  
New year*