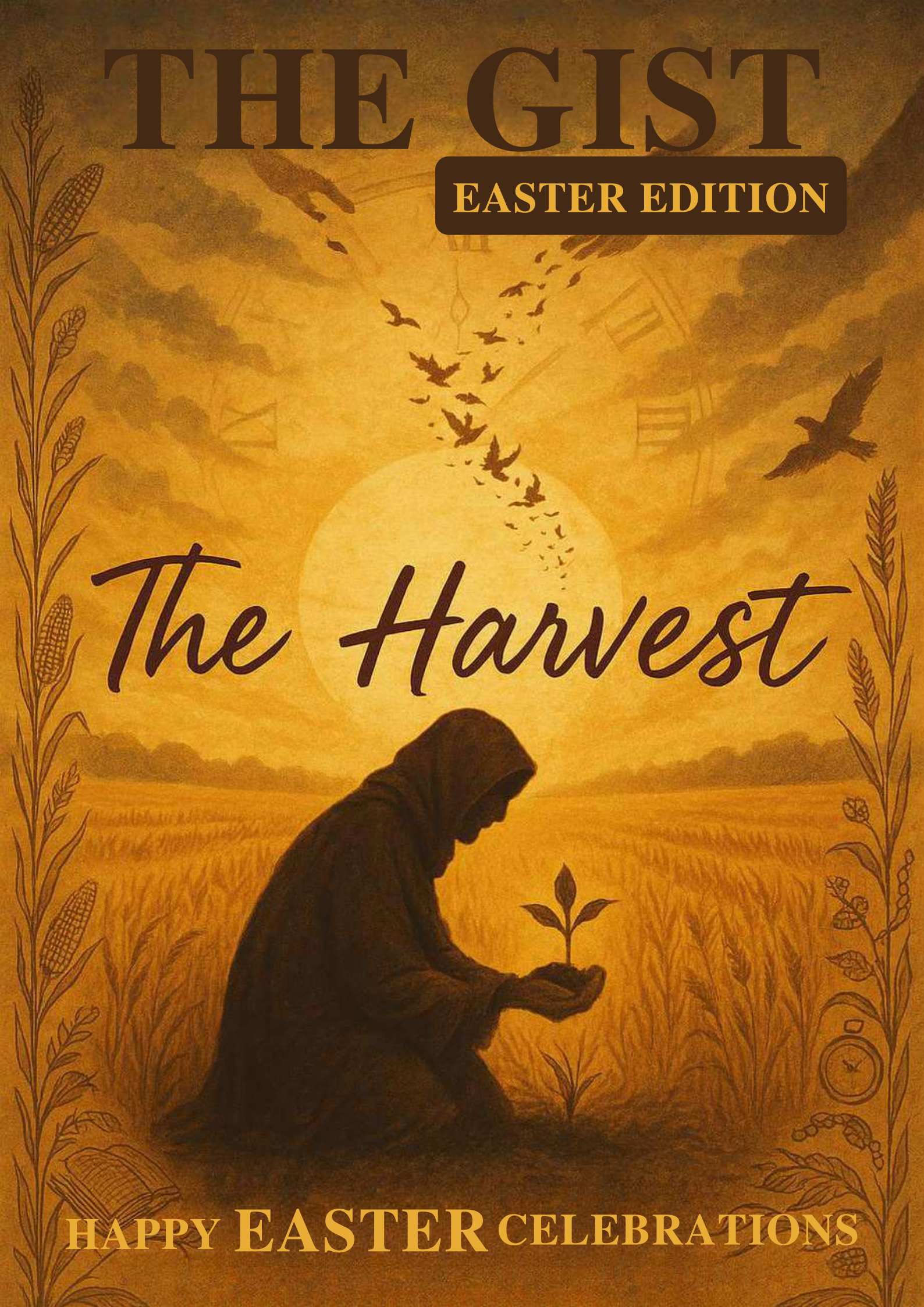


# THE GIST

EASTER EDITION

## *The Harvest*

HAPPY EASTER CELEBRATIONS



# FROM THE HEART OF THE SOWER

*A message from the editor*



**As we step into this April edition of The Gist, themed The Harvest, we reflect on a season that reminds us of God's faithfulness. Every seed sown in love, every act of faith, and every moment of obedience it all leads to a harvest in due time**

**This edition celebrates not only the physical harvest of food and growth, but the spiritual harvest of joy, peace, and purpose. As we also honor Easter this month, may we be reminded of the greatest harvest of all - the gift of new life through Christ.**

**Whether you're still in your planting season or standing in your field of blessings, may these pages speak to your heart and fill you with hope.**

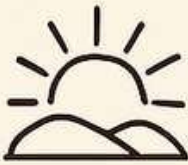
*Pastor Steven Omotayo*

# DID YOU KNOW?



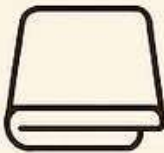
Jesus was arrested around 12 A.M. in Gethsemane.

Jewish law **forbade** arrests and trials at night.



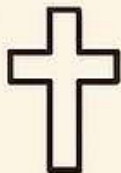
The first witnesses were women – a radical derail

Women's testimonies weren't legally valid, yet God chose women to find empty tomb.



