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Bishop Dr. Richard A. Copeland
New Life Temple Church of God in Christ, International
205 Murray Street
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Dear Bishop Copeland,

Congratulations on this wonderful day for you and the New Life Temple Church of God in Christ congregation as you celebrate your 50th year in Ministry! There is no greater gift than the respect and love you have received from the many people whose lives you have touched, and the positive impact you've made will be a source of strength for generations to come. Michael and I are pleased to have the opportunity to join your friends, family, and congregation in sending best wishes on this special occasion. God bless.

My very best,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nikki".

Nikki R. Haley

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Congratulations!