

ARE YOU SATISFIED  
WITH JESUS?

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# God's Word for Heartbeat for 2007

- It's a year to invest in people for eternity; a year for joy and salvation which is the result of us being Good News and proclaiming Good News. It is a year to lift up our eyes, to raise our sights and to expand God's Kingdom as never before. We will see Jesus more clearly than ever before and we will show Him to the world as He really is. His light will shine in the darkness and many will come to His light.

ARE YOU EXPERIENCING  
THE JOY OF YOUR  
SALVATION?

Psalm 51:12

ARE YOU HAPPY?

Phil 4:4

ARE YOU CONTENT?

Phil 4:11

DOES YOUR HAPPINESS  
DEPEND ON YOUR  
EXTERNAL  
CIRCUMSTANCES?

Matt 6:33



I'VE BEEN HAVING AN  
AFFAIR.....



**WITH THE WORLD  
AND MY PROBLEMS!**



I'D BEGUN TO TELL GOD  
HOW BIG MY PROBLEMS  
WERE INSTEAD OF  
TELLING MY PROBLEMS  
HOW BIG GOD IS!



I'D BECOME SICK AND  
TIRED OF BEING SICK  
AND TIRED



**THE IDOLATRY OF  
NEED:  
Matt 6:33**

**BUT GOD STILL WANTS  
TO MEET YOUR NEEDS!**



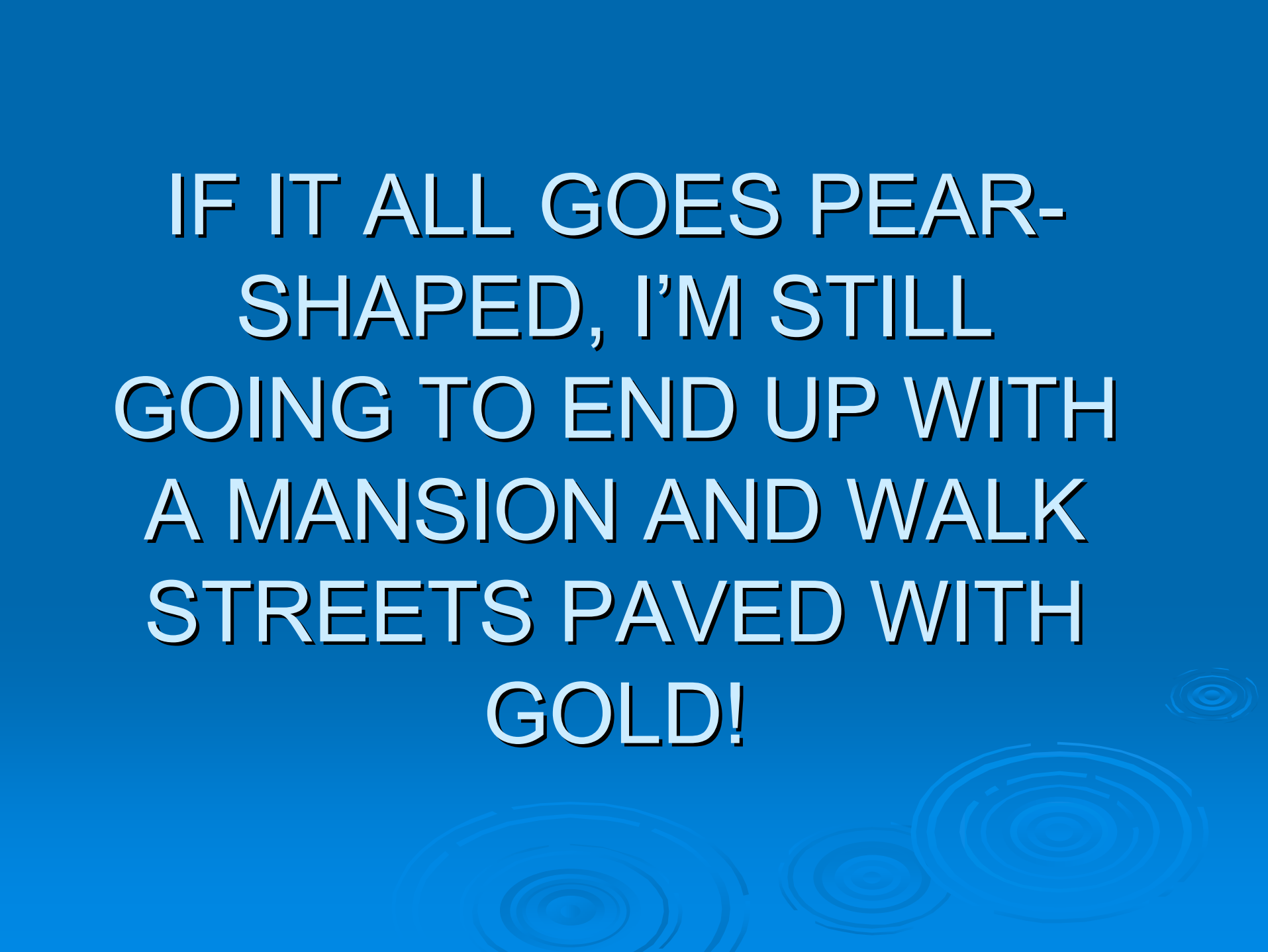
# WHAT DID I REALLY NEED?

1) RENEWED INTIMACY  
WITH JESUS

2) HIS POWER TO HELP  
ME LEARN TO BE  
CONTENT

PHIL 4:11

IF IT ALL GOES PEAR-  
SHAPED, I'M STILL  
GOING TO END UP WITH  
A MANSION AND WALK  
STREETS PAVED WITH  
GOLD!



LORD, GIVE ME A  
STRATEGY?

HIS ANSWER FOR ME:  
FAST AND PRAY.

BUT IT'S NOT A  
COMMAND, IT HAS TO BE  
BY GRACE.

# FASTING:

Isaiah 58:8

Psalms 35:13

Psalms 69:10

# Under Grace:

Acts 13:3

Acts 14:23

Even Jesus fasted.

# The Wrong Motives for Fasting:

To lose weight

To purge the soul

To “look holy” (Matt  
6:16, 18)

# The Right Motives for Fasting:

To humble ourselves before  
God.

To seek His face, not his  
hands

To seek intimacy with Him  
Isaiah 58:8

Restore to me the Joy of  
Your Salvation:  
Psalm 51

Remember the Prodigal  
Son.

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**BUT ALSO HEALING.  
IN MY SOUL AND  
BODY**



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