

Thoughts for our Apostles Family from Christopher and Cristie Bobb:

Have you noticed the grocery stores lately? What's going on? They can't keep the shelves full of anything. I haven't heard of anything strange going on, I'm too busy enjoying what has been an early spring.

Seriously, one would have to be incredibly isolated at this point not to notice a terrible virus making people sick. There's a lot of tension and confusion right now and not a lot of hope according to the media and our government leaders.

But there is ... there is hope and rebirth and life all around us. That is how I have always viewed spring time through my eyes. God has given all of us this mind "blowingly" beautiful creation to enjoy to the fullest. Through our harshest winters, personal troubles, and terrible plagues, God is still there with everything beautiful for us.

(Words from Solomon in the book of Ecclesiastes 3:1-8)

*"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under heaven; a time to be born; a time to die, a time to plant, and a time to pluck that which has been planted; a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to breakdown, and a time to build up; a time to weep and a time to laugh; a time to mourn and a time to dance, a time to cast away stones and a time to gather stones together, a time to embrace and a time to refrain from embracing, a time to get and a time to lose, a time to keep and a time to cast away, a time to rend, and a time to sew, a time to keep silence and a time to speak, a time to love and a time to hate, a time of war and a time of peace."*