Welcome to Adar [II], 5784 a season of great Joy in the midst of War! Chaplain Wade K. Buitler



Adar [II] 2024/5784

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Adar [II] for Hebrew Year 5784 begins at sundown on **Sunday**, **10 March 2024** and ends at nightfall on **Monday**, **8**, **April 2024**.

Start of month of Adar [II] (on leap years) on the Hebrew calendar. Adar [II] (אַדָר ב'), sometimes "Adar Bet" or "Adar Sheni", is the 13th month of the Hebrew year, has 29 days, occurs only on leap years, and corresponds to February or March on the Gregorian calendar. רֹאשׁ חוֹדֶשׁ, transliterated Rosh Chodesh or Rosh Hodesh, is a minor holiday that occurs at the beginning of every month in the Hebrew calendar. It is marked by the birth of a new moon.

Adar (<u>Hebrew</u>: אֲדָר, <u>Standard</u> 'Adār, from <u>Akkadian</u> adaru) is the sixth month of the civil year and the twelfth month of the religious year on the <u>Hebrew calendar</u>, roughly

corresponding to the month of <u>March</u> in the Gregorian calendar. It is a month of 29 days.

The month's name, like all the others from the Hebrew calendar, was adopted during the <u>Babylonian captivity</u>. In the <u>Babylonian calendar</u> the name was Araḫ Addaru or Adār ('Month of Adar').

In <u>leap years</u>, it is preceded by a 30-day <u>intercalary month</u> named **Adar Aleph** (<u>Hebrew</u>: 'א אדר א', <u>Aleph</u> being the first letter of the Hebrew alphabet), also known as "Adar Rishon" (*First Adar*) or "Adar I", and it is then itself called **Adar Bet** (<u>Hebrew</u>: 'אדר ב', <u>Bet</u> being the second letter of the Hebrew alphabet), also known as **Adar Sheni** (*Second Adar* or "Adar [II]"). Occasionally instead of Adar I and Adar [II], "Adar" and "Ve'Adar" are used (Ve means 'and' thus: And-Adar). Adar I and II occur during February—March on the <u>Gregorian calendar</u>.

Sources disagree as to which of the two Adar months is the "real" Adar, and which is the added leap month. [1]

Customs

During the <u>Second Temple</u> period, there was a Jewish custom to make a public proclamation on the first day of the lunar month Adar, reminding the people that they are to prepare their annual monetary offering to the Temple treasury, known as the half-Shekel.^[2]

Based on a line in the <u>Mishnah</u> declaring that Purim must be celebrated in Adar [II] in a leap year (<u>Megillah</u> 1:4), Adar I is considered the "extra" month. As a result, someone born in Adar during a non-leap year would celebrate their birthday in Adar [II] during a leap year. However, someone born during either Adar in a leap year will celebrate their birthday during Adar in a non-leap year, except that someone born on 30 Adar I will celebrate their birthday on 1 Nisan in a non-leap year because Adar in a non-leap year has only 29 days.

Holidays

- 7 Adar (II in leap years) 7th of Adar some fast on this day in memory of the death of Moses
- **13 Adar** (**II** in leap years) <u>Fast of Esther</u> on 11 Adar when the 13th falls on <u>Shabbat</u> (*Fast Day*)
- 14 Adar (II in leap years) Purim

- 14 Adar I (does not exist in non-leap years; <u>Karaites</u> celebrate in Adar [II])
 <u>Purim Katan</u>
- **15 Adar** (**II** in leap years) <u>Shushan Purim</u> celebration of Purim in walled cities existing during the time of <u>Joshua</u>
- 17 Adar (II in leap years) Yom Adar celebration feast

In Jewish history

- Adar (598 <u>BC</u>) <u>Jerusalem</u> falls to <u>Nebuchadnezzar</u> and <u>Jeconiah</u> is captured.
- **3 Adar** (515 <u>BC</u>) <u>Second Temple</u> completed
- **5 Adar** (1st century <u>CE</u>) <u>Lulianos and Paphos</u> voluntarily gave themselves up to be killed, in order to save innocent Jewish lives in Laodicea.
- **7 Adar** (1393 <u>BC</u>) Birth of <u>Moses</u>
- **7 Adar** (1273 <u>BC</u>) Death of <u>Moses</u>
- **13 Adar** (161 <u>BC</u>) *Yom Nicanor* The Maccabees defeated Greek Syrian general <u>Nicanor</u> at the <u>Battle of Adasa</u> during the <u>Maccabean Revolt</u>.
- **14 Adar** (474 <u>BC</u>) <u>Purim</u> victory celebrated in the Persian Empire
- **15 Adar** (1st century <u>CE</u>) Jerusalem Gate Day <u>King Agrippa I</u> (circa 21 <u>CE</u>) began construction of a gate for the wall of <u>Jerusalem</u>; the day used to be celebrated as a holiday.
- **17 Adar** (522 <u>BC</u>) Yom Adar the day the Jewish people left Persia following the Purim story
- **18 Adar** [1953] Death of <u>Josef Stalin</u>; brings to a stop the <u>Doctors' Plot</u>
- **20 Adar** [1616] 'Purim Vinz': downfall of <u>Vincenz Fettmilch</u> and triumphant return of the Jews of Frankfurt under Imperial protection. The day was established as a community Purim for generations and to this day the Washington Heights community does not recite Tachanun on this day. [5]
- **25 Adar** (561 <u>BC</u>) Death of <u>Nebuchadnezzar</u> (<u>Jeremiah</u> 52:31).
- **27 Adar** (561 <u>BC</u>) Death of <u>Zedekiah</u> in Babylonian captivity. <u>Meroduch April</u>, Nebuchadnezzar's son and successor, freed him (and his nephew Jeconiah) on the 27th of Adar, but Zedekiah died that same day.
- **28 Adar** (from the 2nd century onwards) <u>Talmudic</u> holiday to commemorate the rescinding of a <u>Roman</u> decree against <u>Torah</u> study, ritual <u>circumcision</u>, and keeping the Shabbat.

A prayer of Thanksgiving by James Nesbit O Magnificent Lord thank You,



For causing us to arise in Your strength this month of Adar, which is related to the word Adir, meaning strength and power, and it is Your power Lion of Judah that will make our greatest obstacles like chaff in the wind before You Lord God of Israel if we just trust in and dwell with You!

Father, thank You gracing us all to do just that! Trusting, resting, and dwelling in the "Secret Place" with You!

Father, You are judging our enemies at this time, restoring what was lost, and bringing victory where defeat seemed inevitable! Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

If the times we are living in sound eerily similar to what has taken place in Scripture during the month of Adar, it's because they are. Evil is staring us in the face, and destruction rather than victory seems to be the word in the air, just as in Exodus!

As we pass through this month, Exodus 23:2 is in the news out of New York, thank You Father for giving us backbone and courage never to follow the evil crowd in order to pervert justice no matter how many voices try to convince us or silence those who stand for justice.

We lift up the arms of President Trump and his sons today Father, We say, "In your day of danger may Yahweh answer and deliver you. May the name of the God of Jacob set you safely on high!"

May supernatural help be sent from the sanctuary of our Father! May We thank You Yahweh, for supporting the Trump family from Zion's fortress!"

Lord, remember every gift they have given in obedience to Your prompt and celebrate every sacrifice of love they have shown unto You!

Grace President Trump each morning to pause in Your presence Yahweh, O Father, give this family every desire of Your heart and carry out Your every plan and purpose for them as they go to battle.

We celebrate and shout for joy now for their upcoming successes. Flags are flying as we declare victory is yours! Yes, Mr. Trump, our Father is answering your prayers, and we praise him! Great Yahweh, thank You for giving, them all that they ask for and bring victory to this anointed family.

Our deliverance cry is being heard in holy heaven. By Father's mighty hand miracles will manifest throughout this summer and fall by His saving strength alone.

Some find their strength in their weapons and wisdom, but our miracle-deliverance can never be won by men. Our boast is in You Yahweh our God, who makes us strong and gives us victory! Our enemies will not prevail; they will only collapse and perish in defeat while we will rise up, full of courage.

O Yahweh! On this day we call on you, through the name of Your Son and thank You hearing and answering!

Wade Butler: Chaplain

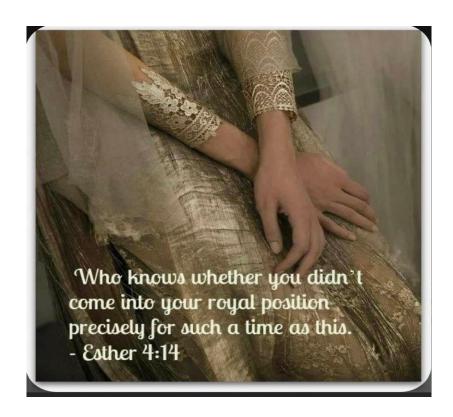
This letter to those who are new at following the daily devotional and Calendar, I would like to share with you some of the reasoning of the publication and answer some questions that are posed to me each month. To begin with we follow the example of "One new man", Jew and Gentile following the Messiah. Because of that we relate the Hebrew calendar timelines because our father did not change the seasons, man did. We need to learn about our roots. So, join us.

Many people receive this who are not members of the Republic President Trump talked about and probably will never become part of the "Patriot Movement" for many reasons, yet they are lovers of truth and followers of the LORD. After seeing what corruption and sick works the "demon-cratic" party have committed even liberals are stepping away because of the evil.

This month as always is packed full of prophesy, sermons, art and background material that most people will never take the time to research on their own nor have the resources of input to obtain as much of the truth as can be found. Often it goes against the grain of conventional churches and denominations because we follow the Hebrew calendar and the prophetic. He never changed HIS timing, we did. I would rather follow HIM and know what I was adopted into. Sometimes authors are used multiple times because they are in what we call the "zone" of the Holy Spirit. In other words, they are hearing from the LORD! We do not take donations or contributions other than an occasional donation to cover postage to those who need a hard copy. Keep it on your computer and read it daily.

Each month is packed with Revelation of what GOD is saying so; buckle up, hold on and take a journey with us, a day at a time. This month is about discerning, decreeing, declaring, and COMMANDING the WORD spoken!!!!! Go boldly into the Gates with thanksgiving and into Courts with PRAISE! And above all hold on to His Promises!!

Be Blessed, Chaplain Wade



This is Adar [II], the Hebrew Leap Year, or catch-up month: by Chaplain Wade Butler

During a Jewish leap year, which occurs seven times in a 19-year cycle (approximately once every three years), there is an added month called "Adar I," inserted before this month of Adar (termed "Adar [II]" in leap years). This aligns the lunar months with the solar year, ensuring that the holidays fall in the proper seasons.

It is a month of great joy as they Hebrew's leap in joy for their deliverance from a death sentence. It is the month when the curse over **Naphtali from when they rebelled against God was overturned.**

You can break the curse of rebellion and overturn the curse now! Repent!!! It is the month of starting to move toward our destinies. Yeshua chose most of HIS disciples from the tribe of Naphtali in the region of Nazareth on the Sea of Galilee. In Rev 7 Naphtali is seen as restored with 12K chosen from the tribe and sealed as servants of GOD. It is the season to become what GOD has called us to be..

Yeshua Begins His Ministry Matthew 4:

- ¹² Now when Yeshua heard that John [the Baptist] had been arrested *and* put in prison, He left for Galilee. ¹³ And leaving Nazareth, He went and settled in Capernaum, which is by the sea, in the country of Zebulun and Naphtali. ¹⁴ *This was* to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah:
- 15 "THE LAND OF ZEBULUN AND THE LAND OF NAPHTALI, BY THE WAY OF THE SEA, BEYOND THE JORDAN, GALILEE [in the district] OF THE GENTILES—
- ¹⁶ "The People who were SITTING (living) IN [spiritual] DARKNESS HAVE SEEN A GREAT LIGHT, And FOR THOSE WHO WERE SITTING (living) IN THE LAND AND SHADOW OF [spiritual and moral] DEATH, UPON THEM A LIGHT HAS DAWNED."
- ¹⁷ From that time Yeshua began to preach and say, "Repent [change your inner self—your old way of thinking, regret past sins, live your life in a way that proves repentance; seek God's purpose for your life], for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

The First Disciples

¹⁸ As Yeshua was walking by the Sea of Galilee, He noticed two brothers, Simon who was called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen. ¹⁹ And He said to them, "Follow Me [as My disciples, accepting Me as your Master and Teacher and walking the same path of life that I walk], and I will make you fishers of men." ²⁰ Immediately they left their nets and followed Him [becoming His disciples, believing and trusting in Him and following His example]. ²¹ And going on [further] from there He noticed two other brothers, James the *son* of Zebedee, and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets; and He called them [to follow Him as His disciples]. ²² Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed Him [becoming His disciples, believing and trusting in Him and following His example].

Ministry in Galilee

²³ And He went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the good news (gospel) of the kingdom, and healing every kind of disease and every kind of sickness among the people [demonstrating and revealing that He was indeed the promised Messiah].

²⁴ So the news about Him spread throughout all Syria; and they brought to Him all who were sick, those suffering with various diseases and pains, those under the power of demons, and epileptics, paralytics; and He healed them.
²⁵ Large crowds followed Him from Galilee and the Decapolis and Jerusalem and Judea and the other side of the Jordan.

Revelation 7 Amplified Bible (AMP) An Interlude

7 After this I saw four angels stationed at the four corners of the earth, holding back the four winds of the earth so that no wind would blow on the earth or on the sea or on any tree. ²Then I saw another angel coming up from the rising of the sun, holding the seal of the living God; and with a loud voice he called out to the four angels to whom it was granted [to have authority and power] to harm the earth and the sea, ³ saying, "Do not harm the earth nor the sea nor the trees until we seal (mark) the bond-servants of our God on their foreheads."

The 144,000

⁴ And I heard how many were sealed, a hundred and forty-four thousand; [twelve thousand] sealed from every tribe of the sons of Israel: ⁵ Twelve thousand were sealed from the tribe of Judah, twelve thousand from the tribe of Reuben, twelve thousand from the tribe of Gad, ⁶ twelve thousand from the tribe of Asher, twelve thousand from the tribe of Naphtali, twelve thousand from the tribe of Manasseh, ⁷ twelve thousand from the tribe of Simeon, twelve thousand from the tribe of Levi, twelve thousand from the tribe of Issachar, ⁸ twelve thousand from the tribe of Zebulun, twelve thousand from the tribe of Joseph, and twelve thousand from the tribe of Benjamin were sealed (marked, redeemed, protected).

A Multitude from the Tribulation

⁹ After these things I looked, and this is what I saw: a vast multitude which no one could count, [gathered] from every nation and from all the tribes and peoples and languages [of the earth], standing before the throne and before the Lamb (Christ), dressed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands; ¹⁰ and in a loud voice they cried out, saying,

"Salvation [belongs] to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb [our salvation is the Trinity's to give, and to God the Trinity we owe our deliverance]."

¹¹ And all the angels were standing around the throne and *around* the [twenty-four] elders and the four living creatures; and they fell to their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹² saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory *and* majesty and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might belong to our God forever and ever. Amen."

¹³ Then one of the elders responded, saying to me, "These who are dressed in the long white robes—who are they, and from where did they come?" ¹⁴ I said to him, "My lord, you know [the answer]." And he said to me, "These are the people who come out of the great tribulation (persecution), and they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb [because of His atoning sacrifice]. ¹⁵ For this reason, they are [standing] before the throne of God; and they serve Him [in worship] day and night in His temple; and He who sits on the throne will spread His tabernacle over them and shelter and protect them [with His presence]. ¹⁶ They will hunger no longer, nor thirst anymore; nor will the sun beat down on them, nor any [scorching] heat; ¹⁷ for the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will be their Shepherd, and He will guide them to springs of the waters of life; and God will wipe every tear from their eyes [giving them eternal comfort]."

Adar [II] is the 13th or last month of the Hebrew spiritual calendar in leap years. The word Adar means "Strength". Since it means strength it is a double portion. It is the month of great favor and rejoicing! It is a time of new identities from GOD. This is the month of Purim, the Story of Esther....... It begins on April 24th and goes to April 25th this year because it is a leap year... therefore it is a double month, (Adar [II] or sometime referred to as Adar B).

Purim is a Jewish holiday that commemorates the deliverance of the Jewish people in the ancient Persian Empire from destruction in the wake of a plot by Haman, a story recorded in the Biblical Book of Esther. The month is related to the tribe of Naphtali- "sweetness to me" says the LORD.

It is the month to gain favor of the LORD and overturn the plans of the enemy so that he is defeated and hung on his own gallows.

We are to experience GOD's goodness and mercy as we develop our war strategy for the future. It is a time to break all decrees against our families as we mount up to destroy the plans of the enemy to destroy us.

Facts

Adar [II] or B is the thirteenth month of the Jewish calendar. Seven of the nineteen years in the cycle of the Jewish calendar are leap years. In those years we add an extra Adar before the regular Adar. We call this extra month Adar I, and the regular Adar becomes Adar [II].

Adar [II] comes at the same time as the secular months March/April. "It's early in the spring. The brown trees of winter have put on gleaming costumes of bright green.... People act a little crazy – shedding heavy clothes while there is still a chill in the air, laughing a little wildly when there is no reason" We've gotten giddy; we've caught spring fever."

Because <u>Purim</u> falls in Adar [II], Adar [II] is the happiest, most joyous month of the Hebrew calendar. Its motto is **"When Adar arrives, joy increases."** Tradition teaches that Adar is so full of joy that it is as if Adar were pregnant with happiness. Indeed, some years we need two Adar's to contain all the joy of Adar.

Purim

Purim is celebrated on the 14th of Adar, marking the day the Jews celebrated their victory over Haman and his cohorts. Because the Jews of the walled city of Shushan fought against their enemies for an extra day, they observed Purim on the 15th of Adar. The rabbis decreed that all cities that were walled at the time of Joshua should observe Purim on the 15th as well. This rule is applied only to <u>Jerusalem</u> where "Shushan Purim" is observed on the 15th to this day.

The story of Purim is told in *Es*ther. (The Book of Esther) is one of two books of the Bible to bear a woman's name. (The other is *Ruth*.) The Hebrew Bible is often referred to by Jews as the *Tanach*, after the initial letters of its three parts: *Torah* (Instruction), *Nevi'im* (Prophets), and *Ketuvim* (Writings). Esther is found in Ketuvim.

Purim is one of the few Jewish holidays celebrating the talents, courage, and dedication of a woman. The story begins when Queen <u>Vashti</u> is banished for refusing to entertain the king's guests, and Esther is chosen in a beauty contest to be the new queen.

Haman, the evil courtier, gets promoted to grand vizier but Mordechai, Esther's uncle, refuses to bow down to him.

Haman decides to take revenge on Mordechai and on all the Jews. He convinces the foolish King Ahasuerus to call for the massacre of all the Jews throughout the kingdom. Purim means "lots" because Haman picked lots to decide precisely when to kill the Jews. Mordechai and Esther devise a plan to foil Haman's evil plot. Esther courageously approaches the king and invites him to a series of parties in Haman's honor. At the third party Esther wines and dines the king, reveals that she is Jewish, and pleads for the life of her people. Haman is hanged, and the Jews are saved.



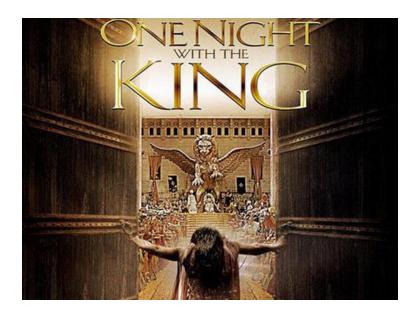
"Now Esther found favor in the eyes of all who saw her". Esther 2:15

As we celebrate the season of the Queen who risks everything to save a nation our LORD wants us to be joyful as we prepare our seeds for spring and till the ground for seedtime and harvest. Stay in alignment with the LORD and move into the season of blessing.

Fabulous Females

Queen Vashti and Queen Esther show tremendous bravery in the Purim story. We will honor them both in Adar [II].

Look for the movie "One night with the King" the story of Esther to be re-aired this month. Buy or rent it.



<u>Dina</u>. Beginning in the second century CE, the twelve calendar months were associated with the twelve tribes of <u>Israel</u>. Adar I is an additional, 13th month which some traditions associate with Dina, <u>Leah</u>'s only daughter, and the youngest of Leah's children.

Dina's story is complicated, and we know little about it. One day she goes out to meet the women of the local Hivite town and ends up entangled with one of the men of the place. Some traditions say that Dina chose freely to spend time with this man; the Torah implies that he imposed himself on her by force. Unfortunately, the Torah does not record Dina's own thoughts and feelings on the matter, and so we are left to speculate.

