

Gospel/Christian Song Interpretations by David Hughes

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## CAN YOU SEE?

A song for the tribulation by David R. Hughes  
From the album "The Gospel Message of Merlin"  
(My Interpretation in Red Letters)

We've seen the world through windowpanes of eyes that cannot see. Looking for someone to speak the truth and set us free.

Searching for a hero that will come and save the day. Someone to come and slay the beast that chased our dreams away.

*(When the tribulation comes, many persecuted believers, refusing the mark of the beast, who were blind spiritually, not knowing the scriptures or not understanding the scriptures correctly will be hoping in vain for someone to arise and defeat the (antichrist) beast persecuting them so their lives can go back to normal.)*

Depression and a dark despair are hanging in the air. Anger, greed and hatred surround us everywhere. The prophecies are fulfilled at last. The kingdom is at hand. But first the judgment of the world will break the pride of man.

*(Depressed and surrounded by evil and persecution they will learn what is happening in the world spiritually and how the biblical end time prophecies have been fulfilled. They will also realize that God's redemption is near as Yahshua Christ will soon return to set up and rule God's Kingdom, and the coming judgements on the false Babylonian church, the antichrist beast and the false prophet.)*

So while the darkness fills the earth we'll walk with inner sight. The wisdom of the ages will be our guiding light.

*(While surrounded by the dark, wicked world, spiritual sight and correct understanding of God's word will be revealed to many through God's prophesied two witnesses and some will survive the tribulation with God's eternal wisdom.)*

Can you see that we are free? We can live eternally.

*(Many will come to the realization that they can actually have eternal life by freely choosing to repent, believe in and accept the true way of Yahshua Christ as delivered by God's two witnesses to the world.)*

The truth has come in parables and legends from the past. Shining ever since the time the evil spell was cast.

Until now for only those able to perceive. But now it's here in black and white for everyone to see.

*(Many will be taught all truth received since the serpent deceived Eve, and Adam allowed Satan to gain rule of the world by choosing to determine good and evil for himself rather than learning from God Almighty. All biblical prophecies, parables, and allegorical stories of God's Kingdom will become clear and obvious or black & white)*

Our faith can overcome the fear that's kept us in the dark. Draw the sword of truth now and let it free your heart.

*(Faith and trust in God by knowing His word, hearing His voice, and recognizing His truth is needed to defeat the spiritual ignorance (darkness) that has plagued mankind and to overcome a prideful heart and to accept the truth that mankind has been deceived by false religion)*

Can you see that we are free? We can live eternally.

# THE BATTLE

## (Of Opposing Thoughts)

Words and music by David R Hughes (1978)  
From the album "Look To The Lord"  
(My Interpretation in Red Letters)

Sometimes my mind is tossed and troubled in a battle of opposing thoughts.

My spirit is involved in a fight between sinful and righteous thoughts for control of my body's actions

I think I'm getting near the victory and find out I'm really not.

Just when I think truth has won the fight I slip back into sinful thought.

But there is someone deep inside me lighting up the way.

The spirit of God is always with me teaching His eternal way.

Leading me beyond the darkness to another day.

Even though I fall by closing my ears to truth, He continues to teach and guide me out of this life of spiritual ignorance and rebellion.

When the battle is raging deep within me and faith is running low

Sometimes the internal fight goes on and on putting strain and doubt on my trust in God's promises.

I lift my soul up to heaven for the truth I need to know.

That is when I turn to God in prayer and supplication to give me the knowledge that will free me from sin and unrighteousness.

But people are falling all around me going their own way,

Looking around me I see people falling into sin and self-destruction doing things their way and not God's way.

Depending on some earthly pleasures to get 'em through the day.

Totally unaware of God and His way, they seek physical and mental pleasures to fill their empty spiritual lives.

Now I'm not tryin' to tell you what you're doing is wrong.

The purpose of this song is not to condemn anyone for I myself was once living that same kind of life.

I just want to show you the joy of singing a song.

After finding a higher purpose for my life, I now have a new appreciation of singing songs of the spirit.

Singing to the Father to whom my/all life belongs.

Especially songs to and about God the Father and Yahshua Christ since giving my life to His ways.

Taste His living water and you can sing along.

By accepting Christ, anyone can have access to spiritual knowledge & understanding through God's Holy Spirit.

Sometimes this life's a sea of problems you'll sink until you drown.

The problems, trials and cares of life occasionally can weigh you down to the point you want to give up and die.

You get your head above the water then something pulls you down.

When you come out of that dark depression things go okay for awhile then it all comes back on you again.

But there is someone close beside you reaching out a hand.

The Omnipotent God Eternal is aware of your tribulations and His spiritual hand is reaching out for you to save you.

To take you over troubled water to the promised land.

With wisdom, truth and understanding He will lift your spirit above your problems and show the way to life eternal.