

## **YEAR 2020 CONFESSION OF FAITH**

### **Year 2020, My Year of All-round Protection**

The very spirit of this age is one of tension, and with the crises in world affairs constantly intensifying, we are reminded that Jesus said, “Men’s hearts will fail them from (for) fear, and expectations of those things which are coming on the earth – Luke 21:26. There is no doubt, we are living in the closing days of time and the cost of uncertainty, fear, worry, and anxiety is rising. We are in the days when many people are confused, oppressed, depressed, and anxious. There is the fear of war; travel; natural disasters and general insecurity, so that (and) people don’t know whom to trust. All these contribute to high rate of domestic accidents, work hazards, psychosomatic illnesses, divorce, suicide, juvenile delinquency, cultism and other social vices. The one thing people greatly fear is physical harm that may eventually lead to disability or death. And, in the face of social ills such as armed-robbery, banditry, high-jacking, human-trafficking, kidnapping, abduction, ritual killing and ransom-taking, Christians can rest in God’s Word, even in the face of all sorts of threats, against their wellbeing. Christians have God’s Word for protection, and they have immeasurable joy of claiming God’s promises for protection, knowing that safety is of the Lord. This year, as Christians, you should always cover yourself with the blood of Jesus and wrap yourself up with Psalm 91, with particular emphasis on verses 1 and 7. You are to daily affirm as follows –

*"I will dwell in the secret place of the Most High, and abide under the shadow of the Almighty, therefore, a thousand may fall at my side and ten thousand at my right hand, but, it shall not come near me."*

One of the signs of the last days is that Men will be lovers of themselves (II Timothy 3:21), little wonder, the gory stories which are the happenings of the time. But as a believer, you have Psalm 91 as your cover. Christianity is often called the "The Great Confession," and God honours your confession as you daily and boldly make Psalm 91:1,7, your confession of faith for year 2020. This year, may God shield you from every danger, and no harm will befall you. You are under God's protection. Rest in Him with utter abandon. Trust in Him with joyful confidence, and surely, He will never fail you.

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