Dina's story reminds us to be careful and to make good choices in potentially dangerous situations. At the same time, it is very important to understand that when someone is the victim of a crime when he or she was simply going about freely, the victim is innocent. When we or someone we care about are hurt, there can be a tendency to wish that the victim had done something differently so she would not have come in harm's way. But we must remember that the one harmed is not in any way at fault.

Chuck Pierce

This is a great word from Penny Jackson. Read, ponder, and apply to your life..

You have a hard road ahead of you. You all do. There will be such strength and power in what I can do and will do in days ahead. You will see the miraculous. You will see things you have only dreamed of seeing...Old Testament types of miracles and so much more because of Holy Spirit within you.

You will move as an army. Each will have his role, and each will have his tasks, even his miraculous as specific needs arise. It's not a time to look around and see what everyone is doing. You won't need what they need. You won't need the same miracles they need. You will have your own experience and power for how I use you.

Don't get on bandwagons by saying "Let's all go do this". Don't try to do or say what all the groups around you are doing and saying. You are one unit, but you are going in different directions within that unit. Search for your direction alone, for your part. It's like a marriage where each partner has his own life, but they come together to fellowship. They don't try to be with each other. They celebrate their differences as well as their time together. It's not a time for lockstep.

But...make no mistake—You have a hard road ahead. In the midst of the darkness around you these things will begin to happen...the miracles and signs and wonders will occur more openly. As you go about what I have called you to accomplish, I will provide what you need, often supernaturally. But the backdrop to this will be a level of darkness unseen heretofore in this generation.

You will hear My voice clearly when you need to. You will know a thing when you need to know it. You will have a need fulfilled when the need arises because I have need of you and what you will offer during this time. I need you equipped and ready to function. Just as soldiers in the military have the provisions and weapons they need; you will also have what you need when the time comes.

In this time of darkness there will be great light! In My Light, you will see Me more clearly than you ever have. It is in that light that you will be able to go forward, watching My hand at work to bring about My kingdom here on earth. Many won't understand. People who don't have My Spirit within them can't understand, can't comprehend. People are frightened by what they don't understand, and resist what

they see. Many will resist you. You will feel that all around you. But many will be drawn to what they see in you, in how you move in days ahead. And you will have each other. As different as you all are, you will come together in a unity you haven't experienced before. You will have times of fellowship and strengthening one another. My angelic host is fighting beside you and will continue to. And you will feel and know My presence I the midst of the darkness.

This is not a time for fear. I will tell you about it now, so you won't fall into fear. This is all a part of why you are here. You were made for such a time as this. But don't be naive either—You have a hard road ahead of you.



Part 4: Ebionites - The Remnant of the Apostolic Kehilot

A Hebrew Perspective

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The information in this article is from third-party sources that can readily be validated; it is not the opinion of the author. This article is just a very skeletal overview of what scholars have historically called the "**parting of the ways**" between the original apostolic community of Nazarenes / Ebionites and the later authoritative Graeco-Roman (GR) Church. Much of this material may be unfamiliar to you; it is a multifaceted subject that most Christians don't know much about. However, it is central to gaining a historical understanding of the Hebrew roots of Christianity.

In the Book of Acts, James (Jacob), as bishop, issued the final judgment concerning requirements for Gentiles who were joining the Kehillot (Messianic Assemblies). They did not have to convert or be circumcised, but they were instructed to go the synagogues to hear the Torah of Moses, abstain from foods sacrificed to idols (Rev 2:14, 20), etc. (Acts 15:22-30). The Ebionites, in line with the spirit of James' ruling and his NT Epistle, stated that since Yeshua and Moses preached essentially the same message, Gentile followers of Yeshua and Jewish followers of Moses should act as one body and fellowship together. Unfortunately, it didn't happen that way.

We know that Christian writers of the 2nd through 4th centuries connected the Ebionites with the descendants of the first apostolic congregation of Yeshua and James as his successor. Different sources document the Ebionites: the "Church Fathers" from Justin through Epiphanius; writings recovered from Arabic and Syriac manuscripts; and sections of the Pseudo-Clementines reflecting the older traditions.

Originally, early Christian writers sincerely wanted to uncover the teachings of the first apostolic church. But that gradually changed as GR viewpoints became dominant.

...the church fathers present short summaries of their teachings and quotations from their writings, usually in order to confute what they considered to be heretical ideas. The Ebionites appear for the first time in Irenaeus' "Adversus Haereses", written around 180ce... Epiphanius' (wrote the) "Panarion" (ca. 386ce). The Panarion also contains the richest ancient description of the Ebionites. Because Epiphanius was writing at the end of the fourth century, he was able to use all the information about the Ebionites collected by his predecessors (Irenaeus, Hippolytus, Tertullian, Pseudo-Tertullian, Origen and Eusebius), which he supplemented with many details obtained from his contemporaries...practically all heresiologists (heresy hunters) from the second to the fourth century were more or less influenced by the Irenaean tradition.¹ (Emphasis mine)

Main Theological Issues

Justin Martyr (100-165 CE) was one of the earliest witnesses to Ebionite doctrines. He writes in his creative "Dialogue with Trypho the Jew", Dial. 49:1:

(Trypho speaking) It appears to me that they who assert that he [Yeshua] was of human origin, and was anointed as the Messiah only by election, propose a doctrine much more credible than yours. We [Jews] all expect that the Messiah will be a man of merely human origin, and that Elijah will come to anoint him...

[Dial. 67.2] You Christians should be ashamed of yourselves... to repeat the same kind

¹ Peter Petri Luomanen, *Recovering Jewish Christian Sects*, (Brill Publishers, Leiden, 2012), p. 17

of stories [as the Greeks in their myths of virginal births] ...and you should... acknowledge this Yeshua to be a man of mere human origin. If you can prove from the Scriptures that he is the Messiah, confess that he was considered worthy to be chosen as such because of his perfect observance of the Law.

The Virgin Birth vs. Adoptionism: What Made Yeshua a Messiah? One of the most critical issues between the Ebionites and Gentile Christians was the GR Church's creed of the virgin birth. For the Church, it was this miraculous event which transformed Yeshua into a God-Man born as the divine Son of God (consubstantiation).

Divine conception stories were well-known in the ancient pagan world. Addressing the Roman emperor and court philosophers in "First Apology 22", Justin Martyr pointed out that Yeshua' virgin birth should not be considered "extraordinary" vis-a-vis GR deities, including the myth of Perseus (and others like Adonis, Dionysus, Mithra, etc.)

"When we say, as before, that he was begotten by God as the Word of God in a unique manner beyond ordinary birth, this should be no strange thing for you who speak of Hermes as the announcing word from God.... If we declare that he was born of a virgin, you should consider this something in common with Perseus".

Indeed, many scholars state that, at the time of several parallel pantheons of gods, a virgin birth was thought to be a prerequisite for divinity.

There is no doubt that in early Christianity a tension was perceived between the Davidic descent of Yeshua on the one hand, and his virginal conception by Mary on the other. The genealogies in Matthew and Luke both trace Yeshua' Davidic descent through Joseph, not Mary, and thereby only make the tension more acute. We can already observe in Ignatius an attempt to relieve the tension by <u>making Mary also an offspring of David</u>. But this "solution" to the problem only serves to emphasize that it was a very real one.² (Emphasis mine)

The Hellenist Gentiles could not read the Tanakh in the original Hebrew, so they only used the Greek text (the Septuagint). The NT used by Christians was also written in the lingua franca of Koine Greek. When the Gospel of Matthew quotes Isaiah 7:14, it uses the Septuagint term "parthenos" commonly understood as "virgin." This term differs from the early Hebrew Dead Sea Scrolls biblical text (c. 200 BCE) also reflected in the Masoretic Hebrew Tanakh; they both use the word "almah," properly translated as "young woman". This significant difference in meaning sparked an irreconcilable controversy. For the Gentile Christians, the Septuagint Isaiah passage was brought forward to provide prophetic proof for Yeshua' virgin birth.

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² Oskar Skarsaune and Redar Hvalvik, editors, *Jewish Believers in Jesus – The Early Centuries*, (Hendrickson Publishers, Peabody MA 2007) p. 411

Irenaeus (120-202 CE of Lyon) was the earliest extant Gentile Christian heresiologist. Called the "Father of Catholic Orthodoxy", he wrote a voluminous, foundational work called "Adversus Haereses" c. 180, gathering much material about Ebionites. He stated that the Ebionites declared Yeshua was the Messiah based on his Davidic line of descent from Joseph and his anointing at baptism, rejecting the virgin birth story. They maintained that the word "alma" is translated as "young woman" in Isa 7:14 and explicitly identified Joseph as Yeshua' father (Haer. 3.21.1). Ebionites asserted that, according to the Tanakh, Israelite kingship must always descend through the male line. They said that Yeshua was anointed as the "adopted son" of God <u>at his baptism</u> when God's Spirit descended upon him. Irenaeus excoriated them for this doctrine.

"Vain are also the Ebionites who do not receive by faith into their soul the union of God and man, but remain in the old leaven of (human) generatio; and who do not wish to understand that the Holy Spirit came in Mary...therefore also what was generated [generatum] is...the Son of the Most High God...who wrought his incarnation and displayed a new generation [novam ostendit generationem]; that as by the former generation we inherited death, so by this generation we might inherit life. Therefore do these men reject the commixture of the heavenly wine and wish it to be water of the world only, not receiving God so as to have union with him..." (Irenaeus Adv. Haer. 5.1.3)

This paraphrase, combining ideas in John 1:13 and Luke 1:35, clearly <u>transposes the</u> <u>role of the Spirit from Yeshua' baptism to his birth</u>. It was then that the Spirit played a decisive role, therefore the son of Mary was Son of God from his birth, not from his baptism. For Irenaeus, the ideas of virginal conception/birth and divine pre-existence and subsequent incarnation belong inseparably together. ...the essential catchword...is generatio, origin, birth, descent, ancestry, parentage, and genealogy. The Ebionites want a human-only ancestry of the Messiah; they fail to recognize <u>the necessity of the Messiah's divine ancestry</u>.³ (Emphasis mine)

Eusebius (260-339 CE) lived in Caesaria and wrote "Ecclesiastical History" in 325 CE. He apparently had more contact with Ebionites in what was Palestine at that time. He verifies the Ebionite teachings regarding Yeshua's humanity as recorded by Irenaeus.

For they considered him a plain and common man, who was justified only because of his superior virtue, and who was the fruit of the intercourse of a man with Mary. In their opinion the observance of the ceremonial law was altogether necessary, on the ground that they could not be saved by faith in Christ alone and by a corresponding (law-free)

³ Oskar Skarsaune and Redar Hvalvik, editors, *Jewish Believers in Jesus, The Early Centuries,* Hendrickson Publishers, Peabody MA 2007) p 430, 434

life. "Book 3. Ch 27" (Emphasis mine)

<u>The Hebrew "Adoptionist" view</u> reflects a long traditional precedent of the spirit of God descending upon prophets. A prophetic anointing happened by the descent of God's spirit upon Yeshua at his baptism by his cousin John, whose role was more pivotal than disclosed in the NT. At that time, Yeshua was "adopted" as YHWH's son and anointed for a special purpose (see Isa 42:1; PS 2:7; and especially Romans 9:4 where Paul speaks: "...who are Israelites, whose is the <u>divine adoption as sons..."</u>).

It is interesting to note that the Gospel of Matthew [ed. note: not the canonical Matthew], the only gospel used by the Ebionites according to Irenaeus, is the one gospel that most emphatically casts John the Baptist in the role of the-prophet-like-Elijah, Matt 11:14; 17:12 (cf. Mark 9:13; Matthew adds: "and they did not recognize him"). It is also interesting to note that Justin seems to know a tradition that portrays the Baptist as the prophet-like-Elijah who anoints Yeshua to be the Messiah, according to the prophecy in Isa 11:2-3 (Justin himself does not think in these terms about Yeshua' baptism by John) (Dial. 49-54 and 87-88).⁴

Yeshua was chosen to be the Messiah based on his perfect following of what is called "keter Torah", the <u>higher</u> or <u>authentic uncorrupted</u> Torah given by Elohim to Moses. Recall Yeshua's NT reproof of the Pharisees for their "traditions of men", declaring their extra-biblical rules equal in force and sanctity to the actual Law of Moses.

As the Righteous One (saddiq), the only man who has completely fulfilled the law, Yeshua has been appointed to be the Christ (Hippolytus, Origen, Epiphanius)...Yeshua fulfilled the law as man, not as Son of God (huios theou) but as Son of man (huios anthropou). He was consecrated for Messiahship and endowed with the power of God not through real pre-existence but through the act of adoption which was announced in Psalm 2:7 and which occurred at the time of his baptism, i.e., through the Holy Spirit present in the water of the baptismal bath. This "adoptionism" - in (Clementines) Recognitions 1.48 it is said that Yeshua is he qui in aquis baptismi filius a deo appellatus est ("who in the waters of baptism was called Son by God") - developed from ideas current in the primitive church...Consequently, the Clementines know no other Christology than the adoptionism of the appellation ("calling") to divine son-ship of the one who was born as a man.⁵ (Emphasis mine)

John the Baptist and Yeshua baptized people with water for remission of their sins after they had sincerely repented and turned back to following "The Way" of Torah. (ref. Mark

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⁴ ibid. p 430

⁵ Hans Joachim Schoeps, Jewish Christianity: Factional Disputes in the Early Church, (Fortress Press, Philadelphia, 1969) p. 77

1:4, Luke 3:3, Matt 3:6 and John 4:1.) Therefore, the Ebionites continued the teachings of the Patriarchs that it was this water baptism symbolizing the return in obedience to God that replaced the pagan-inspired sacrificial system.

<u>Salvation and Atonement: Blood of Christ or Torah?</u> As we know, Paul writes: "For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed" (1 Cor 5:7). Justification for Gentile Christians came through Yeshua's blood on the cross, "by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Yeshua, whom God put forward as a sacrifice of atonement by his blood" (Rom 3:24-25). For Paul and the GR Church, it was the belief in the sacrificial death and blood of Christ alone that provided forgiveness of sins.

Jewish Christianity clearly knows as little of a supernatural birth as of a soteriological interpretation of Yeshua' death on the cross, such as the view which regarded Yeshua as a vicarious atoning sacrifice. Since they rejected bloody sacrifices altogether as crass paganism, the Ebionite Yeshua can neither have taught this nor by his death have put his seal on it - in contrast with the tradition of the primitive church preserved in I Corinthians 15:3...they celebrated the Lord's Supper as a mere remembrance of table-fellowship with Yeshua and replaced the cup of blood with a cup of water (according to Irenaeus and Epiphanius).⁶

Epiphanius makes a startling statement about Yeshua's admonition regarding the sacrificial system as preserved by Ebionites in their gospel that he personally read.

They say that Yeshua was begotten of human seed, and chosen, and thus called by election Son of God, Christ having come upon him from on high in the form of a dove.... He came into the world, and he taught, as it is written in their gospel: <u>I have come into the world to destroy sacrifices</u>, and if you do not give up sacrificing the anger of God shall not cease (Panarion XXX, 16).⁷ (Emphasis mine)

There are several references regarding Yeshua's destruction of the sacrificial system in the Clementines and the Church Father's quotations from their gospel(s).

...the reason the Ebionites were bound to reject emphatically the Pauline soteriology, which conceived of Yeshua' death as a bloody, atoning sacrifice, becomes even clearer. In their view, Christianity had been freed from the Jewish sacrificial worship not through the universally efficacious sacrifice of the Son of God, as the church which followed Paul believed, but rather through the water of baptism whereby Yeshua had extinguished the fire of the sacrificial cult.

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⁶ ibid. p. 62

⁷ Jean Danielou, Theology of Jewish Christianity, (Darton, Longman & Todd Ltd, London, 1964) p. 56

Concerning the genesis of this Ebionite antipathy toward sacrifices... in Yeshua' day there was probably still a hazy recollection that the sacrificial legislation was the product of Josiah's reform and of the exilic age and <u>had been inserted into the Mosaic legislation for the first time under Ezra.</u> This is supported by the statements of the Kerygmata Petrou and the note of Epiphanius which affirm that according to Ebionite belief, <u>Moses received a Pentateuch different from the present one; the latter, written a thousand years after Moses</u>, has been falsified.

...According to (Pseudo-Clementines) Recognitions 1.35 ff., the real point of Yeshua' mission is the annulling of the sacrificial law <u>combined with complete loyalty to and affirmation of the rest of the Mosaic law</u>. Animal sacrifice, it is claimed, was permitted on a temporary basis by Moses only because of the people's hardness of heart; Yeshua abolished it and replaced the blood of sacrificial animals with the water of baptism. Thus the logion of Matthew 5:17 reads in the Gospel of the Ebionites..."I have come to annul sacrifice, and if you will not cease to sacrifice the wrath will not turn from you."

They understood] Yeshua' policy of not changing anything in the law as not covering the regulations concerning bloody animal sacrifice. Heaven and earth - so reads Homilies 3.52 on the basis of the "Judaistic" statement of Matthew 5:18 - have not passed away, but the sacrifices, the monarchy...and all such things which have not belonged to the divine law and consequently have proved false, have passed away in the catastrophe of A.D. 70.8 (Emphasis mine)

Epiphanius records quotations from their own gospels which are quite different from the NT canons. In Panarion 30.15.1, he states that the Ebionites used "Clement's so-called Circuits of Peter" (Periodoi Petrou) "though they corrupt the contents and leave a few genuine items." They also read the "Ascents of James" (Anabathmoi Iakobou) which he describes as "full of nonsense".

Scholars connect these writings to lost material that underlie the extant Pseudo-Clementine Recognitions and Homilies. But one section, Rec. 1.33 to 1.71, clearly incorporates a more ancient, distinctive source. How so? Because the theology of this section differs significantly from the Clementine writings as a whole which were copied and edited circa the late third century. Finally, after much debate, most researchers now acknowledge this section is dependent on the Ebionite "Ascents of James".

The report of Epiphanius... furnishes us with enough evidence to relate our source to the Ascents of James he describes. In his Panarion, the last (c. 377) and most comprehensive of all early Christian heresiologies, Epiphanius devoted a long chapter to

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⁸ Hans Joachim Schoeps, Jewish Christianity: Factional Disputes in the Early Church, (Fortress Press, Philadelphia, 1969) p. 82, 83

the Ebionites. As the text of Pan. 30.16.6-9 is important for comparison to R 1.33-71, it would be well to reproduce it here...

"(16.6) They call other works 'Acts of the Apostles,' in which there are many things full of impiety, from which they arm themselves in no cursory fashion against the truth. (7) Indeed, they adopt certain ascents and interpretations in the Anabathmoi Iakobou [[Ascents of James]], as speaking out against both the temple and the sacrifices, and against the fire which is on the altar, and many other things full of foolish talk; (8) and also in that work they are not ashamed with trumped up charges of evil-doing and deceit made by their false apostles accusing Paul of being a Tarsian [ed. note: not born Jewish as he claimed] (9)...and that he wrote against circumcision, and against sabbath and the Mosaic law."

Why were sacrifices allowed if this system was not commanded by God at Mt. Sinai?

In the Pseudo-Clementine Recognitions. Israel had learned to sacrifice to idols in Egypt (36.1). As a concession to Israel's weakness, Moses permitted sacrifices "to God alone" (36.1, Latin) until Israel should learn from the promised prophet like Moses (i.e., Yeshua) that God desires mercy and not sacrifice (37.2)...: "Whenever they observed the law without sacrifices, they were restored (to the land) and ransomed . . . Whenever they... returned to their place (i.e., the land) and offered sacrifices, they were thrust out and were cast forth from it, so that they might cease sacrificing forever" (37.4). The prophet like Moses instructed Israel to cease sacrifices, and lest they conclude that forgiveness of sins would no longer be possible, he instituted baptism by water (39.2).¹⁰ So, according to the Ebionites, part of Yeshua's mission was to show the people how to connect with the spirit of YHWH by walking in "The Way" of righteousness and justice as delineated by the Decalogue of the Torah and spoken of extensively in the DSS. Recognitions 1.39.1-2 states:

"[The prophet like Moses] would first of all admonish them... to cease with sacrifices. Lest they think that with the ceasing of the sacrifices remission of sins could not be effected for them, [he] instituted for them baptism by water, in which they might be absolved from all sins through the invocation of his name... [so that] henceforth following a perfect life they might remain in immortality, purified not through the blood of animals but through the purification of God's wisdom."

The Tanakh contains evidence that the sacrifices were not commanded by YHWH.

