THEME: RIGHTEOUSNESS IS THE ONLY PASSPORT AND TESTIMONIAL TO THIS NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH

1ST LESSON: 2ND PETER 3:13-14 2ND LESSON: REVELATION 21:1-2 GOLDEN TEXT: REVELATION 2:4-5

Brethren this is the food we have this morning. I have been telling you everyday to stop requesting for money; children and all these mundane things because no carnal thing has anything to do in this kingdom. No matter how much money you may have, you can not enter the kingdom because of the wealth. No matter how educated you may claim to be, you cannot come into his kingdom because of your education. Even if you have many children as the sand of the seashore, you will not be asked to enter because of the number of children you have.

RIGHTEOUSNESS IS THE ONLY QUALIFICATION IN THIS KINGDOM

You enter the kingdom of Heaven by righteousness only. We do not worship money here, we do not worship man or nay personality, we do not worship houses but righteousness only. Our problem is to do the good works so that we may pass into the Kingdom of God and only righteousness is the qualification into this kingdom. Peter has been expecting this kingdom. Paul himself had anxiously waited for this kingdom. Abraham and all the others had all along waited for this kingdom. and so it has been said, all

those who are waiting for this new heaven and a new earth, have to be blameless and spotless and have to be righteous in every aspect of their lives. There is no need you worrying yourself with all these carnal things, what will I put on, what will I eat? This is the new heaven and new earth where only righteousness dwells. When you have righteousness, you come in. Righteousness only is the passport and testimonial.

UNLESS YOU FORSAKE EVERY MANNER OF SINS YOU WILL NOT ENTER

I made this known to you even yesterday that when you tell a lie, you have no association with me. It is said that here there is wealth, money and employment but truthful people are wanted. That is why right from January to December of every year, we are not taught of anything other than to refrain from sins, to have love, to be humble, to have mercy and that is all. Lo, the kingdom of God is here with men, but even though the kingdom of God is here with man, but how to enter into the kingdom has become a problem and this indeed has become he war. The war is that unless you are bale to do away with all sins you have no way in there. You have been asked to forsake stealing, fornication, anger, preparation of concoction and other evil vices so that you may enter into the kingdom with joy. But you have refused, saying that you want to go and look for money, wife and husband. You say you are looking for employment, good health, and protective measure. Looking for employment is a sinful act, looking for protective measure is a sin.

NO EXCUSE, BUT TO BE BLAMELESS AND SPOTLESS BEFORE HIM

All this while you have been working and doing all the things to help yourself, how well is it with you? And even all those people who have claimed to be millionaires, trillionaires, billionaires and claiming to be everything, what is well off with them? But right her you have been asked to forsake every manner of sins so that you can come into this kingdom by grace, but you have refused. I do not have money I would have done the work of God. Is money used in doing the work of God? You will also complain, I have no wife, I have not got a husband; is this something of a wife or something of a husband that lies before us? I have not got a father, I have not got a mother. Is the matter before us that of father or mother? I have not got somebody, is this a matter of somebody that lies before us? Since you are waiting for the new heaven and a new earth then put on all these zeal to do the work of God and be blameless and be spotless before him.

RIGHTEOUSNESS IS THE ONLY WAY TO THIS KINGDOM

I keep on emphasizing and telling you in the morning and in the afternoon. But everyday you keep on praying to God, oh! God please give me money forgetting that looking for the carnal things is fighting against God. The kingdom of God has arrived now. Then righteousness only is required for you to come in whether you are sick. When you come in you will see what would happen. Are you in lack? Just come in, you have not got somebody? Just come in. Are you

alone? Just come in. Are you a child? Just come in. As soon as you enter everything and all the good things you are looking for are here in his kingdom.

THE PROMISE OF GOD TO THOSE WHO HAVE FORSAKEN ALL THE CARNAL THINGS TO FOLLOW HIM

What did Christ reply when Peter asked him what would be their reward for those of them who have forsaken all what they had before and followed him. Our Lord Jesus Christ replied him, that when things shall be made anew the son of man shall sit on the throne of his father, those who have been following him shall also sit with him in the throne to judge the twelve tribes of Israel, and those who have forsaken houses, children, clothing, landed property, money or any thing, would have those things he has forsaken a hundred folds and he shall also have everlasting life in addition. Why do you want to go and look for all these carnal things again. Where do you want to go with them? Those carnal things are not needed here. That is why I have been telling you repeatedly that this place is not clear to you at all. Do you think that when we have any launching here, that Brotherhood is looking for money and motor car? All these mundane things are here. Rather we are uninvited to come to this kingdom and eat food. Forsake sins completely for this is the only passport required from us in this kingdom. Forsake anger, quarreling, fornication, fighting, and forsake all manner of sins. Leave all those carnal things off your hands. Leave them completely then you will come into the kingdom.

