

**Life has Seasons!**



**Who is in Charge?**

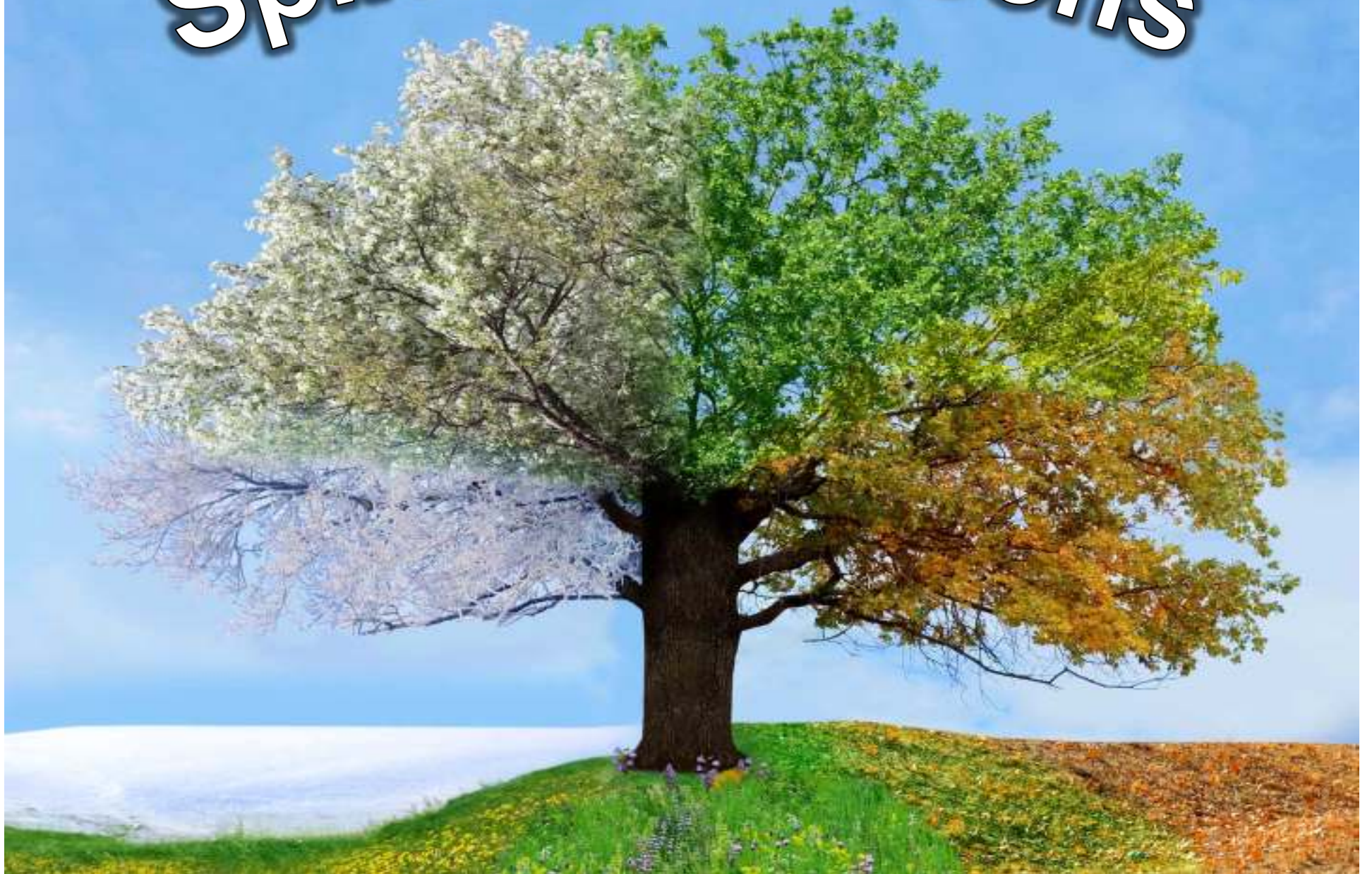


**Daniel 2:21**

# Look at the Trees



# Spiritual Seasons



# The Season of Winter



# The Season

Winter is marked by colder temperatures

In our lives we become less active

If we do have to go out most people  
bundle in jackets and coats

Cold and Flu

Ice and Snow

The lakes and ponds  
freeze over

Winter seems to make  
life stand still



# The Tree

Its not a good look

The leaves are gone

They look barren

The prominent color is brown on the  
backdrop of gray skies

It seems they are standing  
there unchanging



**Did you know that the  
time when a tree looks  
the most barren is the  
time it grows  
the most?**





**However, that grow is  
not visible unless that is  
you wish take a shovel  
and start  
digging.**



**As the tree stretches its  
roots, it is preparing  
itself for the height it  
will some  
day reach**



# Spiritual Winter



The background of the slide is a serene winter night scene. The sky is a deep, dark blue, filled with numerous small, white, star-like points of light. Some of these points are larger and more distinct, resembling stars or distant galaxies. The ground is covered in a layer of white snow, and a single, dark, leafless tree stands on the right side of the frame. The tree's branches are intricate and dark against the lighter sky. The overall mood is quiet and contemplative.

# Stretching Your Spiritual Roots

(Ephesians 3:14-12)

**Get in touch  
with God**



**So what am I  
supposed to do  
while I'm down  
there?**



# Get in Touch with God

Surprise, Surprise; Pray

Pray for strength

Pray for power in his spirit

Pray for your inner being

Pray for Christ to dwell in your  
heart through faith

Pray for the Lord's Holy People

Pray for God to fill you a new

Pray for God to do more in your life



**In short pray  
for Revival  
(Hosea 6:1-3)**





**The Harsh  
days of Winter  
will lead to  
the new growth  
of spring**