⁹ Robert E. Van Vorst, *The Society of Biblical Literature, Dissertation Series 112,* 1989, p. 44

¹⁰ Oskar Skarsaune and Redar Hvalvik, editors, *Jewish Believers in Jesus, The Early Centuries*, (Hendrickson Publishers, Peabody MA 2007) p. 319

For I did not speak to your fathers, or command them on the day that I brought them out of the land of Egypt, concerning burnt offerings and sacrifices. (Jer 7:22)

For I desire mercy, not sacrifice, and acknowledgement of God rather than burnt offerings. (Hos. 6:6)

'The multitude of your sacrifices—what are they to me?' says YHWH. 'I have more than enough of burnt offerings, of rams and the fat of fattened animals; I have no pleasure in the blood of bulls and lambs and goats' (Isa 1:11).

Sacrifice and meal offering You do not desire, nor do You delight in them; You have opened my ears and given me the capacity to hear [and obey Your word]; Burnt offerings and sin offerings You do not require. (Ps 40:6 amplified)

With what shall I come before YHWH and bow down before the exalted God? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? ...He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. (Mic 6:6, 8).

When Moses recounted the Ten Sayings God spoke to Israel, he also reminded them:

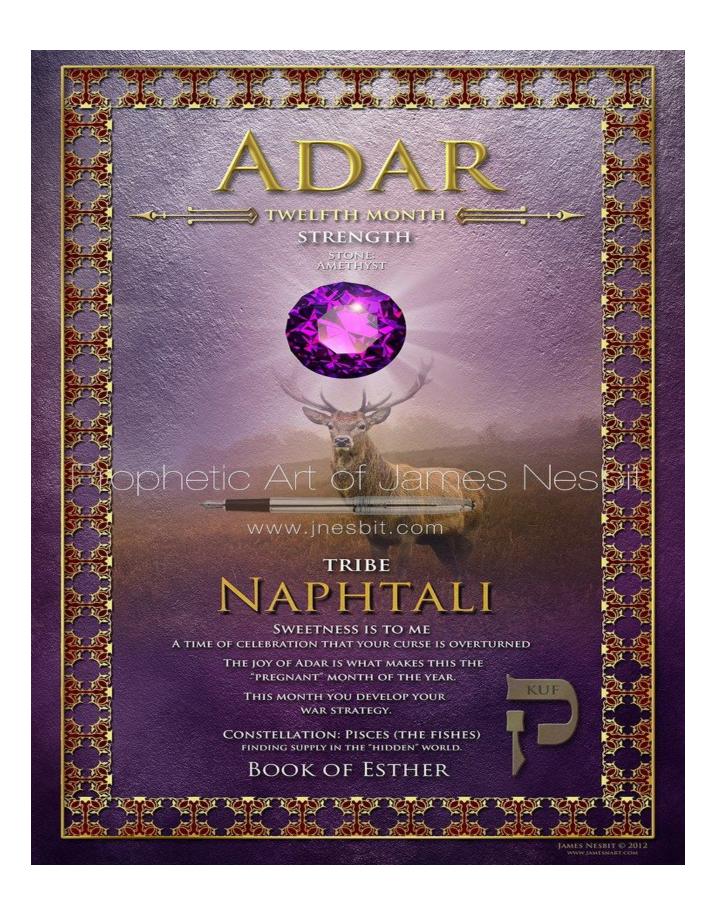
"These words the YHWH spoke to all your assembly at the mountain out of the midst of the fire, the cloud, and the thick darkness, with a loud voice; and he added no more. And he wrote them on two tablets of stone and gave them to me." (Deut 5:22)

Intriguingly, a scroll of the book of Deuteronomy looking very much like the Dead Sea Scrolls was discovered in 1880 just east of the Jordan River opposite Qumran. Scholars are calling it "The Moses Scroll" or the "Valediction of Moses". It was written in paleo Hebrew dated to c. 950 BCE and was different in several ways from our current Masoretic version: the complete blessings and curses were written, but no sacrifices or other legal tenets were commanded. Could this be the original scroll that existed before the exilic insertion of the sacrificial cult under Ezra of which the Ebionites spoke?

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Adar [II] 1, 5784: Monday March 11, 2924

Matt Friesser: Rosh Chodesh Adar [II]

Adar means to be majestic or wide, or the verb הדר (adar), to be majestic or glorify. Interesting that Tradition relates that Moses passed away on 7 Adar.

According to the Jewish Encyclopedia - Death of Moses. After all this was accomplished Moses was warned that he would not be permitted to lead Israel across the Jordan but would die on the eastern side (Num. xx. 12). He therefore assembled the tribes and delivered to them a parting address, which forms the Book of Deuteronomy. In this address it is commonly supposed that he recapitulated the Law, reminding them of its most important features. When this was finished, and he had pronounced a blessing upon the people, he went up Mount Nebo to the top of Pisgah, looked over the country spread out before him, and died, at the age of one hundred and twenty. YHVH Himself buried him in an unknown grave (Deut. xxxiv.). Moses was thus the human instrument in the creation of the Israelitish nation; he communicated to it all its laws. Meeker than any other man (Num. xii. 3), he enjoyed unique privileges, for "there hath not arisen a prophet since in Israel like unto Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face" (Deut. xxxiv. 10).

Face to Face with YHVH — the all-consuming fire Notice Moses was labeled meeker than any other man. "The beauty of humility. It allows the bearer to stand in confidence in everything they are, while at the same time separating them from everything they are not. Humility causes those who love it to shine in brilliance. It breeds boldness and mercy, gentleness and strength, justice and loving kindness. Humility causes us to walk as those who know who we are; never second guessing, never over-stepping, always present in mind, heart, and body in the moments we were created to transform. Humility empowers. The very nature of humility is to rise in truth. Let's enter into the fullness of humility; love and cultivate it in our lives. The brilliance of God shines there." (Elisabeth Cooper)

Adar [II] is also the 13th month of the Hebrew calendar, so Moses who stood before the fire of the burning bush, Mt Sinai and the pillar of fire died during the month of fire. His death led to the transition to Jacob and entering the promise land. That speaks volumes to what we are entering into as we get to the middle of the Gregorian calendar of March.

March is well-known proverb means that March is a month in which you can experience a Lion's fierce roar of frigid cold, the long white teeth of biting winds that can cut through flesh, and the gentle softness, the warmth of fluffy white fleece, and the innocent kiss of sunshine like a docile newborn lamb.

Seems very true as we look at the spiritual transition right now. We must be vigilant to seek HIS perfect will so HE can align us. Humility will be a key factor in how much HE will bestow upon us. Ultimately just like Moses, our heart will be tested, but stand firm as the rewards will be greater than anything else we face.

Paul Keith Davis

THE KINGDOM OF GOD-LOYALTY & DESTRUCTION PROPHETIC WORDS

Recently in a dream or vision of the night, I found myself, Keith, Bob Jones and two other prophetic men gathered together in a small room when a glorious thing began to occur. As we were standing there, our gaze and attention was immediately drawn to a tangible divine cloud that supernaturally appeared above our heads. As I reached to touch it with my hand, I inquired of the others, "do you see it?" A genuine Presence of the Lord could be discerned manifested in the room. Subsequently, small white particles began to fall to the floor from the cloud. I immediately began to gather them and questioned Bob if it would be okay to eat them directly from the floor. He counseled me that it would. They were sticking together like cotton candy only they were not actually of a sticky texture. As I opened my mouth to consume them, Keith announced, "The Kingdom of God is Loyalty and Destruction." (Matthew Chapters. 5-7)

APPLICATION

We must lay hold of the Kingdom of God with steadfast loyalty and devotion and alleviate the justice of God that cries out for the destruction of rebellion and unbelief. He is the Kingdom and His Word is the expression of who He is. We must know it and understand it so we are not found in the condition described in Luke 19:39-44.

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, rebuke Your disciples." But Yeshua answered, "I tell you, if these become silent, the stones will cry out!" When He approached Jerusalem, He saw the city and wept over it, saying, "If you had known in this day, even you, the things which make for peace! But now they have been hidden from your eyes. For the days will come upon you when your enemies will throw up a barricade against you, and surround you and hem you in on every side, and they will level you to the ground and your children within you, and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because you did not recognize the time of your visitation." (Luke 19:39-44)

Our earnest prayer should be for the grace to recognize the day of our visitation, so we do not partake of this destruction because we did not discern it. For forty years, from the time of John the Baptist to the destruction of Jerusalem, divine opportunity of grace and mercy was extended for the people to comprehend their day of visitation, but they would not.

No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. (Matt 6:24

In this passage the term "serve" (doulevein) means to "belong wholly to and be entirely under command to" some master. We will either serve with a spirit of loyalty the Lord or some other substitute...but our hearts will be yielded to something. Let it be the One worthy of our devotion.

We cannot partake of the table of the Lord and the table of mammon. Serving two masters is contrary to the "single eye" with which His people are to be endowed. One leads to Life, the other to destruction. Unto You I lift up my eyes, O You who dwell in the heavens. Behold, as the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters, as the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until He has mercy on us. (Ps 123:1-2)

Our hearts cannot focus and be consumed with the treasures of this earth and the treasures of heaven hidden in Christ. We cannot base our actions on pleasing men, but rather God. There is "hidden manna" reserved for this day that can only be discovered in His Presence manifested to the "loyal" hearts of His seeking people.

In 1 Kings 3:16-27, the wisdom of God was displayed through Solomon to reveal the motives of the hearts of the two women of this passage. The pretending mother was willing to permit the child to be put to death if she were not allowed to have him. The "loyal" mother was willing to sacrifice her position to allow the child to live and reach his destiny. One was a heart of loyalty the other leading to destruction.

It is dangerous to set the longing affections of our hearts upon riches, seeing it is so easy to make them our God. Those who are satisfied with the world and its enjoyments do not seek contentment in the favor of God. Without question, the Lord came to give us Life abundantly with favor and blessing. Nonetheless, those things can only truly be found in Him and a "loyal" life wholly submitted to Him in truth.

Enter through the narrow gate; for the gate is wide and the way is broad that leads to destruction, and there are many who enter through it. For the gate is small and the way is narrow that leads to life, and there are few who find it. Matthew 7:13-14

HO! Everyone who thirsts, come buy and eat. Yes, come buy wine & milk without money and without price. Why do you spend money for what is not bread, and your wages for what does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourself in abundance. Incline your ear and come to me. Listen, that you may live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you, according to the faithful mercies shown to David. (Isaiah 55:1-3)

We cannot excuse ourselves for not knowing Him because we are poor, nor can the rich boast that they have bought salvation. The Lord desires to bless His people with all manner of favor and prosperity but from a heart that is wholly His, having yielded our will to the will of the Father.

Adar [II] 2, 5784: Tuesday March 12, 2024

I heard the Spirit say, "WATCH FOR THE SONS OF ISSACHAR WILL ARISE WITH THE SECRET STRATEGIES AND HIDDEN MYSTERIES OF MY GLORY THAT WILL OVERTURN & OVERTHROW THE DEMONIC SCHEMES OF THE SONS OF ISHMAEL"

Nate Johnston

This is for those who are on the VERGE of territorial breakthrough where God is leading you to acquire both spiritual and physical territory, but it has been heavily contested.

You have said "why am I experiencing so much warfare over this, it's no big deal?" but you don't yet see the legacy attached to your faith steps and the wave of transformation coming from your yes to go where none have before. In the contention is what feels like a holding pattern, and this is where doubt, fears, and defeat try to come in.

"Did God really say?" but I want to prophesy over you that you ARE NOT STUCK, YOU ARE NOT LOST, & YOU ARE NOT GOING BACKWARDS, because God only takes you from GLORY TO GLORY! Now watch and see the SWIFT deliverance of the Lord in every space you have encountered resistance and fear.

You WILL go forward, you WILL break out of the waiting, and you WILL SEE what He promised you in Yeshua name!



I HAD A VISION WHERE I SAW YESHUA REDEEMING TIME FOR HIS PEOPLE!!!!

By Lana Vawser Ministries on Dec 17, 2023, 08:05 pm

This morning, I had a vision where I saw many of God's people with heavy hearts and they were turning around behind them and looking at this season. They were looking at all that had happened in this season, and things they were still going through.

Those constant cycles, hits, trials, pressure, and longing for breakthrough. I saw many of God's people looking at the 'clock' and they were SIGHING LOUDLY over such deep grief of feeling like 'so much time was lost and taken' in this season through such vicious opposition and trial. I saw the word 'REGRET' coming towards God's people: that through the 'entertaining/focusing on the disappointments, disillusionment, pain and grief of this season' that REGRET would take hold and bind them up in chains.

I could hear the heart cries of God's people, 'What did I do wrong Lord?' 'Where did I miss it?' 'Where did I go wrong?' 'What didn't I do to still be in this place of such deep hardship, pain and pressure?' 'Please show me Lord, what have I missed that has prolonged my breakthrough?'

The more God's people were putting their eyes upon all the 'swirling heart cries of disappointment/grief' etcetera, I saw the enemy coming into those areas and feeding his lies and poisonous whispers, 'God doesn't want your breakthrough!' 'The breakthrough is for everyone else but you.' And if God's people agreed with these lies, I saw CHAINS being formed around them.

But then... HE CAME!!!!! He showed up in all His glory, all His majesty, emanating such LOVE and FREEDOM. He stood before His people with such compassion in His eyes.

The TRUTH of His heart was SO LOUD — LOUDER than the SIGHS of the PAST God's people were looking at. His EYES, full of SUCH LOVE, communicated SO LOUDLY!!! 'I'm here!!!! I am working on ALL THINGS for your good! I am RIGHTING WRONG TURNS!!! I am UNBLOCKING DELAYS!!! I am making your paths straight as you seek Me and delve into My Word. As you live laid down with your YES to Me, I am bringing SWIFT divine alignment. I am ALL FOR your BREAKTHROUGH!!!! I AM BREAKTHROUGH!!!!! Trust ME!!!'

He then knelt down before them and spoke, 'LIFT UP YOUR EYES!!!! LOOK AT ME!!! RENEW YOUR MIND!!!!!! LOOK AT ME!!!!'

I could then hear 2 Corinthians 10:5 being decreed all around. 'We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.'

As God's people heard the truth of this Scripture, I saw many saying, 'I'm tired of fighting, Lord!!' 'I don't think I have the strength to keep fighting.' Yeshua bent forward and He blew upon them. Instantly STRENGTH AND GRACE was imparted to them.

I watched God's people begin to stand with their eyes WIDE OPEN and FULL of REVELATION. They were staring RIGHT AT HIM, and I could see WONDER and REVELATION being released to them. Without words — simply being in His presence, seeing His glory — they were being TRANSFORMED. They were SEEING HIM in His GOODNESS, His beauty, His kindness, His love and POWER.

As the REVELATION KNOWLEDGE of who He is began to fill them more and more, crash over them like a refreshing waterfall, they began to TEAR DOWN the arguments that had raised themselves against the KNOWLEDGE of who HE IS.

Such deep HEALING, FREEDOM and INCREASE was taking place. I could hear in the Spirit, 'YOU ARE BEING MARKED BY JOY!!!' Hope was rising again!!!! The confident expectation of what HE is doing and what He is ABOUT to do. I could feel the JOY so strongly, and I could see spirits BUBBLING with excitement, like having butterflies in their stomachs. The FLUTTERS of TRANSFORMATION and NEW LIFE.

I then saw Yeshua walk over to a CLOCK, the very CLOCK that many of God's people had been looking at with such deep grief, anxiety, and sadness over 'time that was lost.' I saw Him BLOW on the clock and suddenly the 'hands on the clock came alive.' He touched the hands of the clock, and He began to move them back. I watched as 'time was going backwards.' The sense surrounded me how the Lord is completely OUTSIDE TIME!!!!! I KNEW so deep in My Spirit, He was TURNING 'DARK NIGHTS' into DAY!!!!

As He moved the hands, He turned and looked at His people, with a SPARKLE in His eye. With such joy and excitement, *He spoke, 'I AM REDEEMING TIME!!!!!! Where you feel like time was lost, where the enemy has caused you to face so much torment in a season, where you feel like you did not 'get out of a season' what I had for you, I am now REDEEMING TIME!!!! Especially the hardship many of you have faced in the last three months, in the next three months, will be ADDED BACK TO YOU in blessing, increase, breakthrough, restoration and healing.*

In the next three months, you will begin to see in greater ways the RESTORATION of My hand for ALL that you have walked. All that was stolen. The next three months I am SETTING THE STAGE for some of the greatest breakthrough. Over the next three months, you will begin to TAKE OFF. You will be SET UP for all that I am releasing. NOTHING has been lost as I am the RESTORER of all things. I am releasing RESURRECTION LIFE and VINDICATION, INCREASE, HEALING and BREAKTHROUGH to you.

More opportunities will come to you in this next three months than all the CLOSED DOORS of this season!!!!! You will see MORE ADDED TO YOU in this next three months and beyond, than you LOST over the last three months and this season. REJOICE!!! I am REDEEMING TIME!!!'

Adar [II] 3, 5784: Wednesday March 13, 2024

Andrew Towe: "The Era of Advancing and Conquering Territories"

I heard the Spirit of the Lord say, "This is the era of advancing and conquering territories. I have released a militant mantle upon My Church. I am raising up watchmen to come forth and take their position. I have given them authority to dispossess the enemy from the land. Start building the wall around the territory I have given you! Keep the enemy out! Build with a hammer in one hand and your sword in the other. Refuse to be distracted. Keep your eyes on Me and remain focused on what I have promised you.

"My children, your promises speak, and they do not lie; they are coming forth. The battle has intensified because you are so close to stepping over into the territory of your promise. The enemy cannot stop My word from coming to pass. Hold on! Do not cast away your confidence. Keep steady and stand strong in faith. Faith is what pleases Me. It is only by faith that you will occupy the land.

"Get ready for new battle plans and prophetic strategies. The methods that gained you victory in a past season will not succeed in this one. Keep your ear tuned to My voice. Do not grow weary. You are closer than you realize. You will gain ground and taste My reward. Indeed, you will feast on the spoils of the enemy IF you do not quit. In the midst of great warfare, I declare it is harvest time for you."

Get Ready to Be Relaunched! You Will Have Complete Victory

The alarm has sounded, and you are in an "all hands-on deck" moment. Your



name has been called to report for active duty, for God is reviving His Church. The warrior Bride is awakening from her slumber. This is the hour when Ecclesia will confront the spirit of this age and take the land.

Possessing the land will require you to dispossess the giants currently inhabiting what God has promised you. Walk in boldness, knowing that Heaven is backing you. God is turning your failures from the past into your greatest triumphs, as He did for Joshua and the children of Israel. Get ready to be RELAUNCHED! You will have COMPLETE VICTORY.

When God announced to Joshua that it was time for the children of Israel to cross over and possess their territory, He made a way for them. He parted the

waters of the Jordan for them to pass through on dry ground. Before they conquered the territory, He commanded them to circumcise their flesh. Their flesh needed to be subdued and brought under the authority of God before their promise could be taken.

After this, Joshua received an unusual battle plan from the Lord to take the city of Jericho. God instructed them to march in complete silence around the city once for six days, and on the seventh day, they were to march seven times; and when the priests blew the trumpet, they were to shout, and the walls would fall. They obeyed the prophetic strategy, and God did exactly what He had promised. Besides the battle plan God had given them, He also instructed them to destroy everything in the city except Rehab, who had hidden the spies and helped them to escape (Josh. 6).

No More Compromise

Israel's next conquest would be the city of Ai. After surveying the land, the scouts advised Joshua that only a small division of the army was needed to ensure the victory. Much to their shock, Israel was defeated by Ai, and 36 warriors were killed in the battle. The people were devastated after the loss, "...wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water" (Josh. 7:5). In other words, their hearts became unstable.

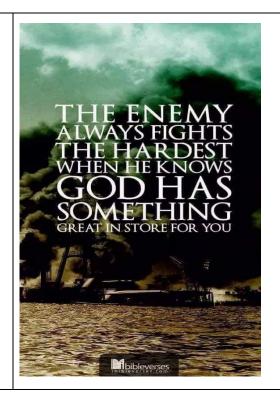
Joshua sought the Lord for the cause of their defeat, and the Lord told him that sin had come into the camp of Israel. Joshua traced the sin down to a man named Achan. He had stolen from Jericho even after God declared that nothing was to be taken. God told Joshua, "...for they have even taken of the accursed thing, and have also stolen, and dissembled also, and they have put it even among their own stuff" (Josh. 7:11).

I have prophesied many times that God is bringing EXPOSURE, and hidden things will be revealed. Unrepentant leaders will be exposed and removed from high positions. God is bringing purity back into the Church—no more pollution or mixing of the consecrated with the corrupted. Achan had "mixed" the accursed thing with his own stuff! God says, "NO MORE COMPROMISE."

People of War – This Is Your Day for a Turnaround!