RIGHTEOUSNESS IS THE ONLY PASSPORT, CERTIFICATE AND CREDENTIAL TO THIS KINGDOM

I have been telling you that you should not pray saying; oh! God give us money, or take away our problems. I do not welcome such prayers. Forsake all manner of sins completely. Your only work is to refrain from sins completely. This is the kingdom of God, the new heaven and a new earth whereby righteousness is required. It is said that carnal mindedness is dead but spiritual mindedness is life and peace. This is the kingdom of God, the kingdom built by God himself and every good thing is found therein. But thieves, or armed robbers, annoyance, are not admitted. The only passport, certificate and credential is to be spotless. Total abstainance from all iota of sins, then you can come into the kingdom. It is made clear that no one enters because of wealth, but enters by faith. Let our first lesson be read.

FIRST LESSON 2ND PETER 3:13-14

"Nevertheless we according to his promise look for new heavens and a new earth wherein dwelleth righteousness. Wherefore beloved, since that ye love for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him peace without spot and blameless."

NO CARNAL THINGS ARE ADMITTED INTO THIS KINGDOM

Have you heard that? Is it not what I have been teaching you right from January? Oh God give me work or employment so that I may use the money to pay tithe unto

you. Who is looking for that sort of tithe from you? Oh God give me children so that I may use them to pay tithe to you. Who looks for your children as tithe? Oh God give me money so that I can use it to build house unto you. Who is in need of your house? This is the new heaven and a new earth. It is a ready made kingdom. The kingdom does not want money or look for anything carnal from any person. It is the long expected kingdom. You can only come in or enter by grace, through righteousness and if you do not possess these attributes or qualities, you cannot enter. It is said that anyone who would want to save his life would lose it, but whosoever would lose his life for the gospel's sake and me, the same shall be saved. How can one live without an abode? Without having children? How can one live without having husband and peace? Alright since you are looking for all these carnal things, you are free to go and look for them. Have you not seen that the moment you go and look for all these carnal things you loose this kingdom?

CARNAL THINGS PREVENT YOU FROM ENTERING THIS KINGDOM.

You will see when you are a Brotherhood member, you do not have wife, or husband you come into Brotherhood and dance to the tune of Brotherhood. Instead of you continuing to dance forward, as soon as you have husband, that is one problem. When you have wife, one child, you will find yourself having two problems, two children, three problems. And so, some are here about twenty years now, all the activities of Brotherhood are far off from them. Their ears are deafened because of the

problems they have. A fornicator will not come in here into this kingdom, a liar have no share in this kingdom, anyone who gets angry will not enter, anyone who lacks patience will not enter. But I have to assure that, this is that long expected kingdom will not enter. But I have to assure you that, this is that long expected kingdom. It does not depend in praying, or Lord let thy kingdom come. This is the long expected kingdom of God.

THE PARENTS SUPPOSE TO FEED THE CHILDREN.

It is said that, the children suppose not to feed their father and mother rather the father and mother should feed the children. Food is here, clothing is here, children are contained in this kingdom, houses and all the good things are contained in this kingdom, good health, beauty and all things are sufficient and in surplus here in this kingdom but righteousness is required. If you as human beings should know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more God who had descended with his kingdom with everything complete. How will he not even be in the best position to give you exactly what you want and what is best for you.

RIGHTEOUSNESS IS THE ONLY REQUIREMENT IN THIS KINGDOM.

This is why I continue to teach you everyday until you would have to see the truth in teaching that is here; for you to repent will not be difficult. Because the moment you see that this is truth and realizing that it is only righteousness that is required, you will forsake telling of lies, even if

somebody may thrust his finger into your eyes, you will not answer or retaliate. If anybody blasphemes the name of God and even does anything provoking to you, do not retaliate, then you will enter. Then you will see this kingdom shining for you!

THERE ARE TWO KINGDOMS: THAT OF THE WORLD AND THAT OF GOD.

