The New Breed

“I Must Be About My Father’s Business”
Background
Financial Crisis Not Over

Warning: devastation of global financial markets and deepening economic troubles

- Financial markets under judgment
- 2008 beginning not the end
- What do we do?
- God will make a way

Prophetic Understanding

- Ezekiel 29-32 – 7-fold Judgment of Egypt
- Egypt liken to Wall Street / global financial markets
- Egypt broken reed to Israel
- Israel’s trust in Egypt false
- Our trust in money false
- Egypt became lowly kingdom
- Wall St. will be lowly kingdom
- Financial markets will not come back this time
- Exodus from Wall Street – tremendous job loss
- Ripple effect across banking system and economy, esp. large global corporate entities

Prophetic Voices

- Rick Joyner
- Bob Jones
- John Paul Jackson
- David Wilkerson
- Jonathan Cahn
- Chuck Pierce
- Larry Randolph
- Bobby Connor
- Paul Keith Davis
- Terry Bennet
- Pat Robinson
- John Kilpatrick
- Neville Johnson

God does nothing before revealing it to His prophets
Amos 3:7
Believe in His prophets and you will prosper
2 Chronicles 20:20
Financial Crisis Not Over

We have a debt problem as bad as Europe and Japan

- US insatiable debt appetite - $57 trillion
- Government spend unsustainable
- Advent of LBO
- American dream via debt structure
- USD world’s reserve currency masks it
- Gov. Debt : GDP EU 92% vs. US 91%

The borrower is servant to the lender
Proverbs 22:7

You shall lend to many nations, but you shall not borrow
Deuteronomy 28:12

Sources: US Federal Reserve; US Dept. Commerce, ECB
God’s Solution: Repentance

It is the believer’s - not the unbeliever’s - responsibility

- “Christians” serving false gods of: Money, Power, Pride, Pleasure, Control, Comfort, Self
- America no different than ancient Israel
- Same issues, different names

• Worship of False Gods (biblical Baal = god of self)
  – Self-Sufficiency: Moses’ Warning (Deut 8 & 28)
  – Baal vs. Jehovah: Gideon and the Midianites (Judges 6)
  – Baal vs. Jehovah: Elijah Trial by Fire on Mt. Carmel (1 King 18)
  – Foreign Wives/Gods: Ezra’s message to the remnant (Ezra 9-10)

• Money Idolatry
  – Addiction to Money / Financial Worry (Matt 6:24-34)
  – Israelite’s “Golden Calf” (Exodus 32)
  – Jesus’ warning of mammon (Luke 16:9-13)

• “Repent! For the Kingdom of Heaven is Near!”
  – Isaiah's Warnings to Israel (Isaiah 9:8-21)
  – Jeremiah’s Warnings to Judah (Jeremiah 22)
  – John the Baptist (Matt 3)
  – Jesus (Matt 4)
  – “If My people, called by My name turn from wicked ways” (2 Chr 7:14)
God’s Solution: New Breed of Business

Business as ministry

- **Kingdom Building**
  - The business is advancing the Kingdom of Heaven on earth
  - Transfer of wealth – people and resources into the Kingdom

- **Help People**
  - People before profit
  - Help people “unplug” from worldly systems and mindsets

- **Transform Culture**
  - “7 Mountains”
  - Wisdom of Daniel/Joseph to solve economic problems
  - Displace anti-Christ systems with Kingdom models and systems

- **Disciple and Equip**
  - Vocational style: “school of the prophets”
  - Father’s Love; Jesus’ Redemption; Holy Spirit Power
  - Strong and intimate knowledge of God

Many are called, but few chosen
Matthew 20:16
Introduction
World vs. Kingdom

*Life of a Businessperson*

World’s View – 21st Century

Birth → Childhood → Education → Career → Retirement → Death

God’s View - Unchanged

*Before you were born I knew you and called you*  
Jer 1:5

*Be About the Father’s Business*

*Discover Calling*

*Walk in Obedience*

*Born of The Spirit*

*Saved by Salvation*
World vs. Kingdom

Objectives in business are in conflict

World’s Understanding  God’s Perspective

Career ←→ Calling
Make money ←→ Make disciples
Self-motivated ←→ Obedience
Self-starter ←→ Wait on the Lord
Self-sufficient ←→ Jehovah Jireh – Lord provides
Self-made man ←→ God’s power produces wealth
Self-advancement ←→ Kingdom advancement

Who is the Focus?