After dealing with the sin, God gave Joshua a new strategy for the second battle against Ai. He is doing the same for you! **He's giving you a new strategy for victory over the battle in which you were previously defeated.**

Joshua's battle plan was to divide the warriors to ambush the men of Ai. He instructed 30,000 men to go behind the city and wait until the right moment, while Joshua and the others positioned themselves west of Ai. Then Joshua led his group to the city gates, and when the men of Ai saw them, they all came out of the city in hot pursuit of Joshua and his warriors. Joshua and his men fled before them to draw them away from the city, giving time for the warriors who waited in ambush to enter the city. THEY TOOK TERRITORY! Suddenly, Joshua and his men turned around and began to battle the men of Ai.



God instructed Joshua not to take a few, as he had the first time, but to "take all the people of war" (Josh. 8:1). Take note of how God described His people! He called them "the people of war." He didn't refer to them as failures or sinners. No, they were conquering warriors. This time, they would win the fight.

That is what I call a turnaround! The hunted become the hunters; the defeated become the victors. God is doing the same for you. I prophesy, THIS IS YOUR DAY FOR A TURNAROUND!

Adar [II] 4, 5784: Thursday March 14, 2024 "YOU ARE BEING RAISED UP TO TAKE GROUND!" ALANE HAYNES, SAN DIEGO, CA

Five years ago, the Lord gave me this word, and I believe it is a word for many today.

I heard clearly, "I am a Way Maker! Tell My people, DO NOT GIVE UP HOPE! I am THE Way Maker and bondage breaker, and even those bondages from generations past shall be broken. For I am raising you up and sending you forth to bring inheritance to desolate places."

Thus saith the LORD, In an acceptable time have I heard thee, and in a day of salvation have I helped thee: and I will preserve thee, and give thee for a covenant of the people, to establish the earth, to cause to inherit the desolate heritages...And I will make all My mountains a way, and My highways shall be exalted." (Is. 49:8, 11 KJV)

Many have been or are currently in very hard places and extreme trials. Even in the nation, we are seeing much turmoil and unrest. But GOD! In the hardest of places, life will come forth. Those mountains that seem immovable shall be removed. I am hearing the Lord say, "Stay the course; keep your heart aligned to My love and My promises, and you will see Me move mightily. Many have been feeling shifting and shaking, even to the point of emotional quaking, and I say this will become ground for taking in the days ahead."

Some have sensed they are moving to a place that seems, in the natural, like moving backward, but I hear the Lord say, "This is not a move backward, but for the taking of

ground that was not ready to be taken in seasons past. Now is the time, and you are being sent back with fresh anointing and an increase of grace for this place. You have been through times of purifying, and the glory you carry into the places of My sending will cause a restructuring and elevation for alignment and reorder."

Some are feeling the burden of the Lord, crying out day and night for many of the issues pressing upon your heart. I am hearing the Lord say that in the days to come, He will be arranging divine appointments with those of you that carry the same burden. Even now, He is positioning people and resources for the work that He has purposed for you in this hour. You are being put in position to bring forth fruit in the earth, the purposes and plans from eternity that were planned for you for this very time and season.

"For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Yeshua unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them." (Ephesians 2:10 KJV)

The shakings and siftings are bringing about divine order; you WILL bring forth inheritance to desolate places!

Adar [II] 5, 5784: Friday March 15, 2024



In March of 2022, as I was going about my day doing some household chores, seemingly out of the blue, the Lord spoke to me, "It's time for restoration." His statement stopped me in my tracks as I felt the words permeate my entire being. In that moment, His tangible presence filled the atmosphere, and I knew that restoration for me personally truly had just begun.

Upon receiving this word and having His presence invade my space in such a tangible way, I was excited and right away wanted to share the word with His people. Although I partially shared it with a few close friends, He instructed me to wait before I released it fully. It was not yet His timing for me to share it publicly. For over a year, I've waited for Him to give me the green light to share this word, and now it's time!

When the Lord spoke to me in 2022 that it's time for restoration, I immediately knew the depth of what He meant. You see, some years ago, the Lord spoke to me the words no one ever wants to hear; "you're about to enter a Job season." A couple of weeks later, those words were once again confirmed to me personally through a well-known and seasoned prophetic voice.

There was a time in my life that I wished I could've told you that we both heard incorrectly about the Job season I was about to walk through. Years after the fact, although I cannot tell you it was a wonderful time in my life, I can sincerely tell you I would not trade the growth, and the depth that developed in me because of that season.

If you don't know what it means to walk through a 'Job season,' I suggest you read the book of Job in the bible, for a better understanding of what I'm referring to. To give you a quick summary, God allowed Job to be tried by fire, so to speak. Through Job's loss – of pretty much everything in his life – he was refined through his sufferings and then restored with twice the amount of what he previously had.

Although, the Job season I walked through, came to an end several years ago, and I've been blessed abundantly in many areas of my life following that time, there remained some areas that seemed to not have been restored with twice as much, let alone even back to the extent in which they were prior to my time of trial by fire. But, the Lord said, 'now's the time,' and I knew He meant I would be restored with all that was taken away during the Job season.

A New Depth of Awareness

Shortly after this word of restoration was given to me, the Lord began leading me to carry out some specific instructions He was giving to me. If I'm being transparent, some of what He was asking me to do, I sincerely did not want to do. Let's just say, they weren't my heart's desire nor were they things I necessarily even enjoyed doing. All the while, He was continually speaking to me about the importance of stewardship displayed in a type of sonship walk in every task and every word He laid upon my heart to do and/or to give. A new depth of awareness arose within me, to simply trust Him in what didn't make sense to me, and yet still commit all I was given as unto Him with praise and thanksgiving. Like I said, much of it didn't make sense to me nor was it my heart's desire to do, but as I followed His instructions, and He was directing my every step, He led me right into the doorway of His restoration. Since that time, I've been experiencing it taking place all through those areas of my life that otherwise would have seemed overlooked! It hasn't necessarily been happening in the ways I had imagined it would, but nevertheless, it's undeniably happening. GOD IS GOOD!

Oftentimes when we think of restoration, we tend to think it means everything will once again become exactly how it was previously. That may be what it looks like according to the world's idea of what restoration looks like, but not according to God's.

Isaiah 55:8-9 "For My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways My ways," says the Lord. "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, And My thoughts than your thoughts."

You see, what we had prior to our time of loss may have seemed good to us. It may have even seemed like it was the desire of our heart, but we must remember that our Father in Heaven knows what's best for us, including, He knows the true desires of our heart even so much more than what we do. Therefore, His restoration is a restoration of us into His divine will and His blessings rather than what we're merely familiar with.

In February of this year (2023), the Lord said to me, "There's no looking back." And He gave me the understanding that 'restoration isn't about what's in the past, rather, it's about what's in the present time and the time to come.'

Are you among those of the Body of Christ who have walked through a Job season of trial, testing and great loss? Are you facing the Lord asking you to do what doesn't make sense to you? Are you being instructed to steward situations or responsibilities that you'd otherwise rather not be doing but you heard the Lord clearly direct you into it? If so, this word is for you!

Be a good and faithful steward of what the Lord has given into your hand at this time – even if it's not what your heart's desire is. Show yourself faithful and then be ready to receive in faith because YOUR TIME OF RESTORATION IS AT HAND.

I am humbled to realize that one of the reasons the Lord told me to hold off for over a year before I delivered this word to His people is because He had so much more to speak to me and His heart was to have all of it given at the same time. In my excitement to hastily bring a message of restoration to you all, I would have been delivering a partial word rather than one in its entirety.

Getting Time Back

Maybe I shouldn't speak for anyone else, but as for me, when I walk through times of trials in my life, I always feel as if it's lost time as well. We've often heard it said, and most likely have even said it ourselves, 'time is the one thing we can never have enough of, or ever get back.' That's absolutely correct, WE can never get back time.... but GOD can! Seem impossible? To us it certainly does, but let's not forget that God is the One who turns impossibilities into not just possibilities but into realities.

The Holy Spirit spoke into my spirit that during this restoration process He is also redeeming the time on our behalf. Then He reminded me of a word He spoke to me in April of 2019. He said, "I am the Giver, the Keeper, and the Restorer of time. Therefore, do not fret over that which appears to be a delay. If you rest your trust in Me and lay it upon Me, that which you feared would not happen when your trust was elsewhere, will then manifest for you at the sound of My voice giving the command - 'It is time.' "

He has now said, it is time!

You might be wondering, what does redeeming the time look like? I can only answer that by what the Holy Spirit has shown me it looks like, which may very well prove to be only a piece of the whole picture. As you're reading this or maybe as you're praying it through afterwards, the Holy Spirit may very well reveal to you another piece of what this looks like. By all means, please place your piece of the puzzle with what He's given to me and celebrate what He's about to do in your life personally.

God revealed to me redeeming the time will look like the resurrecting (back into our lives) of the dreams and promises that have appeared to be dead and buried.

The next question might be, 'how does that redeem the time?' If we were to regain the opportunity for those dreams and promises to be reinstated into our lives, by the standard of the natural timeline we normally live by, it would most likely take just as much time to reach just the door of opportunity as what it took for all the time of the loss added together. Which in many cases could mean it'd be five, ten, or possibly even more years than that — simply to regain the door of opportunity. When the Lord redeems (or buys back, if you will) the time on our behalf, the process for those dreams and promises to manifest into our lives becomes accelerated in a way that only He can do, and the time in which we need to go from point A to point B and enter those resurrected dreams and promises becomes a suddenly. In other words, our time, by way of the Holy Spirit will be utilized to the utmost rather than dragging along without results to testify of.

Ephesians 5:15-16 NIV Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. (The NKJV translates v16 as "redeeming the time, because the days are evil")

Our Role of Stewardship

Once again, even though the Lord has given us an amazing promise of redeeming the time on our behalf, that does not exclude the role of stewardship we are to take part in for this promise to fully manifest into our lives.

The last word I've been given to share with you is the word 'retribution.' In all honesty, it took me by surprise when He spoke this word to me. This past March (2023), while in a time of prayer, I heard the Lord say, "Retribution is yours." This wasn't a word I immediately received in faith. It stretched me out of my comfort zone, and I questioned the Lord about it and asked Him to confirm to me that this was indeed His voice speaking to me. Interestingly enough, He took me to the book of Job and brought understanding to me in a way that I'd not had previously.

The simple definition of retribution means to give back what is due. It can mean in the way of reward or punishment.

It's common to perceive Job being "restored" in all that he lost. It's not as common, for me at least, to think that Job received retribution for his losses, but that's exactly what took place.

Job 42:10 And the Lord restored Job's losses when he prayed for his friends. Indeed, the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before.

Job was allowed to go through a time of testing with much suffering and loss. His suffering and losses were not due to consequences of an evil heart nor of unwise decisions, but merely to allow him to be proven faithful to God. Job remained faithful to God through it all and when the time of his testing was over – after he selflessly prayed for his friends (taking his focus off of self for the sake of others) - not only did he receive twice the amount of everything he lost but also (42:12) the Lord blessed the latter part of Job's life more than the former part.

Just as Job was restored and received retribution from the Lord, we too, as followers of Christ Yeshua are being given the opportunity to show ourselves as faithful stewards unto the Lord and receive from our Father in Heaven restoration according to His divine and abundant will for us, the redemption of time on our behalf for the resurrection of those seemingly dead and buried dreams and promises, and retribution for our time of undue suffering and losses.

Let's give Him glory, praise, and abundant thanks, for He is good and there is no other like Him!

Adar [II] 6, 5784: Saturday March 16, 2024 Dutch Sheets RECEIVED ON MARCH 4, 2024

Angels: Supernatural Enforcers

I was in a service with my brother, Tim, a few weeks back, and Holy Spirit moved in profound ways. The Lord had brought revelation to various leaders before the meetings, which came together that night, and produced great breakthroughs. It was a very significant night. In today's post, Tim shares the majority of information; I contribute some, as well. Tim shares:

"I believe Holy Spirit has revealed a Kingdom strategy for the Ekklesia that has now been activated at a new level. This will demand that we function as a true Ekklesia, the word Christ used to define the church. Remember, *ekklesia*, the word translated as "church" in the New Testament, is a Greek word that refers to a judicial or legislative body. (1) The word is used 113 times in the New Testament, proving it was intentional, an on-purpose name for the church. This meaning MUST be understood in order for us to comprehend our mission statement.

"Our church recently hosted a Prophetic Summit, a night in which the Ekklesia convenes and presses in to hear from the Lord regarding our current season. As I was praying on the morning of the Summit, Holy Spirit allowed me to see into the spirit realm.

"While praying I had said, Lord, people are coming from around our nation, some driving many hours to be here. I want it to be beneficial to them and worth their time. Some are even flying in.' When I said that, I heard Holy Spirit very clearly say, They aren't the only ones.' I was immediately given a vision.

"In this vision, I saw a host of angels coming to the meeting. Holy Spirit revealed that they were coming from other nations throughout the world. Based on the way they were dressed, I recognized different divisions of angels: I saw government angels, which partner with the prayers and decrees of a governing Ekklesia/church; and I saw seraphim, which are the mightiest order of angels.

During this vision, I could sense the power, strength, and delegated authority of these mighty angels. Hundreds of them were coming to this convening of the King's Ekklesia.



"I trembled in the holy presence of God and knew Holy Spirit was revealing a supernatural level of assistance, and it was dramatically increasing. I began to weep as I saw the hosts of heaven coming from other nations and realized this would be a game changer.

"I spoke that evening at the Summit but did not share this vision. In fact, I hadn't shared it with anyone. My brother, Dutch, was also one of the speakers and at the end of his message, invited a prophet, Clay Nash, to share a dream he had been given. In this dream, an angel, referring to himself as a 'justice gate angel,' told Clay this Prophetic Summit would be a 'white stone meeting.' My spirit leapt when he said this, and I instantly knew it was why the angels I had seen were coming to the meeting.

"Revelation 2:17 (KJV) says, '... To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the hidden manna, and will give him a white stone, and on the stone a new name written, which no man knoweth saving he that receiveth it.' When this verse was written, the giving of a white stone had two meanings. First, in the Roman athletic games, a white stone was given to the winner of a contest, race, or competition. The person's name was inscribed on the stone, which served as a 'ticket' to attend an awards banquet. (2)

"However, another meaning of giving someone a white stone occurred in the court system of Rome, which is what I feel the justice gate angel was referencing. Roman courts used juries, similar to our justice system. The jury would hear a matter, deliberate, and then issue a decision, just as we do today.

When the verdict had been reached, a clear vase was set before the jury. They placed a black stone in the jar to indicate 'guilty,' and a white stone for 'not guilty.'(3)

DUTCH SHARES

For the angel to state this would be a "white stone meeting" could mean two things: 1) We, the Ekklesia, were going to receive a favorable ruling from the courtroom of heaven; or, 2) We, the Ekklesia, were the jury and would be issuing the verdict! That is certainly a different perspective. Could it be? Were the angels actually coming to hear our ruling, and then would take action accordingly?

Matthew 16:18-19 (KJV) says, "On this rock of revelation I will build my church [ekklesia]; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."

In his book, <u>Prayer Is Invading the Impossible</u>, respected leader Jack Hayford (now in heaven) - based on a literal rendering of the Greek verbiage - says the following is a careful amplification of the above verses:

"Whatever you may at any time encounter (of hell's counsels which I'm declaring my church shall prevail against), you will then face a decision as to whether you will or won't bind it. What transpires will be conditional upon your response. If you do personally and consciously involve yourself in the act of binding the issue on earth, you will discover that at that future moment when you do, that it has already been bound in heaven!"(4)

Incredible!

Notice the portion, "You will face a decision whether you will or won't bind it. What transpires will be conditional upon your response." Not God's response! This is amazing! And when Tim heard what the justice angel said, he knew in his spirit this was why the angels had come: to hear our "decisions" and "responses" in order to enforce them. They were waiting for Christ's Ekklesia to hear what God was saying, judge situations based on His laws, and issue His verdict with their decrees.

BACK TO TIM

"When I heard the words that this would be a 'white stone meeting,' I knew Holy Spirit had sent the angels to hear the verdict of the Ekklesia: what it would forbid and what it would permit. In a sense, the Prophetic Summit was a court session and, based upon Matthew 16:18-19, what transpired would be conditional upon our response.

"Job 22:28 (KJV) says we decree a thing to see it established, and Psalms 103:20 (KJV) says angels hearken to God's words and decrees. When we decree verdicts based on God's Word and will, they bring His/our words to pass. Angels are waiting to hear the ruling in order to enforce the verdict. They're the enforcers of the Ekklesia's biblical and Spirit-led rulings against evil, lawlessness, and corruption in their territories. Holy Spirit is releasing these powerful angels at a far greater level to enforce the Ekklesia's verdicts, rendered in the King's Name.

"The supernatural enforcers have arrived. Will we issue the verdicts they need in order to battle hell's forces? Or will we, through unbelief and silence, be a hung jury that can't make up its mind?"

Pray with me:

Lord, let this revelation seep into our hearts. You are revealing that the church's authority reaches greater levels and measures than we have known. The angel gate is open, and these mighty ones will hearken to Your words through us. They will enforce our binding of evil, and our loosing of nations, cultures, and governments from demonic rule. As our decrees for revival and reformation go forth, give us stunning victories and divine surprises in this season. We ask for these angels to enforce breakthrough

decrees and verdicts against Baal and his activities. We accept our role as Christ's *ekklesia* and declare that we do rule and reign with Him.

In Christ's name, we will open doors no man can close, and close doors no man can open. We will say what You say, Your Words will be our words! May Your Kingdom and Ekklesia rise for Your glory. May Your power be released in the lives of individuals. Let healings, breakthroughs, and victories be released, and may angels be assigned to minister in our personal lives, families, and businesses. In Yeshua's name, we pray.

Our decree:

We decree that the supernatural enforcers are with us to carry out the declared promises of God.

Adar [II] 7, 5784: Sunday March 17, 2024 Birth and death of Moses Robin Robinson Bohlin

In my dream recently, I heard this statement, "God is the Keeper of Time". I asked the Lord what it meant, He said: "I am the Keeper of Time. For Me, 1000 years is like one day. Get on My timetable. I can go forward and backward in time. I can heal the things in the past and steer you away from trouble in the future. Eternity, when is it? It is now, it was then, it will be!

Psalm 90:4 (NLT) "For you, a thousand years are as a passing day, as brief as a few night hours."

Robin Main

TIME IS SHORT Yeshua is serious. He begins.

"The time is short. It is time for My judgment to begin. Let the trumpet blow. Blow My trumpets in Zion. Sound the alarm. Awaken all the people great and small. The time of My righteous judgments is here. Your last-minute preparations should include repentance for yourself, your family and friends, your city and region, and your human race.

No one will escape My eyes that look to and fro seeing those who are Mine, those who say they are Mine, and those who are not. I will render just verdicts. I will recompense all. My heart longs for you to return to Me and come out of all your wicked ways.

So many have to learn the hard way. The hard way is what they shall get.

Those who dive into Me and make Me their refuge will be safe. Time is short. Awe-inspiring righteous judgments are at the threshold for My entire world. Seek Me while I can be found, so My blood can wash you white as snow and so you will be able to stand when everything that can be shaken is shaken.

Have I not said that the earth shall reel like a drunkard (Isa. 24:20)? So be it. Have I not said that I will never leave or forsake those who are Mine? This is an unshakable truth."

It is written: "1 Yahweh now reigns as King! Let everyone rejoice! His rule extends everywhere, even to distant lands, and the islands of the sea, let them all be glad. 2 Clouds both dark and mysterious now surround Him. His throne of glory rests upon a foundation of righteousness and justice. 3 All around Him burns a blazing glory-fire consuming all His foes. 4 When His lightning strikes, it lights up the world. People are wide-eyed as they tremble and shake. 5 Mountains melt away like wax in a fire when the Lord of all the earth draws near. 6 Heaven's messengers preach righteousness, and people everywhere see God's glory in the sky! 7 Shame covers all who boasts in other gods, for they worship idols. For all the supernatural powers once worshiped the true and living God. 8 But God's Zion-people are content, for they know and hear the truth. The people of praise rejoice over all your judgments, O Lord! 9 For You are King-God, the Most High God over all the earth. You are exalted above every supernatural power! 10 Listen, you lovers of God! Hate evil, for God can keep you from wrong and protect you from the power of wickedness. 11 For He sows seeds of light within His devoted lovers, and seeds of joy burst forth for the lovers of God! 12 So be glad and continue to give Him thanks, for God's holiness is seen in everything He does" (Psalms 97:1-12 TPT).

Adar [II] 8, 5784: Monday March 18, 2024 Bruce & Linda Dietler – Kansas Beware the Hippos

I (Bruce) awoke on the morning of February 5, 2024, from a vivid dream. In the dream, there was a large, VERY large, hippopotamus with its head lowered, threateningly and quickly approaching a herd of large hogs. One very large boar, seeing the approaching threat, in defense of its fellows, lowered its head and began to charge toward the enemy. The hippo opened wide its mouth; as the two collided, the hog tripped over the lower lip and flipped right into the cavernous mouth and was gone. I thought to myself, "Wow!" That was a HUGE hog, and yet it is gone!!!