There are two kingdoms; one is the kingdom of the world and another is that of God. The one I am referring to is the kingdom of God. The one which is outside the fence of this kingdom is the kingdom of the world. What is the kingdom of this world? The kingdom of this world? The kingdom of this world consists of money, motor car, ocean going stimmer, food, wife, husband, and all the mundane things. It also consists of costly materials. This is the kingdom of the world. But what is the kingdom of God? The kingdom of God is love, peace, mercy, patience, humility, self-control, meekness, honesty and all the heavenly virtues. Even if you should fill this hall or any space with money so long as you do not have peace, your money is invaluable before God and God does not accept such money. If you read on letter sent to the Holy Father from a certain sister who had belonged to the Hare Krishna Organisation Faith, you will see that all she had requested of the Father is the divine Love of God. You will now see that God does not want your money or any of the mundane things but a divine love. This divine love is received when your mind is completely out from the mundane things of this

HEAVENLY VIRTUES SUSTAIN YOU IN BROTHERHOOD.

You all are witnesses to the fact that, you are not sustained here in the fold of Brotherhood because of money. It is not because of husband that you are sustained in Brotherhood. It is not children that keep you here in Brotherhood. it is not storey building or sky scraper or what may be called good food like stew and the rest of the delicious food that keep you in Brotherhood. It is not gun or imprisonment that keep you in here. Because none of these point mentioned would have kept you in brotherhood. All these things abound in the world. You have been given money so that you can leave Brotherhood, have you accepted to leave? You find yourself rejecting money and all the mundane things because you have seen something. What is here? You have seen love, peace, truthfulness, mercy, patience and righteousness. Have you not seen? It is these heavenly virtues that keep you here in Brotherhood.

YOU HAVE FORSAKEN THE MUNDANE THINGS OF THIS WORLD BECAUSE OF THE DIVINE LOVE YOU HAVE SEEN IN BROTHERHOOD.

Do we eat here or drink anything here. It is this divine love which is the kingdom of God. How do you expect somebody to explain this to you before you can hear. This is why many people marvel and ask, "What is it that their Father have given to them?" It is this divine love; and the humility which you have seen. It is because of this that everybody has forsaken all the mundane things of this world. A wife forsakes the husband in the house. It is because of

this divine love. In the world what a person can use to trap you into the kingdom of the world is that when you see a certain girl, you may tell her, you want her hand for marriage. This is used to draw or trap you into the kingdom of the world because you will be given money, employment food and accommodation. This is the kingdom of the world. But here in the kingdom of God is love, peace, truthfulness, patience, humility and all the heavenly attributes. These virtues or qualities drawn or trap you into the kingdom of God.

BROTHERHOOD OF THE CROSS AND STAR IS A VERY PRECIOUS STONE HIDDEN IN A FARM:

This why our Lord Jesus Christ had said that the kingdom of God is like a very precious stone, which is hidden in the farm. If any person finds it, with joy, he will go back home to sell his property so as to buy the farm and take possession of the precious stone. Here in this new kingdom, we do not regard man or personality as anything or as being important, if you do not have love. We do not regard money, because it is valueless. We do not value worldly glory, houses, motor cars, food, or anything man can think of. We do not value knowledge of any kind, we do not regard all these as anything, because of this divine love, truthfulness, righteousness, peace, and that is all. This is why we have been given this advice, since we are anxiously waiting for the new heavens and a new earth we should try to be blameless, and spotless before him.

THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS WITH MAN, LAMENT NO MORE.

Right now, it is foolish for anyone to say, let your kingdom come, 'Has it not come?' This is indeed the new kingdom. But the problem is how to enter the kingdom. It is pathetic to see somebody going to carry loads so as to have food, going for one thing or the other so as to help himself. A person who has already been in this kingdom seeking for assistance from one place or another is a thing of pity and ridiculous. This situation has induced me to laugh at your stupidity. Just look at the right path which you can find all the good things you want even in surplus. There is no hunger here, there is no lack, there is no sickness, there is no problem of any kind, all the good things you need are ready here in this new kingdom.

THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS HUMILITY; HAVE YOU GOT IT?

What is the kingdom of God? The kingdom of God is humility; humility constitutes the kingdom of God. Right now you are not humble, how will you enter into the kingdom? This one would raise up his shoulder, I am the one who started the Brotherhood, I am the eldest son of Obu. The poser is, will you enter? Till doom's day, no matter how you are, you will not enter. I eat from the same place with the Leader, I know the Leader, we hail from the same place. He is my Father, will you enter? Friend, you will not enter. Let our second lesson be read.

SECOND LESSON: REVELATION 21:1-2

"And I saw a new heavens and a new earth;. For the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. And I John saw the Holy City, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband."

Listen very attentively never you pray that, let your kingdom come, this is the kingdom. The problem is how you will manage to enter, only righteousness is required. If you still have anger left with you, you will not enter.

