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## GOOD WEATHER AHEAD



Last year a lot of people were yearning for a white Christmas. For these people a white Christmas represents a beautiful time of the year. For others it is nothing more than a difficult time both financially and emotionally. For them a white Christmas is nothing but bad weather. The fact that they have to deal with the snow is headache enough. It is the same with regard to the financial crisis that we have had. I use the past tense because I have decided that this year all that I will see and feel will be good weather; no more bad weather-no more financial crisis. I strongly believe that 2011 will be a beautiful year.

Last year I heard enough about how bad 2010 was, about the financial crisis. **But now is the time to believe that this year will be one of good weather with financial stability for everyone.** I, for one, am planning for sunshine 2011 as I had in 2010. It brings to mind a conversation that I had the other day with our Product Vice-President. I was telling him that 2010 was best year since this financial crisis started and it will continue the same way and much better for 2011. I plan to start looking for those great opportunities that this recovery has to offer me this year. I implore you to see things from a different perspective; no more negative thoughts, no more feeding any bad moments with lack of this or lack of that. Now is the time to turn everything around and please, do not depend on governments bailouts, or stimulus package. Depend on your God and the abilities, talents, and tools that you have at your disposal. Depend on the people that you can reach through your inner gifts, depend on the things that you are able to change through your strength, depend on the power that you have to change the this or that you don't like or want. I am depending on the good deeds that I can do for others. I am depending on a total change that I can create. Life is beautiful and I am planning to have a good time this year in the good weather, with my white Christmas year 'round. I am so determined to obtain it that I have placed all my goals in front of me, and I will accomplish them with the help of God.

Therefore my friends, this year do not waste your time and money with things that cannot bring you a return, and things that not going to accomplished anything for you or your family, or the people around you, or in things that you do not need. Use your wisdom and use it well for the advancement of your business and for those around you. Invest in the welfare of your family and your community is a beautiful white Christmas.

### Here are some tips that can help you reach your goals!

1. Write down your goals
2. Ask for directions
3. Read books about successful people
4. Be positive
5. Learn from failures
6. Safe guard your money
7. Never give up

**God Bless you all,  
Have a good profitable month!**

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