The hippo continued its advance, now approaching a family group or gathering of individuals which was totally unaware of its approach. Their large dog immediately went on the offensive to protect the people. He too, totally unafraid for his own life, ran menacingly straight toward the threat, flipped into the mouth of the hippo, and landed right next to the hog. Again, I was amazed and wondered, "How then is anyone to be able to take down this threat?" I thought well, "There's got to be a better way"-maybe attack the feet somehow, or attack from the side. Then the thought of a long spear came to mind. When he attacks, run the spear into his mouth and see how he handles that! End of dream.

While subsequently considering and praying into the significance of this dream, the thought came, "This is where **discernment** comes in." There is often a better way to do something than we would think of in the natural. Though many, even most

individuals, have been trained to rely on their intellect to handle any given situation, those who are sensitive to the Spirit of the Lord and attentive to His voice know without doubt to follow the leading of His Spirit. We are clearly told in the Word, "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts (Isaiah 55:9)." Foolish, indeed, is the man who chooses to follow his own intellect over the direction of the Lord.

Unconventional Warfare

Joshua, upon entering the Promised Land, was directed by Yahweh how to conquer Jericho. Phase one of the battle plan was to first circumcise all males in their own camp! Phase two was to not do a direct frontal assault or to lay siege upon the city, but rather, to march around it in complete silence once each day for six days, then on the seventh day to march around it yet seven more times and then shout! Not a typical battle plan that the mind of man would conceive or that they would have suggested in war college, yet the walls indeed came down and Jericho was taken (see Joshua 5-6).

Gideon, God's mighty man of valor, planned to deploy his entire army of 32,000 men to overcome the enemy forces, but God had a different plan – select just 300 men. Certainly, that also was contrary to human intellect! Even more absurd, in the natural, than this, was that Gideon, like Joshua, was not to confront the enemy directly in formal battle array, but in Gideon's case, it was to take his now tiny warrior band and equip them with pitchers. Pitchers?!!! At the further direction of the Lord, they were instructed to break the pitchers during the middle of the night, exposing their lamps within, and then give a great shout, thus terrifying the enemy, who proceeded to destroy themselves (see Judges 7).

When, in the days of King Saul, the armies of God were afraid to attack the giant Goliath, young **David** was empowered by the Spirit of God to use a slingshot and one small stone to drop him. King Saul's army, though equipped with all their numbers and weapons of warfare, thought Goliath was too big to hit. David, following the Lord's plan, knew Goliath was too big to miss (see 1 Samuel 17)!

King Jehoshaphat, when confronted by a vast army of three nations intent on Israel's destruction, declared a fast, then sought the Lord until he had received the word of the Lord through the prophet that the battle was not his, but the Lord's. Following the Lord's specific direction, Jehoshaphat sent forth the praisers first into battle, which discomfited the enemy; the Lord sent ambushments against them, and the enemy armies destroyed themselves, thus giving Israel the great victory (see 2 Chronicles 20).

None of these heroes of Israel relied on natural, carnal wisdom to obtain the victory. They were sensitive to receive from the Spirit of the Lord how they were to approach

each situation. In our day, those who would be more than conquerors for the Lord must likewise seek His wisdom in all things, then act on it.

The Lord quickened to me that we need to be extremely watchful in the days ahead, as there are situations approaching, both in individual lives, in the church, and between the nations, which will require great supernatural wisdom to handle – not reliance on past approaches or strategies or the wisdom of the world, to be able to overcome in those days. *Listen, listen, listen!* Be sensitive in the days ahead and be ever watchful, trusting and relying fully on the Lord for discernment in each approaching situation. The key question to pose is, "Lord, what would you have *me* to do in this situation?"

Paul's Secret

The Apostle Paul, in 1 Corinthians 2:4-8 writes:

"And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power: That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God. Howbeit we speak wisdom among them that are perfect: yet not the wisdom of this world, nor of the princes of this world, that come to nought [as did the hog and the dog]: But we speak the wisdom of God in a mystery, even the hidden wisdom, which God ordained before the world unto our glory: Which none of the princes of this world knew: for had they known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory."

The wisdom of God was given for <u>His</u> people to appropriate. It is not understood by those of the world or the prince of the darkness of this world. We rely on God's wisdom. They rely on natural wisdom, not God's, and thereby they will lose every time.

1 Corinthians 2: 12-16 continues the narrative:

"Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God. Which things also we speak, not in the words which man's wisdom teacheth, but which the Holy Ghost teacheth, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned, But he that is spiritual judgeth all things, yet he himself is judged of no man. For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him? But we have the mind of Christ."

The natural man is not able to receive the things of the Spirit of God because his spirit is carnal; not renewed. Yet, he that is spiritual, that is he whose spirit is renewed by

the Holy Spirit; he who diligently maintains a fully charged spiritual battery by regularly praying in the Spirit, receives from God and subsequently is able to "judge" all things. *Judge* here in both usages is from the Greek word (G350), *anakrinō*, meaning to discern, question, examine, search, scrutinize, i.e. (by implication) investigate, interrogate, determine, ask. His spirit is alive to God and thus able to receive from Holy Spirit, to know His plans and directions. Yet he himself is judged by no man – that is, he cannot be judicially examined by others as being inferior or beneath others.

The Mind of Christ

Those who are alive unto God and are renewed in their spirit have the mind, reason, and understanding of Christ and are furnished with His desires, thoughts, feelings, attitudes, and attributes. As we actively pursue the renewing of our minds with God's Word, as directed in Romans 12:1-2, our sensitivity level continues to rise, and we are more able to receive in our hearts in ever-increasing measure Holy Spirit's promptings and directions.

What About That hippo?

Going back to the dream, the most amazing thing to me was that these people, "God's highest creation," were oblivious to the approaching danger, whereas the animals were not. The people were just standing there talking, paying no attention to the events unfolding around them. They may have been distracted, or they may have abandoned God and turned their backs on His word and ways. I do not know. Whether these folks represented merely an individual family, the local church, the Body of Christ as a whole, or a nation, I cannot say. What I can say is they were situationally unaware in a time of great peril coming upon them, and that can prove most fatal. Not only can we not afford to be thus, but rather, we must be prepared in advance with the weapons of our warfare at the ready to repel any and every attack of the enemy! As satan is the god of this world (2 Corinthians 4:4), and as we are now living in enemy territory, we must expect his attacks in this life. We are directed in 1 Peter 5:8-9, "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion (or hippo), walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: Who resist steadfast in the faith."

We cannot fight our adversary with earthly weapons, for the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds. These weapons include the whole armor of God, which we must put on daily. They also include the shield of our faith, as well as the sword (or spear) of the Spirit, which is the Word of God. Our faith in the greatness and might of our God must be strong. We must also know our position in Yeshua, decree and declare His word with all boldness

against the enemy and call upon and loose the ministering angels (Ps 103:20) to minister in our behalf as the heirs of salvation. Finally, we must maintain our position, dwelling in the secret place of the Most High, abiding under the shadow of His wings.

We win!

The plans and tactics of our adversary have not changed over the millennia. He comes but for to steal, kill and destroy God's people and God's plan for planet Earth. He will use any and every tactic and distraction at his disposal, be it drugs, lure of wealth and power, break-down of the family, rising up of sports and celebrity idols, perversion of our Christian worldview through improper teaching in the churches, or many others. His constant and unrelenting assaults do have their desired effect: many become numb to his devices and lackadaisical in their resistance to them, and many fall as a result.

Likewise, God's design for His people and the weapons He has provided to us have not changed over time. We are *already* seated in heavenly places in Yeshua, far above all principalities, powers, and rulers of the darkness of this world. We *have been given* all things that pertain to life and godliness. We *have received* the power to bind and to loose. We *have received* all authority in the name of Yeshua and the power of His shed blood to trample on serpents and scorpions, and NOTHING shall by any means hurt us. We *have internalized* the Word of God, which is sharper than any two-edged sword. The ministering angels are available to us daily. Our challenge, however, is to NEVER BECOME COMPLACENT. We must not neglect our birthright as heirs of God and joint heirs with Yeshua. We must maintain our battle-ready status daily. As we commit ourselves to do so, we will go forth as more than conquerors, and EVERY HIPPO MUST FALL!

Adar [II] 9, 5784: Tuesday March 19, 2024

Bernice Scheidler: "When You Don't Have All the Answers And Why It's OK!"

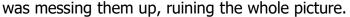
Dream of the Cookie-Cutter Men

In the evening of February 19th, I had been sitting in my prayer chair unable to go to sleep. I just sat there staring at an incomplete piece of art – a painting that I had been working on – deep in thought. My thoughts led me to these questions:

Why do people have to endure so much pain? Why do things seem so unfair sometimes? Why do things still go wrong, despite our best efforts to do everything right?

Somewhere in my deep wondering, I fell asleep, and in the early hours of the morning, on February 20th, I had a dream.

I dreamed I was sitting with the Lord and watching what He was doing. In front of Him were white sheets of paper with outlines of cookie-cutter men (cookies in the shape of gingerbread men). He had many sheets with outlines of cookie-cutter men in front of Him. I watched as He grabbed sheet after sheet and began to cut out the shape of each man; as He did, I was surprised that He wouldn't follow the lines. He just cut the men out however He wanted to. I watched as His hand moved the scissors high above the lines, and then sharply turned the scissors back down, cutting right through the lines and right into the shape of the men. It seemed like He





One after another, I watched Him cut each man out the way He wanted to. It was painful to watch. The further away from the line He went, the more painful it felt. I wanted to tell Him to stop. I couldn't understand what He was doing, and I was questioning Him in my mind. Then He paused, looked at me like He had been reading my thoughts, and spoke. He said, "Bernice, you want Me to cut on the line so that you can make sense of what I am doing. But I don't work that way, because I create masterpieces."

The Master of All Masterpieces

I woke up from the dream with the tangible presence of God surrounding me. He began ministering to my heart, bringing fresh revelation as I lay in His presence. I thought again about what the Lord had said to me: "Bernice, you want Me to cut on the line so that you can make sense of what I am doing. But I don't work that way, because I create masterpieces."

He is not a cookie-cutter God; He is not a one-size-fits-all God. We are not cookiecutter people, and God doesn't approach us that way! He is Creator God, *the* Elohim, meaning the "Supreme One," the Creator of all things. He is the "Master" at making masterpieces. The One who knows you infinitely better than you know yourself. The One who planned your future before you were even born.

When You Don't Have All the Answers

God is not afraid of our questions, but our questioning can indirectly lead to judging. We can become judges in places where it was never our place to judge. We judge ourselves and we judge others, but worst of all, we become God's judge. Our need to make sense of what we see and what is happening can be a pitfall. We don't always like how God chooses to do things. We want Him to stop because it's painful to watch and it's painful to experience! We don't always fully understand that He is God, and we are not. He has the full right to shape us and those around us however He wants to. When He comes to shape us, He does it *not* because He is trying to mess things up or cause us pain; He does it because His ways are higher than our ways, and His thoughts are higher than our thoughts.

"'For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways My ways,' declares the Lord.'As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways and My thoughts than your thoughts."

(Isaiah 55:8–9)

When revelation hits your spirit, it is like an "AHA" moment; it doesn't just bring comprehension, it brings freedom. It will set you free from the things that are keeping you stuck, those things that would try to get you to judge God, yourself, and others.

For those like me who want to have all the answers, the ones who want to have it all figured out, it's okay to not understand what God is doing. It's okay to not have it all figured out. Yeshua gave us the beautiful gift of faith so that we can trust Him. He already has it all figured out for us!

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths." (Proverbs 3:5–6)

Maybe your life feels a little bit like my dream with the cookie-cutter men being shaped by the Lord; He seems to be cutting everywhere except the lines you want

Him to follow. God is reminding you today that He doesn't work "your way." **But He wants** you to know, if you allow Him to be the Master, He will create the most beautiful masterpiece out of your life.

I release blessing over you right now, that a fresh revelation of God's goodness and love would permeate your heart. I pray over you a fresh surrender and trust in His plan for you, because He is good! In Yeshua' name!

I found this Scripture so fitting:

"I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." (Galatians 2:20)



Adar [II] 10, 5784: Wednesday March 20, 2024 "THE HOUR OF THE EAGLE PROPHETS" DEMONTAE EDMONDS, ATLANTA, GA

The prophets are like eagles! They soar! They see! They fly above the land! However, even the eagles grow weary, and their feathers grow dirty. Eagles, dust off your feathers. Allow the winds of God's Spirit to dust off dust and debris that have gathered from disappointments, discouragements, and distractions. You must throw off all of the weights that would hold you down and slow you down. Your feathers must be clean, even as your life must be clean.

Some eagles started off clean, but carnality has made them DIRTY EAGLES. Dirty eagles, there is still a chance for you to fly again and SEE with PURE eyes and a PURE heart. Return to the holy nest of consecration and surrender and cast away all that

would hold you back from your Maker. He will not only help to clean your feathers but purify your sight to see CLEARLY once again.

Some eagles have become comfortable and complacent, no longer soaring, and hunting for prey of new souls and new converts into the Kingdom of God. They are those who are no longer spying on the land for new territory, but rather have grown fat off of yesterday's meal, yesterday's revelation, and yesterday's successes. Eagles, it's time for you to get off of your perch and fly again on the hunt. Through prayer your talons will once again be sharpened with the keys of God's Word to snatch the perishing from the fires of damnation. Your talons will once again be sharpened as threshing instruments against the powers of darkness. Your beaks will be filled with a fresh word that brings life to those that are weary and brings hope to those that are hopeless!

Eagles, the words that you carry are spirit and LIFE! The words that you carry in your beaks are hope for the future! The words that you carry in your beaks are game changers. The words that you carry in your beaks break through corruption. Eagles, use your beaks properly! Eagles, you cannot live without releasing what is in your beaks. The eagle relies on his or her beak for eating, for preening, and for catching prey. The eagle relies on his or her beak to live; therefore, we must not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from Heaven above! When you see and hear that word, eagles, RELEASE the sound from the high places that you have been called and permitted to soar into!

This is an hour that the EAGLE PROPHETS WILL ARISE! Eagle prophets, SOAR AND PROPHESY!

Isaiah 40:31 2 Samuel 1:23

Exodus 19:4

Adar [II] 11, 5784: Thursday March 21, 2024

"RECEIVE MY PEACE THAT PASSES UNDERSTANDING!"
ANGIE STOLBA, WASHINGTON, IL

"And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Yeshua." (Philippians 4:7 NIV)

Recently, there have been many situations that have come to surface in our lives that have been pressing for our immediate attention. It is as though these situations have some kind of inner voice that seems to be screaming loudly at us, calling us into quick and anxious decisions. We felt a battle for our peace would soon arise no matter what decision we would come to. It was time for us to enter into prayer and seek the higher wisdom of the Lord. It took a few minutes of concentration to focus on the Lord and to quiet our minds, but as we took that first step of obedience, we heard the Lord's sweet voice of peace and assurance. Be encouraged; we sense this is a word for others as well.

We heard the Lord saying, "Receive My peace that passes your natural understanding. Refuse fear and don't worry about anything! Rather, let My peace guard your heart and mind. The enemy of your soul would seek to bring anxiety and have you worry about many things. However, this is not your portion. I am calling you deeper into My presence. It is here that you will experience a greater measure of My peace. Throw off every weight that would seek to entangle you! O taste and see that I am good! Draw closer to Me and drink deeply of My presence. Feast on My goodness!"



"I prayed to the LORD, and He answered me. He freed me from all my fears. Those who look to Him for help will be radiant with joy; no shadow of shame will darken their faces. In my desperation I prayed, and the LORD listened; He saved me from all my troubles." (Psalm 34:4-6 NLT)

"Be assured that your future is in My hand! I am trustworthy. I know the plans that I have for you, My child, and they are only for your good (Jeremiah

29:11). Keep your eyes on Me and do not entertain thoughts of doubt, worry, or fear. Meditate on My goodness and My faithfulness! Faithful I have been and faithful I will continue to be!"

"Trust in the LORD, and do good; dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness." (Psalm 37:3 NKJV)

"Receive My grace for today! Rest in Me and know that all is well. As you continue to abide in Me and draw closer to Me, you will hear My still small voice with greater clarity. You can be assured that I will guide you and direct you along the right path for your life. If you ask Me for bread, I will never give you a stone (Matthew 7:9). I am your good and faithful Father. Keep your eyes on Me and nestle in close to Me. I will never leave you or forsake you! Receive My peace that passes all understanding!"

"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore, we will not fear, though the earth gives way, and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging. There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy place where the Most High dwells. God is within her; she will not fall; God will help her at break of day." (Psalm 46:1-5 NIV)

Adar [II] 12, 5784: Friday March 22, 2024 "A GLIMPSE OF HEAVEN" VICTORIA BOYSON, HOUSTON, TEXAS

Your Heavenly Father is yearning to give you insight into what He has prepared for you, showing you more of the delights of your eternal life with Him in His home, drawing you nearer to the reality of who you really are in Him.

MY JOURNEY

The Lord told me He had something He wanted to show me. I took His hand and suddenly I was in the spirit atop a great hill in Heaven. He was happy to be able show me His favored landscape and the hills of His home. It was all so breathtaking. You could stand in one spot and look for miles in all directions, enjoying the beautiful hills. He was pleased with my delight.

Then we walked down the hill toward a grove of large trees. To my surprise, He showed me a tunnel formed by the trees that had grown there. They had grown intertwining together to form a tunnel that almost blocked out the light. It seemed endless, and although we did not walk the distance of it, He told me it went all the way to the other side of the valley we were in.

As we exited the tunnel, I saw a small pond near the grove of trees. I asked the Lord if we could stop and look at the fish; there were very large goldfish that were absolutely beautiful. I asked if I could hold one, and as He agreed, a large fish came up to where I stood at the edge and stared up at me, as if it were offering itself to me like a kitten or dog wanting to be held. Picking it up, I pet its golden scales as it looked up at me.

The Lord was happy I enjoyed it so much and pointed out a turtle nearby. He scooped it up and handed it to me when I returned the fish. I held it and turned it over to touch its very smooth belly. Neither the turtle nor the fish were the least bit afraid of me and seemed to enjoy being held and petted. The animals seemed to accept me without fear or hesitation, as if their purpose, even their joy, was to be enjoyed.

While exploring the pond and all its wildlife, it suddenly started to rain. I knew that on Earth we needed rain, but wondered why it would need to rain in Heaven, so I asked Him. He said, "We just like it because it's fun." Isn't that great?

WHAT A SURPRISE

We walked around the base of a ravine, and Yeshua seemed excited to reveal a surprise He had in store for me. As we rounded the corner of the ravine, He smiled and said, "Look at that!" He was pointing to what seemed to be a brand-new Model A Ford. It was a stunning convertible in burgundy red, with leather seats and wooden accents as new as if they were just made yesterday.

I was delighted and surprised and said, "You have cars in Heaven? Why, when you can transport by thought or desire?"

He smiled at me with His beautiful, broad smile and said, "I just like it!" He then took me for a ride, and I had anticipated a drive through the beautiful landscapes of Heaven with my dearest Lord. But suddenly He took off, and we were flying in the air. We passed right over beautiful, vibrant people, and as we flew over them, I waved at them and they waved and yelled back at me, "Hello, Victoria!"

As we flew, He told me to look in the back seat. When I turned to look, I saw a pile of huge, opulent pearls about an inch in diameter. I picked up the biggest handful I could gather and just held them in my hands. They were so luminous and beautiful. He told me I could have as many as I liked.

Again, He told me to look in the back seat, but when I looked this time, I saw the sweetest little kitten - so darling, with little white feet.

I asked Him, "What do You call it?"

"Socks," He said.

I snuggled with the kitten, holding it up to my face, and I asked if I could have it. He laughed and said, "Well... you can hold it."

It was interesting to me that without even asking, He gave me as many pearls as I wanted, but would not let me keep His kitten; He valued it so much more.

We flew over several more canyons and beautiful ravines and saw wonderful places for countless adventures (you could not possibly get bored there). We saw people down in the ravines enjoying the landscape of Heaven. Again, they gave me a hearty wave and greeted me as if they knew me and loved me. Their greeting flooded my heart with such overwhelming acceptance, a very powerful acceptance that seemed to penetrate my spirit and affect my physical body.

He showed me the ocean, and I saw all the people enjoying what seemed to me to be every kind of boat ever made. The vessels were all from different times in history, yet they all appeared to be brand new.