Jesus did not say “go make money” he said “go make disciples”

Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations
Matthew 28:19

For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul?
Mark 8:36
World vs. Kingdom

Don’t Conform to the World

- Jesus is our true identity - not our career, not our stuff, not our money

- Whether “working to live” or “living to work” - if our focus is money, we have misunderstood God

World’s Great Deceptions:

1. What I do and what I possess defines Who I am

2. Life requires Money, thus Life revolves around Money

A man’s life does not consist in an abundance of his possessions

Luke 12:15

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind

Romans 12:2
**Work**

What is Career Slavery?

**Career Slavery**

Definition:

Career takes you down a road where you end up spending the majority of your life striving towards two primary goals: making money and getting ahead.

Career often requires great sacrifice. Relegates everything else to a lower priority. You rationalize that you have no choice. Deep down you know it’s not God’s best. You wouldn’t do it if you didn’t have to, but you “need” that paycheck to pay bills and help others.

The Symptoms:

- Feels like the “daily grind”
- You are in “the rat race”
- Long commutes
- Pressure not to go home if people are still working in the office
- Constant travel
- Work on Sundays
- Your time, talent and treasure is tied up in your career
- Your are defined by what you do
- Feel like you have no energy to do much of anything after work
- Perception is reality
- Politics above performance
- Political correctness controls

Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men

Matthew 4:19
Work

Fear and Greed act as Carrot and Stick

Career Slavery

- Money keeps us “In-The-Box” of Career Slavery

Money’s Twisted Truth:
- Lose your income: lose your identity, lose your house, lose your family
- Not making money? You are a bad steward, lazy and good for nothing!
- No money = no church, no ministry
- More $$$ - life is good!
- More $$$ - then I can give!
- I’ll build my pile, then get out!
- Once I have enough in the bank, then I’ll do what I really want
- What’s your “number” before getting out?

Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life

John 6:27

Children, how hard it is for those who trust in riches to enter the kingdom of God!

Mark 10:24
Money

Money has been subtly elevated to a high place. It controls. It consumes.

The “All Seeing Eye” of Mammon

“Almighty Dollar”

“Money doesn’t grow on trees”

“Nothing that money can’t fix”

“Money Talks”

“It takes money to make money”

“Money is Power”

“Money makes the world go-round”

“Another day, another dollar”

“Throw money at the problem”

“The bills aren’t going to pay themselves”

“A day late and a dollar short”

“Put your money where your mouth is”

1 Timothy 6:10

Money is a root of all kinds of evil

For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil

Therefore if you have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will commit to your trust the true riches?

Luke 16:11

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Money

The fear of running out of money is pervasive and overwhelming, even in the Church!

Widely held Beliefs

• Run out of money – you’re dead
• Money is the only way to fix financial troubles
• Can’t achieve anything without money
• I worry about money

Truth of the Word

• Kingdom first and every need will be met. Don’t worry – Matt 6:33
• God supplies every need – Phil 4:19
• God is the one who gives the power to produce wealth – Deut 8:18
• God is our exceedingly great reward – Gen 15:1
• God is the solution to EVERY problem

It’s not money we need, but Jesus

We are not trusting God when we worry about money

No servant can serve two masters... he will hate the one and love the other, or will be loyal to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon.

Luke 16:13

Therefore do not worry ‘What shall we eat?’ ‘What shall we drink?’ ‘What shall we wear?’