Jesus folded the burial cloth – it was a Jewish message

In Jewish tradition, a folded napkin meant "I'm coming back."



The disciples had no reason to lie – yet all died for the truth

By apostles chose to suffer and die, not to start a religion, but proclaimed *what saw*.



No body was ever found – and the tomb was public

If Jesus hadn't risen, producing His body would stop Christianity from spreading.



# JOKES & GIGGLES

## THE HARVEST



**Why didn't  
the bread  
rise?**

It needed a little  
knead from Jesus!



**With whom  
should you  
go to the  
Easter service?**

Your pray-ers!



**What did the disciples  
find difficult to eat?**

The "roll" in front of the tomb!



## DRAW & LAUGH

Send us your favorite  
joke or drawing,  
and you might see  
it in the next edition!



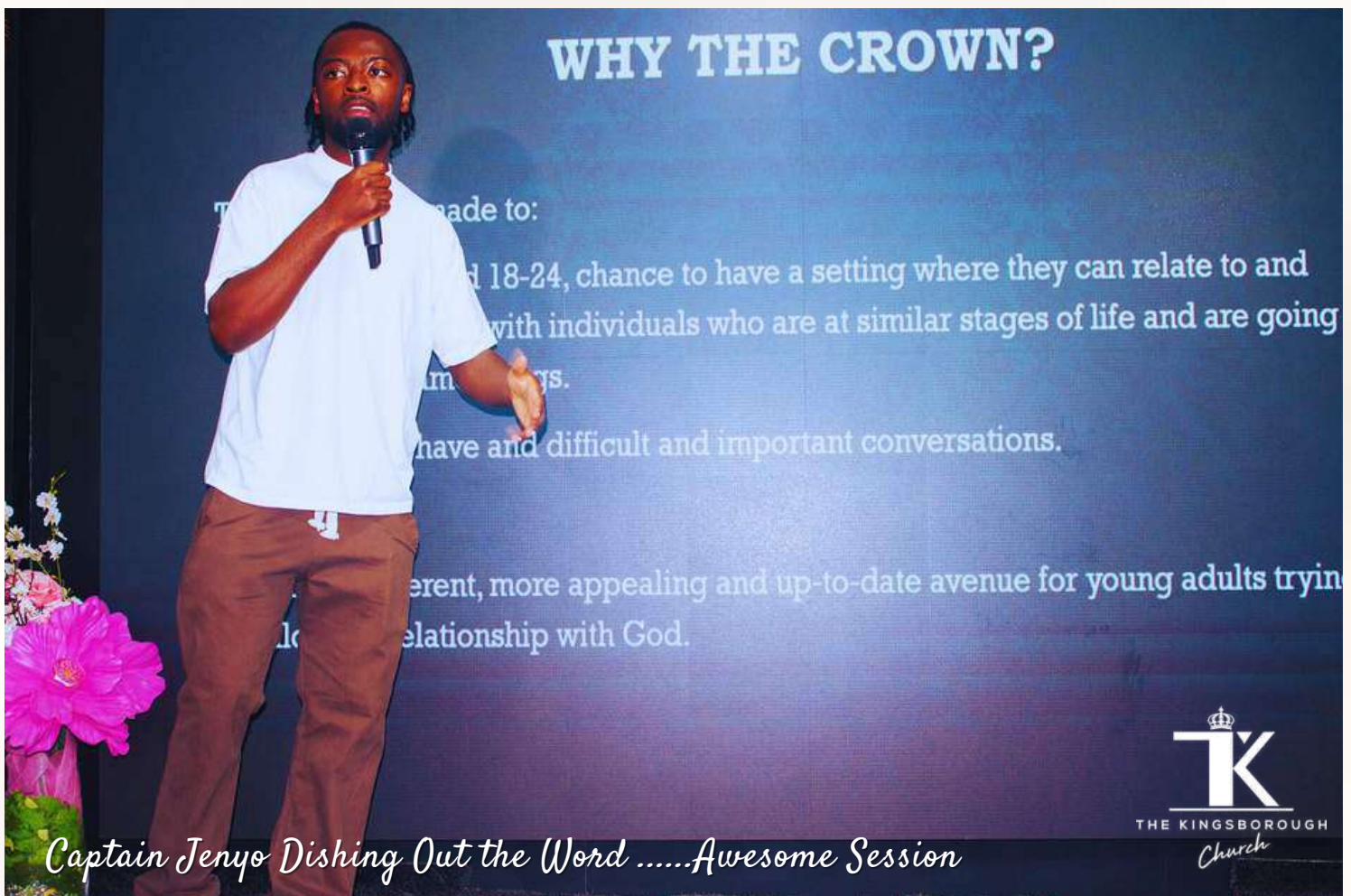
# UNVEILING OF THE CROWN PHOTOSTORY



*MC David*



*Sheff the Awesome*



## WHY THE CROWN?

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relationship with God.

*Captain Jenyo Dishing Out the Word .....Awesome Session*

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*Even the Elders were feeling youthful*



*The Showdown Between Kingsmen and Hadassah*



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