A SPECIAL PLACE

We ended our flight, and I thought our visit was ending, but He wanted to show me one more place - a special place. We had to be very quiet as we climbed to the top of a hill where we could look down on a small creek running between the two smaller hills. It was very beautiful, but I didn't understand why it was special. We sat upon the hill just out of sight.

As the Lord sat beside me, we enjoyed watching children playing in the creek. It was then that He told me that the young lady playing there was my sister.

Growing up, I had wanted a sister so bad that my mother and I would pretend that the baby she had miscarried before I was born was my sister. She even told me I could

name her, so I named her Valerie. And here, right before me, was that girl. She was

It was this tremendous feeling of acceptance which seemed to overwhelm me. It was evident even in the animals, who had no fear. The people in Heaven celebrated one another, and each trusted in the knowledge they were not just tolerated but were truly able to enjoy one another. Yeshua was proud of this most of all - proud to show me the greatest treasure of His Kingdom - love. And what a glorious treasure it is!

beautiful. I was simply overwhelmed. I wanted to cry.

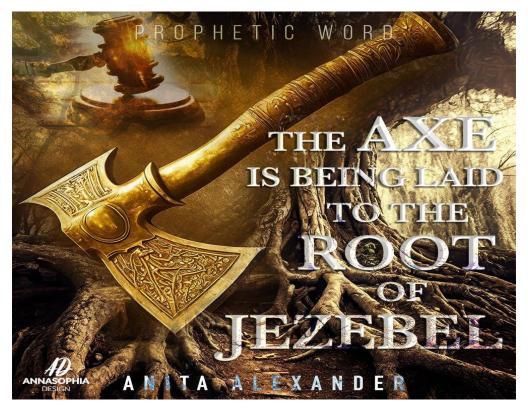
I saw a woman with her whom I knew was my mother. She had died in a car accident in 1984 with my younger brother. My emotions were tumbling together, rolling on top of each other; I wasn't sure what to feel.

Valerie threw water at my mother and was playfully splashing her.

Speaking of Valerie, I said, "She's really free, isn't she?" "Yes, she is!" He said with obvious pride. "Yes, she's always been here. She's never known anything but freedom." He smiled as my mom started to chase after my sister, but Valerie remained out of her reach, and they laughed together. I thought of how much joy and acceptance they were now experiencing together. For them, there was no more rejection - just the most thorough acceptance you're able to imagine.

When I emerged from the encounter with Him, bathed in the wondrous feeling of the acceptance I'd experienced there, I immediately called all my family to tell them about what I'd experienced. And they too felt the love and acceptance which permeated Heaven that I felt Truly, the Lord is proud of His home and of the joy of every living creature there. He also delights in the joy you experience here on Earth. Satan is the enemy of this joy, but our adversary is no match for the joy of the Lord, because he cannot understand it. And, beloved, God wants us to experience this tremendous joy on Earth! It is the power of the Kingdom for which we battle to live each day in His love, to live each day in His acceptance. That is true righteous living!

Adar [II] 13, 5784: Saturday March 23, 2024



DREAMS – THE AXE IS BEING LAID TO THE ROOT OF THE JEZEBEL SPIRIT Dream 1

A young prodigal returned home to his "fathers house" wanting to "make right". I answered the door but felt something was awkward and "off". Instead of a repentant heart I felt a heart of blame. It was extremely subtle but felt prideful. He was not repentant at all and still carried a heart of accusation and blame. In this moment I had a vision and I saw Jezebel had sent him to fake a repentance to "save face". She said, "I have kept you from your father's house for a while so in order for them not to suspect anything you must return and show your face". There was another young man in the house (who in my dream represents Jehu), who discerned and called out this fake repentance and instructed this young prodigal to "own" his stuff.

Then the dream shifts. I was sitting at the head of this beautiful large banqueting table. It was a joyous celebration time. I look down at the end of the table to the left and there sat a "friend" of Jezebel. She had also been sent to sit at the table to make sure the prodigal did not make a true conversion.

I asked God who was that woman that Jezebel sent, and He said, "the false watchers". She had been sent to make sure the prodigal did not make a true conversion.

I became infuriated and I stood up from the table, then all of a sudden what I thought was a wooden staff appeared in my hands. I walk down to the other end of the table, and I say, "what are you doing here?". Immediately I felt a pushback of intimidation from this false watcher. The vibe said, "you can't say that to me, don't you know you are going to make yourself look bad? You are making a scene! You aren't walking in love!" I knew right then and there I had to overcome what I "looked like" and how "I appeared" to step over the threshold of this intimidation. I then took the wooden staff, and I banged it onto the ground, and I yelled "ENOUGH"! When I banged it on the ground, I realized that in my hands wasn't a staff but indeed an AXE. After I banged the axe on the ground I said "Get out! You are not welcome here!"

End of Dream Dream 2

I dreamt of a person JUDAH and a spirit of seduction and perversion came to him. This spirit had a homosexual persona and was flattering. He was telling Judah how great he was etc. and was trying to seduce him to follow him through flattery.

Dream 3 A woman Jezebel moved out of a spare bedroom in a house. End of dream. INTERPRETATION

These three dreams came within a couple of weeks of each other. When this happens in my dreaming I know that the timing for the message in these dreams in upon us now. This is the scenario I believe the Lord is showing.

A WAR OVER THE ALTAR

Judah represents the governmental sound of intercession and worship that will "go first". Intercession goes first for the returning of a generation. When I asked the Lord about this perverse flattering spirit which I knew was Jezebel, trying to seduce Judah, the Lord said:

There is a war over the altars. There is a war over WHO GETS THE PRAISE. Jezebel wants the Glory; it wants the praise. The perverse spirit wants to pervert the sound. It wants to pervert the breakthrough; it wants to pervert that which goes first. Sound goes first. The groans and travails of intercession in the sound of pure worship, makes way for the turn of a nation. It makes way for the turning of a generation.

The table of feasting represents the birthing of a move of God, the celebration, revival. The minion Jezebel sitting at the table is a false watcher. We know there are false prophets, but there are also false watchers, false intercessors who are praying witchcraft over the land.

The Lord said to me as long as Jezebel is TOLERATED to sit at the table a true repentance will never come. There is a prodigal church where the spirit of the Lord is calling home to the Father.

It is our responsibility – ESPECIALLY LEADERS, not to TOLERATE this spirit of Jezebel. No matter how it comes. Flattery, intimidation, control, manipulation, competition, perversity, sexual immorality, jealousy, false prophesy, false intercession.

As long as there is something in the heart that needs "praise" or the need to preserve "reputation", there will always be a vulnerability to TOLERATING Jezebel. Jezebel also flatters with words and gifts.

To overcome Jezebel, you have to overcome the intimidation and accusation that is sent against you. You need to overcome the need for your reputation and the accusations and judgements against you. In the dream to tell that person to leave the table didn't seem "KOSHER". You're a Christian leader, you can't do that. You have to include everyone and allow everyone at the table. See this is the problem right there! This narrative is from the pit of hell and is not the word of God. It is a political spirit that sets false standards and rules to appease the masses. It's all reputation saving motivated.

ARE YOU A TARGET?

I'm telling you, to truly lead in this time you cannot care about your reputation. You will be the biggest target of Jezebel, Leviathan and a Political spirit. Truth must be your compass and truth alone. These three spirits twist truth, just in different ways.

The same consequences come upon those who tolerate Jezebel as those who operate in that spirit (Rev 2:20-23)

As you STAND UP and refuse to tolerate the witchcrafts of Jezebel, God will lay the axe to the root. The bible says in the days of Jehu, Baal was UPROOTED out of the land.

THE AXE IS BEING LAID TO THE ROOT

There is a spirit of Elijah moving in this hour that carries an AXE. Matthew 3:10.

"And even now the axe is being laid to the root of the trees. Therefore, every tree which does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire."

When God deals with something in fire, He consumes it. It's completely cut off. It's influence, it's voice, it's access is completely cut off. But first, the axe must be laid to the root! We must NOT tolerate manipulation, control, perversity, competition, jealousy, division, intimidation, witchcraft and flattery, new age concepts, divination and the like.

WHAT FUTURE SEED DEPENDS ON YOUR OBEDIENCE?

What future seed depends on your obedience? What future seed depends on your choice to believe God in the face of impossibility. What future seed depends upon you taking down the giants at Hebron?

We look at Caleb, and Caleb took HEBRON. Caleb was from the tribe of JUDAH and Caleb said give me the giants. He took the high place, and David was anointed King at Hebron. Caleb took down giants so David could walk in his footsteps. It was a generational obedience for Caleb to believe God when everyone around him said I don't believe.

Jezebel appears as a giant who never seems to go away. But just like dream number 3 Jezebel is moving out of the spare room where she has been lodging in the house of God. This spirit is getting evicted as the time for repentance is up. Those who choose to believe and not retreat in intimidation will cast the stone and see the giant fall.

We stand in a day that is marked by the unashamed rule of this spirit. Jezebel has cast a spell on a generation and the church have sat by and allowed the mixture of its perversity to infiltrate into doctrine, church culture and family. It's as if the Jezebel spirit has stood tall and acted like a Goliath just taunting, mocking, and intimidating the Lord's people. But as the Davidic house is being restored, a stone is being put in the hands of a generation.

The Lord does give time for repentance and then He lays the axe to the root of that which is not baring fruit. The wicked fruit of this evil spirit has torn families apart, churches apart and deceived and beguiled a whole generation into witchcraft, idolatry, perversity, the love of money and spiritual adultery.

His justice has come, and He has graced this generation with His axe. His axe to say NO to Jezebel and see that evil wickedness be uprooted by the roots and cast into the fire.

He has graced leaders and prophets to confront and dislodge Jezebels presence from the banqueting table and we are going to see the fire of God weed out false watchers who have been defiling the land with soulish witchcraft prayers.

These are the days of Elijah and Jehu all at once. The Lord is gracing the prophets to swing the axe and uproot the false altars out of the land as true altars of Davidic worship are restored. We will see true repentance come as there will be no room for fake counterfeit repentance, masked in flattery and performance, seeded in blame, self-righteousness, and pride.

Let the axe fall and the fire burn.

Adar [II] 14, 5784: Sunday March 24, 202414 Adar (474 BC) – Purim victory celebrated in the Persian Empire

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In the early morning hours of Feb 8^{th,} I had a significant encounter with our Lord, and it took me a few days to fully process what took place.

Approximately 10 years ago in an Easter church worship service the Father encountered me. He took me into a vision where I saw His Son, Yeshua, high and lifted up on the cross. I saw Him suffer for our sake, then be removed, go down into Hell and then raised to be seated next to the Father. In the midst of this imagery, I heard the Father speak. He spoke strongly, with absolute certainty, and without compromise: "My Son will receive His full reward". When I heard this, I had

no doubt about His conviction and that the full weight of His mighty power would was behind this statement.

What is His reward? I believe it is many things, including the redemption of all creation but most certainly the Father will present His Son with a pure and spotless bride who has been prepared to rule and reign with Him.

In recent years, in dreams and the place of prayer I have seen a strongman standing in the way of believers and the church in general. This strongman is a demonic ruling entity, and he has his feet planted against us and exudes great stubbornness, unwilling to yield or move. Often, I have seen him standing between believers and their destinies, or in favor of things that would seek to hold us back from forward progress.

Whenever I have encountered this strongman in past seasons and inquired of the Lord, I always received the same admonition: exercise patience and persistence. As we press against what seems like a wall, we are to exercise patience and persistence. Often in this place I have felt less favorable attributes surface in my heart, which we need to be discard, as the aspects of Christ's character, patience, and persistence, are being formed in us.

I saw this again last week in several cases and as I went to sleep on Feb 7th I was praying about this obstacle. In every assignment of prayer, I have ever been brought into the Father always provides a path to victory in His Son. Sometimes we don't like the path because it requires change and transformation, but none the less He always provides a path to victory should we choose to embrace His will. But every time I have come up against this particular strongman, I have not been able to get past, and I see it in other's circumstances as well.

The Lord woke me early in the morning on Feb 8th and gave me a series of dreams and awake encounters. I will summarize them as one event.

I saw before me the strongman I had been praying about. He was opposing me and would not let me past him into my destiny. In front of the strongman, near me, I saw a foot pedal and if I could step on this peddle the strongman would need to move to the side and let me through. The foot pedal was labelled "one who is perfect in patience and persistence". I was distraught because as much as I have tried, I have not been found perfect in these attributes, and I saw no one around me who was.

I then saw myself standing before Yeshua and in my heart, I carried the prayer of the night before — Father what should we do to move forward? At this the Father took my hand and inserted it into the side of His Son. I could feel my hand insert into Christ's side where the spear had pierced Him on the cross. No sooner had this happened, than the Holy Spirit gathered the rest of me and caused me to fully enter into the Son.

At this point I was standing inside of Yeshua fully surrounded by Him with no piece of myself exposed to the outside. My mind was at rest but not fully understanding what was happening. At this point I saw behind us, the Father standing and ready for action. He spoke: "My Son will receive His full reward". This was the exact statement the Father had spoken 10 years earlier.

At this point the scene changed and now I stood before the Father. A white stone appeared in His hand, and He pressed this white stone into my chest until it was fully absorbed in the area of my heart.

Revelation 2:17

"He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes I will give some of the hidden manna to eat. And I will give him a white stone, and on the stone a new name written which no one knows except him who receives it." (NKJV)

I believe this stone is for me, but I also believe it is for the overcoming remnant church at this time. This stone represents our unique identity in the Son. It is a deep recognition and knowing of who we are and who's we are. I believe this white stone also represents the Roman custom at the time of the New Testament church where a white stone represented a courtroom "ruling in favor of". (this truth was revealed to me recently as I watched a conference recording and not my own). As I prayed about this, I recognized that knowing who we are in Christ, fully knowing, being found fully in Him, is the likeness where we receive the Father's ruling in favor of.

I was fully in Christ when I heard the Father say, "My Son will receive His full reward". I was hidden fully in Christ when I received my "white stone" knowledge and recognition of my identity in Christ.

After this the Holy Spirit took me back to a recent dream, which I may have previously communicated. I was in a courtroom and a wicked judge sat on the bench in front of me judging my life. I was unable to get past him as he accused me day and night. I tried and tried to defend myself, each time pulling some new idea out of my pockets. After some time, my pockets were empty I had nothing left to defend myself with. At this, I boldly stated, "I put 100% of my trust and confidence in the finished work of Yeshua Christ". It felt risky because I was fully exposed, my heart was fully exposed, and this was all I had.

Immediately after I stated my case in Christ alone, the Father entered the courtroom and with bold certainty He said, "let my son through". At this the judge revealed his true nature as a demonic creature. As angry as this creature was, he could do nothing as the Father thrust me forward into my destiny.

Read the following passage and pay special attention to verse 22.

Daniel 7:9-22

"Vision of the Ancient of Days

⁹ "I watched till thrones were put in place, And the Ancient of Days was seated;

His garment *was* white as snow, And the hair of His head *was* like pure wool. His throne *was* a fiery flame, Its wheels a burning fire; ¹⁰ A fiery stream issued

And came forth from before Him.

A thousand, thousand ministered to Him; Ten thousand times ten thousand stood before Him. The court was seated, And the books were opened.

- ¹¹ "I watched then because of the sound of the pompous words which the horn was speaking; I watched till the beast was slain, and its body destroyed and given to the burning flame. ¹² As for the rest of the beasts, they had their dominion taken away, yet their lives were prolonged for a season and a time.
- ¹³ "I was watching in the night visions, And behold, *One* like the Son of Man, Coming with the clouds of heaven! He came to the Ancient of Days, And they brought Him near before Him.

¹⁴ Then to Him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, That all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him. His dominion *is* an everlasting dominion, Which shall not pass away, And His kingdom *the one* Which shall not be destroyed.

Daniel's Visions Interpreted

¹⁵ "I, Daniel, was grieved in my spirit within *my* body, and the visions of my head troubled me. ¹⁶ I came near to one of those who stood by and asked him the truth of all this. So he told me and made known to me the interpretation of these things: ¹⁷ 'Those great beasts, which are four, *are* four kings *which* arise out of the earth. ¹⁸ But the saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom, and possess the kingdom forever, even forever and ever.'

¹⁹ "Then I wished to know the truth about the fourth beast, which was different from all the others, exceedingly dreadful, *with* its teeth of iron and its nails of bronze, *which* devoured, broke in pieces, and trampled the residue with its feet; ²⁰ and the ten horns that *were* on its head, and the other *horn* which came up, before which three fell, namely, that horn which had eyes and a mouth which spoke pompous words, whose appearance *was* greater than his fellows.

²¹ "I was watching; and the same horn was making war against the saints, and prevailing against them, ²² until the Ancient of Days came, and a judgment was made *in favor* of the saints of the Most High, and the time came for the saints to possess the kingdom." (NKJV)

There are times in which we need the Father to render judgement in our favor, and this is done for us because of the completed work of Christ. It is not something we overcome, but still we overcome in Christ as we exercise patience and persistence in Christ, until He renders in our favor.

We need to be found in Christ, to pursue Him with all our hearts until this reality is the knowing of our experience. Then we need to trust the covenant of the Father to the Son, that being found in Him, the Father will stop at nothing to take us to the place of a pure and spotless bride who has been made ready to rule and reign with Him. Christ is our doorway; the confidence of our hope is in Him. Our empowerment is the Holy Spirit,

the exact representation of the Father and Son in us, and we trust the will and intention of the Father. He will stop at nothing to see His will for His son and us His bride made real.

The last dream I had on Feb 8th reveals the simplicity of this truth. The Lord brought me into a dream and before me I saw myself on one side, the Father on the other side and a piece of technology, like a connecting box, that represented Christ in the middle. The first thing I saw was a representation of what is likely in our minds, certainly in my mind. Often our belief systems become complicated over time as we try to interpret what the word says and our experience as we walk in this world.

I saw between the Father and the Son (technology) many cords and connections, then I saw between myself and the Son the same: dozens of connection points. Holy Spirit then ripped all the cords from both sides out of the technology in the middle. It felt as though my many thoughts were being cast aside. In its place Holy Spirit placed one very large cord between the Father and the Son that represented the Father's covenant promise to Yeshua. He then placed one very large cord between the Son and myself indicating I am fully in Him, and there are no other thoughts or ideas required. Now the picture was complete. The will and the life of the Father flowed as one voice through the Son and into me. It went from a convoluted system to a direct drive operation.

Father, we thank You that you have made full provision for us in Your Son. We thank You that You always have an answer to our needs and the advance of Your kingdom. I ask Father in this hour that we would receive, in its fulness, the revelation of who we are in your Son, and that we would be willing to cast aside any thoughts that limit us in this free-flowing relationship. I pray that all of our hope is in Your Son's finished work, and the intention and will of Your heart. I ask that we come to recognize and put our faith in Your favorable judgement on our behalf. I pray that You would thrust us forward into our kingdom destinies with all of the resources of Your kingdom behind us as we do.

As always, I would encourage you to seek Holy Spirit to make plain the ways in which this favorable judgement will unfold in your life. I believe in this season, and the great advance of His kingdom, that we do not have a blank check for what we "want", but a blank check for what we have been called to do in the character and power of Christ, which will include the true "desires" of our hearts.

Adar [II] 15, 5784: Monday March 25, 2024

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Between a Rock and a Hard Place

I was talking with someone recently about a situation they had found themselves in, which appeared to be that dreaded place we call "between a rock and a hard place." Every place they looked appeared to be a dead end or a way that blocked them from going forward or going backward. As I talked with them, the Lord began to speak.

First, I was reminded of Job, when his life's condition was out of his hands. His former wealth could not save him, his health had failed him, his friends had betrayed him, and yet he declared these words: "For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last He will stand upon the earth" (Job 19:25).

Some of you may have found yourselves in positions where you are in great need of the Lord's help. Everywhere you look, there appears to be blockages that are keeping you from moving forward, and going backward is not an option. You may feel as though you are not qualified for success or for what you need to remove the obstacles, but this is what the Lord said to me:

I Am Your Way Maker!

"You are qualified to receive the favor of the Lord because you have put your faith in Me. Once again, turn all of your dependency upon Me alone. I am separating My children from every false dependency and hope. Your strengths, your giftings, and your ability to make your own way will not provide the way forward.

"Do not trust in worldly qualifications or natural resources, and do not fear your lack of qualifications or lack of resources. My favor will make a way for you, and when I do, no one will doubt that I am the God of your breakthrough.

"Turn your eyes fully upon Me and put your trust (hope) in Me alone. I will make your barren places alive with fruitfulness. You must know that the name 'Way Maker' is more than just a song to be sung, for I will show you that I AM your Way Maker!"