Matthew 6:31

Mammon god

Foundation of Fear
Matrix Clip
The New Breed

Bob Jones Prophetic Word – August 2008

- There is a coming forth of the NEW BREED! They are not old and they are not young. They will come forth in the Spirit of Holiness. - Rom 1:4

- Spirit of Holiness coming forth is the divine nature of Christ – 2 Peter 1:4-10

- New Breed shall be of the divine nature and will be a friend with God. - John 15:15

- Spirit of Holiness coming forth will have resurrection power in it and this power will bring the obedience of what Christ called us to - Matthew 10:8

- Most of the people Bob saw were between the ages of 25 - 40

- The Spirit of Holiness is different than the Holy Spirit although it works by the Holy Spirit. The Spirit of Holiness is the nature of Christ in you coming forth in maturity.

- Those who will walk forth in the Spirit of Holiness will be individuals who will represent Christ in a new level of maturity

- Christ was the first of the new breed coming forth resurrected by the Spirit of Holiness. This new breed will be motivated by the Spirit of God doing nothing of themselves but only doing what they see the Father doing - John 5:19

• “Unplug” from spirit of world

• “Plug-in” to the Kingdom of God

• Reprogram
Don’t Work for Money – Work with Jesus

“Harder” in our own strength or “Smarter” in God’s power?

- World says: Toil is the only way
- Jesus says: I am the better way

To those who say: “We’re going to a city for a year, do business and make money…” should instead say, “If the Lord wills, we will live…”

James 4:13-15

There was a famine… Isaac sowed in that land, and reaped a hundredfold

Genesis 26

- Business is about making money
- Law of diminishing returns
- Zero-sum game
- “Take what’s Mine”
- Curse of the ground Gen 3:17 applies

- Work is doing the Father’s business
- Harvest of souls, blessing and wealth
- Jesus’ redeemed all curse Gal 3:13
- Miraculous multiplication is God’s math
- Kingdom first all else added
- Receiving not taking
Don’t Work for Money – Work with Jesus

We must move from Type “A” and Type “B” personalities to Type “C”

Type A
- Impatient
- Controlling
- Highly competitive
- Ambitious
- Aggressive
- Have difficulty relaxing
- Self-willed

Type B
- Patient
- Relaxed
- Easy-going
- Lacking urgency
- Creative
- One day at a time

Type “C” (Christ)
- Patience and Humility
- Duty, Honor, Integrity
- Aggressive in Obedience
- Consistent and Faithful
- Shrewd yet Innocent
- Peaceful and Calm
- Self-controlled
- Wait on the Lord
- Led by the Spirit
- Do what Father is doing
- Work as unto the Lord

Many are the plans in a man’s heart, but it is the Lord’s purpose that prevails.
Proverbs 19:21

For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.
Romans 8:14

1 Type A behavior: its diagnosis and treatment, Meyer Friedman, 1996
Not Money - Jesus

Five Loaves and Two Fish Feed 5000 Men – think “outside-the-box”

The Backdrop: Jesus had compassion on the crowds amassing to see Him. They were like sheep without a shepherd. Jesus taught them “many things” and healed them.

Compassion: The hour was late; people were hungry.

Jesus’ Command: You give them something to eat.

John 6:30-44

Disciples Solution

- Money Idea #1: Send them away now so they can buy themselves a meal
- Money Idea #2: We can buy them a little food but it will cost 200 days wages

Jesus’ Solution

- Gather what you have and Pray: (5 loaves and 2 fishes)
- Divide the 5000 into groups of 50
- Step out in faith and start handing out the food and watch God multiply
- 5000 fed, 12 baskets of leftovers

Trust in the LORD with all your heart... lean not on your own understanding
Proverbs 3:5

Do not despise small beginnings
Zech 4:10
Not Career – Jesus

Example: Miracle of 153 Fish

- Which is better: Fish all night or miraculous provision?
- Remember: all it takes is one word from Jesus

After Jesus’ resurrection, the 3rd time He showed himself was after Peter and the disciples were out all night fishing, yet caught nothing.

