Happy New Year

Here's again another 'Happy New Year'!

We all wish one another 'a happy new year' yet we all know, it is only a 'wishful happiness'; there is lifelong happiness only in fairy tales!!

A friend told me, 'at the beginning of the year my Pastor preached, it was a favourable year ahead. In fact to me it turned to be a very difficult year'.

See, our problem lies in the fallacy of our understanding that 'favourable year' means, 'ease, comfort and prosperity'. Ah, that would have been true, if our life were a picnic! But remember, our life is not a picnic; it is a race!

Yes, life is a race to run! Hence let us welcome the year ahead as the immediate strip before us to run. Let us run laying aside every encumbrance and sin that entangle us. Let us run with perseverance. Let us run goal- set. And let us run to win.

If we do so, we shall increasingly participate, in the promises, life and glory in Christ, and advance in the plan and purpose of God for our lives. And the year ahead shall prove to be a favourable year! Indeed a milestone year!

Let us take to heart, time is most precious and we need to redeem time, moment by moment to live in the will and purpose of God.

So, you favoured of God, look ahead with cheer. Think of opportunities, experiences, advancements, victories and accomplishments before you. Best of all, God is on your side, and His all sufficient and mightily enabling grace is for you!

Indeed, my hearty wishes for a blessed and favourable 2017, to you!