My Grace Is Sufficient for You



Then I heard this verse: "But He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong." (2 Corinthians 12:9–10)

Man's boasting is being silenced, and Christ's power will be made known in ways that we could never have imagined. Grace and favor will be your sufficiency. **As you humbly acknowledge your weakness, this will be the very place where the power of Christ will come to rest.** The barren places will become the womb of miracles. The impossibilities will become the landing strip for awe and wonder. And the desolate lands will drip with new wine.

The Wrestle of "Strivings"

Shake off every hope that is not the hope of Christ in you! Shake off despair, let go of striving in your own strength, and push through the crowd of your own hopeless thoughts so that you can grab hold of the very hem of His garments—then see what happens.

His plumb line of rest has fallen, and He is saying, "Let us therefore strive to enter that rest, so that no one may fall by the same sort of disobedience" (Hebrews 4:11). He is saying, "Cease striving and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth" (Psalms 46:10).

We must push through the place of putting confidence in our own strengths and abilities (or in anything that is not Christ), then we will enter a spiritual rest that heals our souls and heals His Church.

This wrestle of "strivings" (striving to enter His rest and letting go of striving out of human strength) will cause your soul to truly enter the rest of the Lord. You will

witness and come to KNOW that He is God, and He will show Himself as the God of your life and the God that rules in justice and mercy over the nations.

His power, grace, and favor are coming upon the weak and barren places. He alone will be exalted in all of the earth!

Adar [II] 16, 5784: Tuesday March 26, 2024 Us and Them (Part 1)

A Story of Biblical proportions based on the book of Enoch By Roger Lee Waters

No Wokeness Here

After the war was over, all the ones on the winning side stood and watched in disbelief that some of the ones that chose to go on the other side were still there, still standing. The evil ones had chosen to march with Gadrael, their leader. He and others, while on the earth took an oath with each other and had chosen to disrupt what the Creator had put together, in order, pertaining to the Laws of Nature.

Others and I had to stand up, and war against them every single eon of our existence. They took the daughters of man, a created group that the Creator had given special gifts to and made sure that they were created in His image, with a special make-up that we didn't have, ours was a different makeup. Ours was made up to exist in a timeless vacuum, while theirs was made up to exist on a planet called earth, with air, water, land, trees, and yes, a spirit that came from the Creator when he breathed it into the first man.

There was one man that came from the line of first, his seventh, called Enoch, who was as close to the Creator than any before him, and he would walk in those days with the Creator, and talk with Him, commune with Him, and the Creator told him to write down what he said, which he did, and there was a record of all that happened before the great day of death that was to come.

The creator had sent some of His heavenly warriors to the earth to watch over and to guard the planet, and all that were on it, and in it. There was those that were on it before the ruddy man was created because one of the offspring of the first which the earthlings call Cain, murdered his brother, and was sent out from where the first and his helpmate lived, and went into the land they called Nod, to the east of where the first and his helpmate lived. Nod was a place for the wondering souls, that have no place to

go, that were separated from us, and this is why the Creator sent the 200 to the earth to watch out and protect the Created ones that the Creator loved so much.

But when they did what they were told not to do, which was eat the fruit from just one tree, in which Gadrael had talked with the first one's helpmate about, and she did eat, and then so did the first created, the Creator had no choice but to banish them from their place which was perfect. The Creator cannot allow any imperfections to be where perfection is, and thus they had to leave.

So, Cain was banished to Nod, and took a wife. Now some would say that that is all in one's head, but there was another band of what they call people not to far from where they lived, and Nod was all that was left. Time went on, and generation after generations came and there was a time when the seven generations came and sat together around a fire, and the first spoke to the last, and the last wrote the things he was commanded to write, and the generations that would follow, had a record of all that happened through his writings.

But one day, as the world was populated, those 200 decided through an oath, that they would take an oath to one another, to take the humans daughters, and mate with them, and create offspring that would one day rule the planet. This was done over the years of the sixth generation, the days of what they call Jared.

All those 200 agreed that by an oath to one another, they would not abandon the plan to do this thing. They all swore an oath to each other, while they all stood on what would become Mount Hermon, because that was the place of their oath to one another. The leaders of the 200 were all in agreement, and they from that day onward, were banished from the heavens.

They were Sêmîazâz, their leader, Arâkîba, Râmêêl, Kôkabîêl, Tâmîêl, Râmîêl, Dânêl, Êzêqêêl, Barâqîjâl, Asâêl, Armârôs, Batârêl, Anânêl, Zaqîêl, Samsâpêêl, Satarêl, Tûrêl, Jômjâêl, Sariêl. These are their chiefs of tens. (Book of Enoch, Chapter 6)

And all the others together with them took unto themselves wives, and each chose for himself one, and they began to go in unto them and to defile themselves with them, and they taught them charms and enchantments, and the cutting of roots, and made them acquainted with plants. And they became pregnant, and they bare great giants, whose height was three thousand ells: Who consumed all the acquisitions of men. And when men could no longer sustain them, the giants turned against them and devoured mankind. And they began to sin against birds, and beasts, and reptiles, and fish, and to devour one another's flesh, and drink the blood. Then the earth laid accusation against the lawless ones. (Enoch Chapter 7)

It was Azazel that taught men to make swords, knives, and shields, breastplates with the metal of the earth. It was Semjaza that taught them enchantments, root cuttings. Armaros taught the resolving enchantments, Baraqujal taught astrology, Kokabell all about the constellations, Ezequel the knowledge of the clouds, Araquil the signs of the earth, Shamsiel the signs of the sun, and Sariel the course of the moon. And as men perished they cried to Heaven. Enoch Ch.8)

Then, I, Uriel, Raphael, and Michael, looked down from heaven and saw so much blood being shed, lawlessness, and evil, and the planet made cries of their voices to the gates of heaven. The souls of the created beings brought their cause before the Most High Creator. They said, Thy name is the Most Holy, which has made all things, and has power over all things, and all things are within your sight, and nothing can hide itself from you. You've seen what Azazel has done, who has taught all that has been done with unrighteousness on the planet and has revealed the eternal secrets which were preserved in the Heavenlies, and all the others and what they have done.

Semjaza to whom you gave the authority over the other 199 with rule, they have made an oath and gone into the daughters of men on the planet and slept with them, defiled themselves, and has revealed all their sin. They then borne giants, as the 200 genetics and inward components were mixed with the human components inside and change their components to be different than what you have created. What you created is about gone, except for just one family. (Enoch Chapter 9)

The Creator being angry, sent Uriel to the son of Lamech, (Noah), and tell him to go hide himself, and reveal to him the end that is approaching, that the entire planet will be destroyed, that there will be a deluge (Flood) about to come upon the whole planet. Tell him that he can escape upon the earth he and his seed, that he and all the families afterwards may be preserved.

Then he told Raphael, Bind Azazel hand and foot, and cast him into the darkness, and make an opening in the desert, which is Dudael, and cast him therein. Place upon him rough and jagged rocks and cover him with darkness and let him abide there forever and cover his face that he cannot see any light. And on the great day of judgement, he shall be cast into the fire.

Now go and heal the planet which they have corrupted and proclaim the healing of the planet that they may heal the plague, and that all children of men may not perish through all the things the 200 Watchers have disclosed and have taught their sons. Then the Creator said to Gabriel, "Proceed against the offspring and the reprobates, and against the children of fornication, and destroy them, the children of the watchers from amongst my created ones and send them one against another that they may

destroy each other in battle, for they shall have no length of days. And no request from their fathers shall be granted, for they hope to have eternal life, and each of them will live 500 years.

Then he told Michael to go and bind Semjaza and all his associates who have united themselves with the daughters of the created ones and have defiled them with all uncleanness. And when their sons have slain one another and they have seen the destruction of their beloved ones, bind them for seventy generations in the valleys of the planet, till the judgment that is for ever and ever is consummated, and they shall be led to the prison in which they shall be confined forever. (Enoch Chapter 10)

Then the Creator spoke with Enoch, "Fear not Enoch, thou righteous man and scribe of righteousness, approach here and listen to my voice, and go and say to the watchers of heaven, who have sent you to intercede for them. Wherefore have you left the high, holy and eternal heaven, and laid with the daughters of the created, and defiled themselves, with them, and taken them wives, and have done like the children of the planet, and had sons and daughters. You were holy and spiritual beings, having eternal life, but you have defiled yourselves with the blood of women, and had children with them of flesh like the children of those on the planet do. They were created to live forever, and to be upright in righteousness, but they also sinned, and now because you have done this thing, your children are also corrupted to be condemned.

I have created them to have wives and bare children, but they were not eternal as you were, you were formally spirit beings, and therefore I have not appointed wives for you. Now as the giants are concerned, who are produced from the spirits and flesh, they shall be called evil spirits upon the earth because they were born from men, and the holy watchers. They shall be called evil spirits when they die, so this planet shall be their dwelling place, which they will afflict, oppress, destroy, attack, do battle, and work destruction on the planet and cause trouble, they will take no food, but still hunger, and thirst and cause offenses against the created ones on this planet, because they came from the created ones bodies, and thus they will seek to re-inhabit themselves once again into the bodies of the created ones. (Enoch Chapter 15)

I watched all this take place, and I knew that the entire world would need to be destroyed because of what these fallen 200 did. Now I also have heard that there was a rebellion in heaven, and that there were those who took to war with the creator, but that didn't actually happen until after the woman in the sky gave birth to a king. Up

until that time, evil spirits roamed this planet until a great thing happened. I notified a woman on this planet by way of Gabriel that a child was to be born through her womb, that I was to plant the seed, and she shall call his name Yahshua. He was going to be the very son of the Highest, the only begotten son, he shall also be called the Son of Adam, because we will make right what Adam destroyed, and in all the law of the heavens, only and offspring of one can make things right again.

On earths time, this baby boy was born in 4 BC, and he was circumcised on his 8th day, and then bled no more until the appointed time, Passover of the year 29 AD. Before he died then, he told his followers that he would return, but after it was just like the days of Noah, which I have already described to you. He did die, and he laid in the ground as a seed to be planted, and while his body was laid there behind the rolled stone, his eternal spirit carried all the sin of the world into the depts of the underworld, where there is Paradise, with a great gulf fixed between the two sides, he blew past the guards, and laid the sins before the evil one, and said this belongs to you, then grabbed the authority of hell and death, and left, to be joined with his body once again, which was transformed into a spiritual body.

He then rose with all authority of heaven and this planet called Earth. He took authority over all things, was given a name above all names, and screamed into the heavens, and I quote, "I am the one that was dead, and I am alive for ever more." (Revelation 1:17-18)

But what about this thing as it was in the days of Noah? Next time I write I will tell you about that, and that will then tell you what to look for, for the time is now upon you, and if you do not sleep on the job, you will see the Glory of the one who lives forever. We call Him Master, King, and Creator. You call him Savior, Healer, and the King above all Kings.

Adar [II] 17, 5784: Wednesday March 27, 2924

"DWELL IN THE SECRET PLACE" CRYSTAL G.H. LOWERY, MOUNT PLEASANT, SC

Do you have a secret place where you run to hide? A place where you know that you're safe and loved? A place that isn't visible to the outside world of burdens, cares, and forces seeking to harm you.

The world is often not a warm and cozy habitation. We can't live here for long without suffering attacks, injury, or some kind of decline in our state.

It's impossible to live the life God designed for us without a hiding place, a secret place, a refuge. As children, we have probably all built forts and secret hiding places. We make cubby spaces under the bed or in a tree house, or with blankets hanging up as walls. The need for a secret place is not there by accident. I believe that there is a need embedded deep within us longs for a secret place. This is a desire that points us toward intimacy with God.

Psalm 91 is all about a secret place that is available to us, where we can get away from the harshness of the world—like a baby bird that is hidden and protected under the wings and feathers of its mother. As children of God, we have a place carved out so perfect, so wonderfully prepared, and not just for us to camp out in, but to dwell in. Obviously, it is more than just a physical place, but a literal spiritual place of real estate that is ours for the taking.

Verse 1 in Psalm 91 says, "He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty." Verse 2 goes on to say, "I will say of the Lord, 'He is my refuge and my fortress; my God, in Him I will trust'" (NKJV). Scripture tells us that there is already a secret place available to us. We don't have to build it or construct it. We just have to go and (hopefully) dwell there.

It is no accident or coincidence that verse 1 uses the word "dwell." That word gives us the connotation of permanence and continuance. There is a difference between camping out somewhere and then moving on versus making a place our permanent residence. We should be dwelling—occupying continually and permanently—this secret place that is already prepared for us. When we dwell in this wonderful place, we will find protection, peace, love, guidance, wisdom, and intimacy with the One we were created by and for. **He is the One whom our soul loves (Song of Songs 3:4**). If you've heard of the wonderful Ten Boom family who lived in Haarlem, Netherlands during World War II, you know of a book that Corrie ten Boom wrote called "The Hiding

Place." It's about their life during that incomprehensible time of Nazi occupation, and their commitment to protecting the lives of Jews in need.

I was able to visit the Ten Boom family house and see and touch the walls where they lived so courageously. My children went into the actual hiding place which was built in Corrie's bedroom behind a fake wall. In this secret place is where precious lives were saved.

What a physical and literal representation of the promise we have in Psalm 91! You have a secret place. Run to it. Dwell in it. Rest in the presence of the Almighty. Take this promise and all the other ones in Psalm 91 and in the Word of God. It's your inheritance. It belongs to you. Just as those who were hunted and persecuted by the enemy ran to the hiding place in Corrie 's room to be protected and saved, run to THE SECRET PLACE OF THE MOST HIGH and dwell securely there UNDER the shadow of the Almighty!

Adar [II] 18, 5784: Thursday March 28, 2024

Weary Waiters, Listen for the Sound of Rain!"
Sylvia Neusch, Round Rock, Texas

A Second Wind

During a time of worship recently, I saw a vision of a portal opening in the clouds and heard the Lord say, "Weary waiters, there is an opening to step through to a new level of faith and expectation."

Many have grown weary in waiting, and even your countenance has grown downcast as your expectations have diminished over time. The waiting and persevering period has been so long and so intense. Many feel drained and as if they have lost their way. The battle in the second heaven has caused a difficulty in discerning and hearing God's voice for some, as the enemy has attempted to distort and bring interference.

As I saw this portal of light opening in the clouds, I knew that God was about to fortify the faith of His persevering ones. The weary waiters were about to get a second wind! This would not be just any wind, but a supernatural Spirit-filled wind to carry them through into the new thing God is getting ready to do. Get ready to be

energized, refreshed, and renewed as this second wind begins to blow upon you. Have you noticed that the wind usually comes before the rain begins?

Listen for the Sound of Rain

I then heard in my spirit these words from an old hymn called "There Shall Be Showers of Blessing," written by Daniel Webster in the 1800s:

There shall be showers of blessing; This is the promise of love; There shall be seasons refreshing, Sent from the Savior above...

Showers of blessing, Showers of blessing we need: Mercy drops round us are falling, But for the showers we plead.



We are beginning to experience the mercy drops of revival and renewal, but we HUNGER for the showers. We are longing and waiting for the downpour – a continual FLOOD of His life-giving rain that will manifest in us and on us. In 1 Kings we find Elijah also in a place of waiting for the rain to come. Their land had been in an intense drought both naturally and spiritually, just as we are experiencing at this time in our

nation. But Elijah heard the sound of heavy rain before the rain even started.

Weary waiters don't give up listening for the sound of the rain! Can you hear it? Keep your ear attuned to God and what He intends to pour out on the earth. God will manifest the sound of His rain in your spirit even before it manifests in the natural.

Weary waiters, God is calling you into an active and prophetic intercessory role to aid in birthing the rain of revival. Notice that the moment when Elijah heard the sound of heavy rain happened immediately after his famous confrontation and showdown with the prophets of Baal. Things had come to a spiritual head and kairos moment for Elijah and the people of God. A kairos moment is the appointed time in the purposes of God. This was surely a God-appointed time, and He was mercifully turning their hearts back to Him once again.

We are in a similar showdown moment right now. Evil has become less hidden and blatantly arrogant. God is causing a great exposure, revealing the things that have

stood in opposition to the Kingdom of light. The enemy has already been defeated, but his torment of the sons and daughters of God has continued.

A significant part of this revealing will be the children of God stepping into their powerful role and place as the royal priesthood and heirs of salvation. **"For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed"** (Romans 8:19). God has given us the power to bind and loose and open and shut things, releasing His Kingdom to advance.

Just as Elijah followed the Lord's instructions by waiting on top of Mount Carmel, we are to follow God's instructions and position ourselves, accordingly, ensuring that we are ready to birth through intercession the breakthroughs of heavenly rain He is wanting to release.

Prepare the Altars

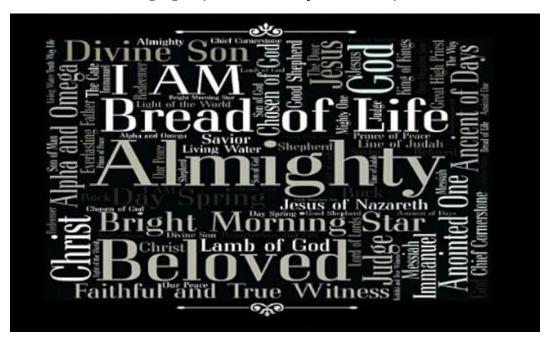
In 1 Kings 18:30, Elijah repaired the altar of the Lord that had been torn down. The altar was a place of sacrifice and a place where the grace and mercy of the Lord was released following the sacrifice. Now, as Believers, we experience a continual flow of the grace and mercy of God because of the sacrifice of Yeshua Christ, the very Lamb of God. But many around us have never experienced this incredible forgiveness and grace.

Just as Elijah received specific instructions for repairing the altar and then preparing it for a miraculous display of God's power to that generation, God is calling the Church to prepare itself for amazing displays and encounters of His fire and power to this present generation.

The enemy's plan has included a deep discouragement and a dumbing down of the faith of God's people. It's time to shake off these harassing spirits and come into alignment with the inevitable kairos moments planned for our day. Those who have grown weary in well-doing are about to be revived so that they can revive others.

God is issuing an alert to the weary waiters: Lift up your eyes toward the light and tune your ears to the sound of heavy rain. Step in to His grace-filled infusion of energy and receive His refreshing second wind. God has an assignment for you in this hour. Though we are experiencing His mercy drops all around us, we plead for the showers. We declare that His life-changing rain will come! May our church altars once again be drenched with His life-giving waters. We won't settle for less than a Holy Spirit downpour. This generation will cry out, just as Elijah's generation did when they

encountered the power of God: "The LORD, He is God! The LORD, He is God!" (1 Kings 18:39).



Adar [II] 19, 5784: Friday March 29, 2024

<u>Amanda Grace - Ark Of Grace Ministries</u> William Alteneder

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." Matthew 11:28-30

Are you exhausted from lengthy battle weariness? You are not alone in this my friends. Countless followers of Yeshua are going through this pain today. Our God will soon release his wrath upon selected individuals.

This is the moment in time we have all been training for our entire life in one way or another. We have been chosen to defend our Christ-like values in our actions, and on our knees. Or whatever posture you please. Throughout the nations, in our communities, and in our homes.

Our God is permitting this foolishness to continue, only for a "short time longer" my brothers and sisters. Allowing each of these individuals to be caught in the trap that our God has set for each of them.

Allowing evil to collapse upon themselves. As we can plainly see right in front of our eyes occurring right now. Self-destruction is upon each of these individuals at this very moment.

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

Praise the Lord, you have been personally handpicked to fight for the kingdom of God. In this unprecedented season, in the history of mankind, manifesting at this very moment.

Victory is close at hand for those of us that love Yeshua with all of our heart. As the wrath of God is released. Blessings in abundance will occur at the same time. For his children that have persevered to endeavor. As devoted followers of the most high.

As our battle continues to lengthen. I struggle to point of weeping at times, even daily. Over the sheer exhaustion and weariness from the continues onslaught of oppression. That seems to come in waves. And also, for the pain and suffering I see inflicted upon the innocent.

2 Chronicles 20:17

Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Go out to face them tomorrow, and the LORD will be with you.

If you are feeling that pressure today? I guarantee you that you are a target because of your warrior heart, and your determination to be Christ like.

Though your faith is solid as a rock or wavering like the tides of the sea from time to time. God is building upon whatever amount of faith that you have at this very moment.

Not one of us are immune. Life is hard some days. And often there's not ever just one big thing, but just lots of little battles that can drain us dry. Coupled with the demonic pressures that we are all feeling today, it can become overwhelming at times.

Isiah 41:10

Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.

Dear lord, please saturate my brothers and sisters with your comfort and strength. Supply each of them with your peace that passes understanding. Fill my brothers and sisters with your Holy Spirit in order that your spirit will overflow into the lives of others. Dear Lord, implant within us precisely what you would have each of us to pray for. In order for us to fulfill the purpose you have for us in this season that upon us.