World View

Disciples

- Peter and disciples went back to what they knew: a fishing career
- Fish all night in own strength
- Caught nothing

Kingdom View

Jesus

- “Cast your net on the other side” (one word from Jesus)
- Miracle of 153 Large Fish in minutes = ample provision
- Kingdom first: Feed my sheep (Peter’s calling)

One hand full of rest is better than two fists full of labor and striving after wind

Ecclesiastes 4:6

Those who wait on the LORD, They shall inherit the earth

Psalms 37:9
Not Money – Jesus

Example: Miracle of the Gold Coin in Peter’s fish

When Jesus was challenged by the Pharisees about paying tax, he not only had the right answer (pay it), but also a miraculous provision in order to pay it through the gold coin in the fish’s mouth.

**World View**

Pharisees

- Jesus and the disciples won’t pay their taxes
- Even if they try to pay, they don’t have any money
- Only option looks like going back to the old fishing career, cheating, stealing or begging

**Kingdom View**

Jesus

- Follow me and you will have everything you need (gold coin)
- I’ll use what you do (fishing), but in a new way, for my purposes
- Kingdom first means: pay your tithes and your taxes

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I have never seen the righteous forsaken or their children begging for bread

Psalm 37:25

Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men

Matthew 4:19
Financial Principles

What does God say?

- God has real wisdom in his financial commands
- The world has a “messed up” system promoting darkness

The World

- Debt lasts until repaid
- Lend to high credit scores
- Force people to repay
- Use debt to leverage gains
- Maximum interest saleable
- Extensive legal contracts
- Sue for all you can get back
- Foreclose on property
- No mercy

The Word

- Forgive debts every 7 years (Det 15:1)
- Lend freely to those in need (Det 15:8)
- Don’t expect to be repaid (Luk 6:35)
- Lend instead of borrow (Det 15:6)
- Don’t charge interest (Lev 25:36)
- Yes be Yes (Mat 5:37)
- Settle amongst yourselves (Mat 5:25)
- Return lands every 50 years (Lev 25)
- Borrower accountable to God (Ps 37:21)

Wise as serpents; innocent as doves
Matt 10:16

Therefore you shall not oppress one another, but you shall fear your God
Leviticus 25:17

Slavery

Freedom
## Business Practices

### What does God say?

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### Business is Business

**True Prosperity**

- The blessing of the Lord makes one rich, and He adds no sorrow with it
  
  Proverbs 10:22

- Whoever desires to be first among you, let him be your slave
  
  Matt 20:27
Time and Wallet Check

Is the Kingdom really first in our lives?

- We must not rationalize the truth
- Business as ministry
- No separation of church & business

Seek first the Kingdom of God... and all else will be added unto you
Matthew 6:33
New Breed Calling
Bridging The World into The Kingdom

“The Church”

- Army of Saints
- Local Churches
- Houses of Prayer
- Marketplace Churches
- Missions
- Parachurch Ministries

World

- Business
- Government
- Arts / Music
- Education
- Medical / Science
- Media / Entertainment
- Family

The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord

Revelation 11:15

Wealth Transfer

Jesus

Transformation

New Breed

Seven Mountains Of Culture

• Outside “4-walls” of church
• Bring Kingdom near
• Build the Kingdom on earth
• Rescue people
• Supply-line for the Church
• People before profit
Path of The New Breed

Exodus from Egypt (Worldliness) into Promise Land

- Where God wants to take us, he has to break us
- Red Sea = decision to leave Egypt
- Jordan crossing = resurrection of the chosen, faithful, bold and courageous – Joshua’s and Caleb’s

He humbled you, allowed you to hunger, fed you manna, to teach you: man does not live on bread alone but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God

Deut 8:3

“The Matrix” movie provides compelling symbolism for how the ways of this world are a deception and a form of slavery.
New Breed of Business Community