THE PASSPORT IS BLAMELESS AND SPOTLESS.

Have you seen it now? Have you not seen, the new heavens and a new earth? Have you not seen love, truthfulness, peace, mercy, patience, humility and joy? So the entire inhabitants of the world have seen the kingdom, but what is wanted or required is righteousness, as already been told to you. Therefore all those who are waiting for this new heavens should be blameless and spotless. This is the only passport you can use to enter into this kingdom. You have to abstain from every aspect of sins, telling lies and so on and come over to righteousness so as to be in the kingdom. If you quarrel, you will not enter.

NOTHING IS REQUIRED THAN RIGHTEOUSNESS.

If you are angry with any person, you will not enter the kingdom. If you begrudge anyone, plan evil against any person or be malicious against any person, you will have no way in. This kingdom of God does not require your wealth. It does not require your beauty. It does not require your education or any kind of knowledge. This kingdom is ready made; everything is complete and in surplus. It is not something which you will be asked to give bribe, or to bring money for bribe or use your house to bribe or use any person to bribe your way into the kingdom. The kingdom does not require all these mentioned points but righteousness. You do not use your leg to walk into the kingdom because you may be here for a hundred years, you may not come into the kingdom. One wold say that the Leader loves me very dearly, this has got nothing to do with your entry into this kingdom.

SELL EVERY MANNER OF SINS AND BUY RIGHTEOUSNESS.

Refrain from sins so that you may come into this kingdom by the sheer grace of God. Have you ever heard that there is anyone person which the Leader hate? Even if you turn out to say the Leader hate me so much, this does not give you the entrance into this kingdom. Therefore the kingdom of God suffers violence. How does it suffer violence? It is by righteousness only. If you have seen it, you have to do away with stealing, fighting, backbiting, killing and all those sinful acts, go and sell them and buy this kingdom with righteousness.

YOU DO NOT KNOW THE INTRICACY OF THIS KINGDOM

There is no white man here, there is no black man here, no female and no male here, there is no young or old

man or children here, no poor person and there is no rich man here. We are all brothers and sisters, live and let's live and that is all. It is said that from the word of your mouth, people would know what you are. Then it is through the words of your mouth that I know you have not yet seen this kingdom. And this is why in the morning and in the afternoon it would not have been difficult for me to stop giving you sermon or to stop preaching. But I realise that even though I go on preaching to you, you do not seem to understand this teachings or see this kingdom. Is it when I shall stop preaching that you will understand or see this kingdom? I have no business with kingdom of this world. You profess to have hundred cars, I have no interest; you also profess to be a millionaire, I am not interested, you profess to be a king or emperor, I am not interested. All the carnal things of this world you take very high is of no interest to me. What do I do with them? They are nothing to me. You professed to have been in Russia, and that you have also lived or stayed in America, stayed in Germany, lived in Spain, lived in every parts of the country. I am not interested in all those places you have mentioned. They are of no use to me

WE SHOULD REQUEST FROM GOD, A DIVINE LOVE.

We should request from God a divine love, there is no need counting these places for me, for you are wasting your time. You come in here and become so eloquently in speaking English, Germany, French, Igbo, and other languages. What have I got to do with all these languages. I am not interested. Dear brethren have you seen? The only

qualification I want is righteousness, divine love of God in your heart. When you possess these, it will direct you, and you will always be in the kingdom of God. Because it is through love that everything would be united.

A SISTER FROM HARE KRISHNA FAITH AND HER REQUEST.

That letter from a sister from the Hare Krishna Faith has been read here several times, but because of today's Gospel, it shall be brought again for reading, so that you can hear the request she had made and what she wanted. Ponder over this, she is a virgin, a pure virgin, a woman who has never got anything to do with a man like carnal intimacy right from her birth. And this is the virgin I want. And also she is a civil servant with only one dress in all her life. She does not want money and has no need for money. But when she came here, see the request she made, the love of God. You who are filled with all evil deeds should ponder over this. It is just because she has pleaded that the testimony should not be published because of her faithful members otherwise this would have been published in the Herald to be spread. But she said I should not publish it. I should not allow the public to hear so that her members may not know; that she would be going visiting them and that whosoever wants the truth, she will refer such a one here.

WHAT MAKES YOU TO KNOW THE TRUTH AND WHAT CHANGES MAN TO GOD?

You think that if you give money to someone that the money will make the person to know the truth, this is not so.

It will not make him to know the truth. If you should build a house to someone, give him a wife and a husband, give him a landed property and anything you can think of, this does not induce someone to know God neither to know the truth. What makes someone to know the truth? It is love. When you see or meet someone, who does not quarrel, who does not tell lies, who is not given to anger, who does not bear malice against someone, no discrimination, who has peace and love. These attributes or qualities attract and changes people and make people to see the glory of God.

THE HOLY FATHER DOES NOT DEMAND ANYTHING FROM US BUT LOVE.

Some people will say that I love the Father so let me go and look for some money so that I can use it to do something to him. Is the Father poor? Do I tell you I want money? Some other person will say, 'Let me go and look for people for the Father' Is the Father looking for people? Have I told you I lack people? Have you heard that I lack people? So it is something surprising that you have stayed with somebody for a period of twenty years and yet you do not know whom the person is, you do not know what he wants and what is required of him.

GOLDEN TEXT: REVELATION 2:4-5

Nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first work; or else I will come unto thee quickly and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.

REMEMBER THE FIRST LOVE.

Have you heard money being mentioned there? Have you heard children being mentioned there? Is there any mentioning about husband and wife in this context? Did he mention about the kingship and chieftaincy titles of this world? He is referring to the first love, the love of God. The love that has no grudge, the love without discrimination and no trick. Anyone who loves money, the love of God is not there with him. Anyone who loves his wife, the love of God is not there with him. Anyone who loves houses, the love of God is not there with him. Anyone who loves the mundane things of this world or even motor cars, the love of God is not there with him. We have been told that even if we should give out all what we have to the poor, and even give ourself up to be burnt by fire if we do not have love, we gain nothing.

THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS NOT MEAT AND DRINK.

It has been emphasized that, here in this kingdom of God, there should be no anger; we do not want quarrel, fighting, telling of lies, discrimination, stealing, forcing or shouting at any person. No sin is required apart from the

love only. The kingdom of God does not consist in meat or drinks but the kingdom of God consists in peace, righteousness and the great joy in the Holy Spirit. If it were not so, look at your Leader, where is his motor car? Where is his bicycle? Where is his slippers? Where is his hat? Where is his suit? Where are his houses? Where is his food? Your pride is in houses and chariots, but my pride and joy is in love, humility, peace and truth.

WHAT SEPARATES YOU FROM THIS KINGDOM IS ANGER

If you would have been thinking much or having a second thought to yourself for someone to say since 1942, February 14th till today that anyone who could make him angry a handsome reward awaits him. This statement can be referred to as "food for thought" but the carnal things of this world do not allow you to think about it. Annoyance or anger is the kingdom of the world. If you are not angry you cannot say woe betide you; you cannot tell lies; if you are not angry, you cannot kill someone, if you are not angry you cannot indulge yourself in any aspect of sins. separates you from this kingdom is not money, but annoyance or anger because anger is Satan, Satan is not a snake, Satan is not money or all these things, Satan is the anger that separates you from this kingdom. And what is anger? It is not anger in the real sense of it, but it is when you put your mind in the carnal things of this world. You have put your mind into money, then peradventure the money does not come in as soon as you expected, your mind is disturbed. Since you put your mind into money, when the

money comes in, in a big way, and behold, someone wants to snatch or take part of this money from you. Your mind is disturbed and trouble set in.

SEEK FOR THE HEAVENLY VIRTUES RATHER THAN THE CARNAL THINGS.

Look as I am now standing I do not want money, I do not need it, I do not have anything to do with money, because money separates us out of this kingdom. But you should look for peace, love, truthfulness and faith which is this kingdom. So it is a very simple thing to enter into this kingdom of God if we should go back from where we have fallen and remember the first love. Love your God with all your mind, with all your soul and with all your heart. Express this same divine love for your neighbour likewise. If money were used to enter into this kingdom, Jesus the Christ would not have told the rich man to go and sell all what he possessed, give to the poor and come after him.

THE KINGDOM OF GOD DOES NOT CONSIST IN MONEY.

Most of the time I stand here to demonstrate before you does not mean that I would not have done it in the room, but I want you to witness this little things with your eyes, that is why you see me demonstrating this before your present. Donating very generously. If money were to be the kingdom of God, do you think I would have been donating or bringing out money here for you everyday? If money were to be the kingdom of God, which day have you heard that all the members of Brotherhood should count money

and give to me. Do you know where all this money have been coming from? Do you know where the money came from? Everyday, you will say 'Father bless us' What is blessing? Are you not asking me to give you money? You who look for money. And so brethren I do not want to take you further, a stroke of the cane is sufficient unto a wise person. Let those who have ears to hear, let them hear. May the Lord Bless His Holy Words, Amen.