**Empowering business disciples to pursue their God-sized Visions**

- “Inspired businessmen getting the inspiration of God for the transfer”
  Bob Jones

- Businesses as ministry (BAM)

- Businesses strategically partnered with ministries on the front-lines

- Does not replace local churches

- If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation
  2 Corinthians 5:17

- Hub and Spoke system of community

- Hub has one or more leaders/elders and/or 5-fold ministers who are a new breed of business leaders, led by the Spirit, paid the price through fiery trial

- Provide support structure, fatherhood, brotherhood, equipping/ impartation

- Character must be developed/tested

- God Sized Visions can be incubated

- Do not insulate disciples from trials

- Many will drop away or not be willing – let them go, don’t force anything

- Judases will emerge and be removed

- Relationship, patience and love is key
New Breed of Company

Inspired Businesspeople Getting The Inspiration of God to Transfer Wealth

- As a Kingdom business, expenses are part of sowing into the Kingdom
- Such ordinary and necessary business expenses are tax deductible

### Kingdom Co.

- Revenue
  - Business / Ministry Expenses
    - Profit
      - Give X%
        - 3 Opportunities to Give
          - Tithe

- Giving could be % of net revs, gross revs, or profit
- Start with what you have and plant seeds
- Since God gives the inspiration, one option is to purpose what to give and where up front
- Don’t fall into these traps:
  - I’ll give to get
  - once I get, then I’ll give

- “Tithe” is on the increase – Deut 14:22
- Rule of thumb: if the government sees fit to tax it, we should consider tithing (10%) on it

Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over...

Luke 6:38
New Breed of Capital Structure

Prototype Kingdom Investment Instrument

- **Investor provides capital without preset profit expectations nor recourse**
- **Operator profits and repays principal; pays dividends**
- **All actions voluntary as led by the Spirit unto righteousness**

### Lender
- Capital Provided
- Principal
- Dividend

### Borrower
- Capital Deployed
- Profit
- **Hybrid of what we would think of as debt and equity**
  - Repayment of principal
  - Voluntary dividends based on profits (harvest)
- **Non-traditional features**
  - Non-recourse
  - No control provisions
  - No voting provisions
  - Open-ended timeframe
- **Capital on relationship, trusting God more than trusting the deal/contract**

- Borrower repays principal; lender holds loosely and uses heavenly recourse instead of natural recourse
- Borrower dividends back to investor based on how they profit, knowing God will bless sowing generously back to the investor
- No lengthy, binding contracts beyond “Letting your yes being yes and your no, no”
- Trusting God together as equally yoked believers
- No slavery; no “money” pressures
- Goal of borrower is to become the lender; mentoring type of relationship

*I am the LORD your God who teaches you to profit*

Isaiah 48:17

New Breed
New Breed of Banking

Christian Community Banking Model

- Cooperative banking pools assets within a community of believers
- Each community can start a “bank”
- Storehouse like a type of central reserve bank – but voluntary

- Pooled financial resources in a business community
- Character, covenant, relationship and history together before financial dealings
- As relationships are formed and established, leaders/elders will emerge in a business community
- Elders work together in role of judges (just as when Moses appointed the 70 elders) – like a council, who can steward resources (deposits) and judge who has character and the inspiration of God when providing capital (lending/investing)
- Depositors can voluntarily opt into lending/investing or deploy their resources as they see fit

God who gives power to produce wealth

Deuteronomy 8:18
New Breed of Real Estate Development

*Christian Community / Freedom Centers / Apostolic Hubs*

- Developing lands with Godly heritage for Kingdom purposes

![Diagram of various buildings and spaces connected to a central Church]

- Marketplace house of worship at center (Mon-Sat)
- Mixed-use
- 7-mountains of culture
- Open architecture - Celtic models of evangelism
- All welcome - free to participate or not
- Participation requires mutual submission and being under authority like our Pilgrim / Puritan founding fathers

*To Him who gave their land as an inheritance*

_Psalm 136:21*