2 Corinthians 12:9-11

But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

Adar [II] 20, 5784: Saturday March 30, 2024

Lana Vawser

I HEARD THE LORD SAY 'ALLOW ME TO EXAMINE ALIGNMENTS FOR SOME ALIGNMENTS ARE HINDERING ASSIGNMENTS'

Recently I heard the Lord say:

'Allow Me to examine alignments for some alignments are hindering assignments,' and immediately I heard Psalm 139:23-24: 'Search me [thoroughly], O God, and know my heart; Test me and know my anxious thoughts; And see if there is any wicked or hurtful way in me And lead me in the everlasting way.' Psalm 139:23-24 AMP

The Lord spoke to me:

`Many have become comfortable with some alignments. Many have become familiar with alignments and some of these alignments are allowing the enemy access. There is a shaking of alignment that I am doing right now to sift out wrong alignments, and to make room for new alignments and the

move of My Spirit and what I am going to do. For some have been given new assignments in this hour and they are wrestling deeply with these assignments because their heart has been in wrong alignment. There are others that are still aligned with people and places that I have been calling them out of and they have not yet moved on My instruction. There are others that have been living in doublemindedness and I am calling them deeply into the place of aligned faith with what I have spoken. There are many alignments that I see in My Bride that are allowing access to the enemy and there are alignments that are hindering the assignments that I have given to many in this hour.'

'I am calling My people to My feet, to allow MY Spirit to examine their alignments. I am not calling My people to examine their alignments in their own human wisdom or effort. I am calling for a deeper level of surrender. I have been shaking for a long time and I am shaking again, and the shaking is about to intensify again because I am making room for My Glory. I am making room for My manifest presence in a way that has never been seen before. I am calling My people to relinquish control and allow Me to rearrange ALL that I need to rearrange. For some alignments I am shifting were established by Me in the previous season, but that alignment now needs to be shifted. Let go! There are alignments in hidden, dark places that are festering dross and sin within My Bride, I am uncovering and bringing things into My light for I am cleaning house and cleansing My Bride. There are alignments of the heart in the hidden places that are not thriving in truth, and I am exposing these lies and alignments, to make room for My truth and My Word.'

'Allow My fire to go deeper still. Allow My fire to go deeper still. I am bringing My people to life — true life in Me — and prepared, fortified and strengthened to partner with Me in all that I am going to do in this new era. There is still a deep preparation and purging taking place and I am calling for an even deeper face down surrender to My fire. For I am exposing the areas of pride within hearts, for I am raising up a people who walk in true humility before Me. I am exposing areas of allegiance to other things before Me. I am raising up a people who burn with first-love fire. I am raising up a people whose eyes are locked with Mine and live for an audience of One.'

'I am asking you, My people, to continue to lay down your way. I am asking you to lay down assumption and presumption, for this is the era of the unexpected. Align with Me in surrender and make room for Me to move and align you, however I choose. For now, is the time for the demonstration of My power, being demonstrated in places of your deepest dependence on a level that you have never seen before.'

'It is time for expansion that comes from walking the narrow path with Me. It's time for expansion that comes from walking the narrow path with Me, but you MUST allow Me to rearrange alignments in the way that I need to. I am calling you deeper My people. I am the One who defines your assignment. I am calling you deeper into realms of trust that you have not walked in before. Many of you who have been walking in such deep wrestle over assignments: watch as these wrestling's suddenly fall away as I REALIGN. Watch Me realign alignments that have allowed the enemy access. Watch Me close these doors and watch Me strengthen you, watch Me heal you, watch Me deliver you, watch Me fortify you, and watch Me release you into new territories and new lands. Watch Me, watch Me. It's time! Watch the limitations, the chains and the heaviness COME OFF in the REALIGNING.'

'Watch the hindering of assignments fall away in the realignment and watch the EXPANSION of assignment take place in the realignments There are wells in the realignment. Wells of My presence where you will find all you need for the assignments. You will find wells of My presence. You will find ME in the realignment. Repent and Relinquish control in your alignments and allow My Spirit to bring you into a greater realm of walking in all that I have for you in this hour. The path is getting even more narrow, but it leads to life. I am raising up a people so deeply consecrated unto Me. I am raising up a people so deeply in awe of who I am and in love with Me and SURRENDERED to My ways and burning with first-love fire. My friends will carry My Glory. This is a time of great deliverance and purging, cleansing and purifying, refining and fortifying. I exhort you, do not stand on the sidelines assuming that your refining is done, I am going deeper and deeper still. Even in the deep examining — at times painful — I am raising you up to life: in strength and deep intimacy with Me to truly walk in who you were created to be and all I have called you to walk in. You, My beautiful Bride, are being refined.'

Adar [II] 21, 5784: Sunday March 31, 2024 James Nesbit

We love You Lord, for so, so many reasons, but as the psalmist said, "Because You hear and continue to hear our voices and our supplications our pleas, our cries, our specific needs, our hearts cry Holy, our hearts cry thankful!

Because You have inclined Your ear to us therefore Good Father, we will call on You as long as we live! The globalist cords of sorrows and death encompass our nation, and the terrors of terrorist have come upon multiple nations, and they are found in distress and sorrow. But we will not bow to their strategies to dominate us through fear; There is a cry arising calling on Your name O Lord!

"O Lord, thank You for saving our lives, and the lives of our children! Thank goodness, You are so gracious my Lord, and consistently righteous; Yes, O God Your compassion overwhelms us, as You protect the childlike in faith!

This morning, we hear Your sweet voice singing, "Return to your rest, Rest Your souls my favored ones!"

Lord are dealing so bountifully with us. Thank You for rescuing our lives from death, Our eyes from tears, And the feet of our nation from stumbling and falling, even though the globalists are trying everything within their power to destroy everything. We have and, "Build back Better" according to their plans to turn the entire globe into their economic slave market!

Surprise them O land with Your eternal Kingdom plans for this planet that You crested, not them!

We will walk in submissive wonder before You Lord In the land of the living. We believe and cling to You Elohim; Many of our own politicians are liars." Telling us to our face one thing while they have already done the exact opposite!

Deal with them Lord in Your Justice!

Thank You father for allowing us to read of Your victories on X and Tucker, and other undefiled sources, cause we sure the hell won't see truth on any of the propaganda networks! Some people say "Hell" is a curse word,

It's not a curse word, it's a cursed place for all who willingly chose to rebel against you! They don't realize, everyone is on the threshing floor! Your hot breath is threshing each of us!

You have sounded forth a trumpet that shall "never" sound retreat!
You are sifting the hearts of men before Your judgment seat!
And yes, Your truth is marching in, whether the girls on the View or Morning Joe, and the girly boys, who do even know who or what they are, like it or not!

We love You Lord! In Yeshua Name we thank You for hearing us again today! Kingdom Come!



Adar [II] 22, 5784: Monday April 1, 2024

Sylvia Neusch: "Seeing Your Dreams with Eyes of Faith"

We are in an incredible time of momentum, acceleration, and new birth as God is pouring out His Spirit on dreams and visions to see the Kingdom advance in every arena. Many are experiencing His awakening Spirit blowing and bringing life to seeds that were sown, sometimes decades ago. Ideas, dreams, revelations, and inspirations born by the Spirit of God are beginning to burst into life at this time.



All of this is very exhilarating, but for many of you, the prospect of what God is calling you to do, and pioneer may seem overwhelming, and for some... impossible! But this is exactly what God is doing in this hour. He is causing miraculous life to come into the dry bones of latent dreams, and He is involving you in the process. He is looking for GREAT FAITH in this hour. He is looking for those who will peer into the landscape of the Promised Land the Father is giving them and see it with eyes of FAITH and HOPE.

He is watching for the Calebs of this generation who will courageously pioneer into their land of promise and see with Spirit eyes and Heaven's viewpoint. When these "Calebs" encounter the inevitable opposition and giants inhabiting their land, they know to seek the LORD, believing that He will give them the strategies to overcome.

Lessons from the Widow of Zarephath

Recently, I was praying into some fresh vision and dreams the Lord had given me. To be honest, it all felt exciting, but I also felt overwhelmed and somewhat terrified. I was rehearsing in my mind all the obstacles and reasons why these things might not come to pass. Then, God interrupted my futile thoughts and said to me, "You are thinking like the widow of Zarephath." He had my attention! I immediately looked up the story found in 1 Kings 17:7–11:

"Sometime later the brook dried up because there had been no rain in the land. Then the word of the LORD came to him: 'Go at once to Zarephath in the region of Sidon and stay there. I have directed a widow there to supply you with food.' So he went to Zarephath. When he came to the town gate, a widow was there gathering sticks. He called to her and asked, 'Would you bring me a little water in a jar so I may have a drink?' As she was going to get it, he called, 'And bring me, please, a piece of bread.'

"'As surely as the LORD your God lives,' she replied, 'I don't have any bread — only a handful of flour in a jar and a little olive oil in a jug. I am

gathering a few sticks to take home and make a meal for myself and my son, that we may eat it — and die.'"

After God directed me to this story, I read it again, now understanding it in a fresh way. One thing I had never noticed was that God had *already* directed the widow of Zarephath to supply Elijah with food before he ever arrived. God had directed her, and with His command, the power to fulfill the word would have already been released and available to her.

If God has spoken to us and given us His words and promises, then the power and grace to fulfill the word is present and available to us! But we know the widow of Zarephath resisted the prophet's request because she had her eyes on what she didn't have, instead of on what she did have – the powerful word of God. When our focus is on the obstacles to our promise, then we block the flow of God's grace to fulfill the promise. Our mind must be renewed to see as Heaven sees to obtain our promises and see the birthing of our dreams.

God has been teaching me to use my imagination to retrain my brain to see as Heaven sees. If God has spoken a promise to you, then imagine yourself receiving the promise. Imagine Him overcoming every obstacle and the increase of His Kingdom manifesting as you see with eyes of faith. When we do this, we begin to fill up the space in our minds with Heaven's perspective, instead of all the obstacles to obtaining our promises.

Fortunately, Elijah ignored the widow's arguments and instructed her further in what to do for him in **1 Kings 17:13–16**:

"Elijah said to her, 'Don't be afraid. Go home and do as you have said. But first make a small loaf of bread for me from what you have and bring it to me, and then make something for yourself and your son. For this is what the LORD, the Lord of Israel, says: "The jar of flour will not be used up and the jug of oil will not run dry until the day the LORD sends rain on the land."



"She went away and did as Elijah had told her. So there was food every day for Elijah and for the woman and her family. For the jar of flour was not used up and the jug of oil did not run

dry, in keeping with the word of the LORD spoken to Elijah."

Obedience Opens the Door

Think of it. The widow of Zarephath went from planning her and her son's funeral to a miraculous season of abundance and provision. Though she initially balked at the impossible-sounding command coming through the prophet, she did obey. And her obedience opened the door for the miraculous flow of God's provision to visit and sustain her family and Elijah throughout the difficult season.

When we experience fear, it doesn't mean we have failed unless it keeps us from doing what God has told us to do. I appreciate the fact that after Elijah addressed the widow's fear, she "went away and did as Elijah had told her." Her hands must have trembled as she mixed the remaining bit of flour and drops of olive oil, knowing that if God didn't come through, it would surely be their last meal. But God did come through, over and above what she could have imagined!

Even greater than the time of the widow of Zarephath, we are in a time of God's miraculous intervention and provision. We are in a great time of fruitfulness and increase like we have never seen before. It is a time for the birthing of dreams and unparalleled Kingdom increase.

"Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us." (Ephesians 3:20)



Adar [II] 23, 5784: Tuesday April 2, 2024

Seeds Planted Deep

By Steve Loopstra, Director, Your servant in Christ Ministries

We live in very challenging and difficult times, on many levels. There is a war in Israel that has the potential to expanding, and some are watching this as perhaps a precursor for the Ezekiel 47 war when the Messiah comes to rescue Israel.

There is a war in Europe that seems to also be dangerous, and many are concerned about it expanding as well. Some have even expressed concern that either or both wars have the potential to expand to a world war with the danger of nuclear weapons.

We live in a world where we are challenged on so many levels. A world where the Word of God is not valued or followed. And so the values of the Bible are not considered, and we live in a world that rebels against the design of God for marriage and family and personal purity. Why is it that in any film or television program there seems to be this need to put into the programing about immorality, gay agenda, and more and more, we are seeing outright satanic, and demonic assaults against our Biblical principles.

Corruption, and lack of honesty are common on every level, even among the people of God. Are you even shocked any more than there are times when lying is accepted because it's just necessary in that situation? Really? Sexual boundaries are even broken down among the people of God. How common it is now that many times the youth in our churches are posting on social media pictures that are very provocative sexually.

Even this obsession with taking and posting selfies so as to show people how beautiful we are.

Many are sensing that we are living in times that are very close to the return of the Lord Yeshua Christ. And if that is true, we need to have a mentality, a lifestyle, and priorities that are shaped by that reality. Now what does this have to do with planting seeds? What is the heart of God in these days?

I want to share with you about seeds that maybe you have not thought about, that are so important to the Lord. I want you to turn in your Bible to Ecclesiastes 3, verses 1 – 11. And what Solomon is saying is that God will make all things beautiful, or appropriate, in its time. That means that God is in control, and he will make all things right again. In God's time, the world will experience healing, peace, deliverance, and renewed purpose.

From our perspective, God's time doesn't always seem "beautiful." It can be hard to see how things that are going so wrong can be redeemed. But we cannot see what God sees, and the promise of the Bible is that one day things will be made right. One day we shall see what God has been doing. And our role until then is to trust in him.

Solomon also says here that God has placed in every person's heart a sense or desire for something eternal. This desire is what sets us apart from other creatures on this earth. We long for something more than what we can see here and now. This is what causes people to search their whole lives for purpose and meaning. God has put this desire on our hearts to seek out something eternal. This desire should lead us to him and cause us to place our trust in him.

Every person who has ever lived or will ever live in this world has this seed planted in their deepest most being. I want you to think about this for a minute. We have a tendency to judge people. We judge them by their appearance, by their job, by the color of their skin, by their life choices, and I think in our day, Satan the enemy of our souls is trying his very best to try to blind people to the existence and the love of God. It seems to me that more people are farther away from God than ever before.

But I want to remind you of something. Inside every person on the face of this planet, God has. Put a seed. A seed of longing for something eternal, something more. Most of the time they don't know what that is, but that longing is there in every single person. When we. Talk about seeds, we talk about sowing the seeds of the Gospel, of faith, of hope and all those things the Bible talks about. And I want to challenge you to remember that no matter how far from God your neighbor may seem. No matter how

anti-God they might appear. Deep inside there is a longing for God. They just don't know it.

A number of years ago, I was the director of a prayer ministry in the state of Minnesota, in the United States. I had a ministry of prayer that was recognized at many levels in the city and in our state. In 1999, our state had a new governor, named Jesse Venture. He was a man who had been a professional wrestler, and what seemed to be intentionally obnoxious. After his election, Jesse Ventura did an interview with Playboy magazine, a pornographic magazine. In his interview with Playboy, the Minnesota governor and former professional wrestler is quoted as saying that "organized religion is a sham and a crutch for weak-minded people who need strength in numbers. It tells people to go out and stick their noses in other people's business." Well, as you might imagine, the reaction especially in the Christian community was one of outrage. A friend of mine, who was the director of a conservative pro-family organization, said: "The governor's blatant attacks on religious faith are a slap in the face to the hundreds of thousands of Minnesotans who take their faith seriously," When I saw these reactions, I talked with a couple other people, and we decided to do something different. I sent out an email to the Christian community saying that the Bible talks about the power of blessing, so we were going to bless the Governor. We asked for donations, and all of the donations would go to buy long-stemmed red roses that we would send to the Governor's home. We raised enough money to send twelve dozen red roses to him and his wife. This was just before Christmas.

As a result of these reactions to his remarks, the governor set up a meeting of "religious leaders" to allow them to share their views. In May of 2000, I was invited to be a part of this breakfast meeting at the home of the Governor. And I was chosen as one of three people who were asked to share with the governor our views. Well, God arranged it that I was sitting directly across the round table from the governor. One leader stood and talked about the need to racial equality. One stood and talked about affordable housing. I was the last to share. I stood to my feet directly across from the governor, looked him in the eyes and said, "Governor, I want you to know that all across the state of Minnesota, tens of thousands of Christians are praying for you every day." At that moment, just for a split second, his spirit opened up and I could see openness in him. I knew my words had touched that place where God had put a longing for eternity in his heart. Then quickly he said, "oh I need it!" as to deflect that attention away. But I knew God had touched him. At that same meeting I had the opportunity to give him a Bible for his wife, wrapped in wrapping paper with red roses on it. This is just one illustration, and you may have your own. But let me encourage you.

You see, we never know when and how God might use us to touch that place. That seed of eternity that God has put into every person. It does not matter who they may be, or how far from God they may seem, that seed is there, and it is for us to find it and water it. Don't give up. Keep praying. You never know what God might do.



Adar [II] 24, 5784: Wednesday April 3, 2024 "THE ARMOR OF ABIDING" REBECCA FRIEDLANDER, LONGVIEW, TX

Recently, while in prayer, I had a vision of a piece of armor for a warrior. It was made from beautiful feathers of rich, noble colors. Normally, you wouldn't think that feathers would be very helpful in fighting off an attack, but the Lord was revealing supernatural armor that would defy the weapons of men. I was reminded of **Psalm 91:4:** "He shall cover you with His feathers, and under His wings you shall take refuge; His truth shall be your shield and buckler."

I then heard the Lord say, "There will be chaos in the earth, but I'm giving you the 'Armor of Abiding." In the place of His presence there is rest, peace, and quiet strength as we encounter Him. Let's remember that there is power in staying deeply connected to the safety of God's presence, even as we pray that His truth will prevail. As we practice His presence, both individually and corporately, we put on the Armor of Abiding. From there, we can live from the place of peace as we carry out His strategies.

My call to War

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Throughout the Word the name of the Lord is translated God or Lord in modern English. He has shown me that He prefers the formal use of His Names for the Father, Son, and Holly Spirit. Ha Shem Adonai the Father, Yeshua the Son, and Ruach HaKodesh the Holy Spirit. The prayer is written to be able to pray singularly or for you, your family, or as a group. Though this prayer seems long, you will learn to pray it in a flowing manner with ease or the portions that you need. Be blessed and may the Lord, Adonai be Glorified, (Ephesians 6:10-18).

Wade Butler: HIS ARMOR

(The Lord revealed to me in September of 2009 that there was armor available for us I was unaware of. It was forged in Heaven in the Blood of the Lamb. There are weapons we have not known before are ready for our use.)

I (We are) am thankful for the Armor You have provided. I (We) put on the full armor of God. I (We) ask that you place on us garments of praise, for we praise You. Father we ask that like Joshua, the high priest, YOU wash us with a washing of the water of the word and the BLOOD of the LAMB. We ask that YOU put on us clean garments woven in heaven of fine silk and linin like you did Joshua the high priest. Around our shoulders place Robes of Righteousness, for only You are Righteous. Place upon us the fullness of YOUR Armor which is our Savior and our Lord (Yeshua). I (We) girdle my (our) loins with the Truth of Your Word. I (We) shod my (our) feet with boots of war and cover our legs with armor which is the preparation of the Gospel of Peace to protect my (our) walk with You. I (We) ask that You place upon me (us) the Breastplate of Righteousness, for I (We) have none of my (our) own, only the Blood of Yeshua Christ Your Son gives me (us) righteousness. Through faith, I (We) thank You that the blood that flows through my (our) body (ies) be that of Yeshua. I (We) place upon my head(s) the Helmet of Salvation of a living hope in you to protect my (our) mind(s) will and emotions. My (our) helmet(s) is adorned with the plumage of the colors of the tribes and callings in our lives my (our) position(s), authority and whom I (We) belong too.

I (We) lift up the Saving Shield of Faith that has been forged in the Water of the Word of God and tempered in the Blood of the Lamb against all the fiery darts, arrows, accusations and insinuations of the enemy. <u>Its handle is a bow with twelve arrows representing the twelve tribes and three darts of mass destruction representing the Father Son and Holy Spirit</u>. (In Roman times the shield was made from oak staves, crisscrossing covered with seven layers of full animal skins,

representing the seven spirits of God and the sacrifice Yeshua made for us on the cross.) When entering into battle the soldiers would wet the outer layer of leather to extinguish fire arrows. Officers shields were often bronze and bronze shields have been found throughout the former empire that were also used by legionnaires.

I (We) take in my (our) hand(s) the Sword of the Spirit, the Word of God, a weapon of warfare able to separate spirit and soul. On our backs are battle axes able to break down doors of adversity, the walls of the enemy, and remove the heads of strongmen. I (We) bow before you for the Cloak of Humility and choose to humble myself (ourselves) and my (our) family (ies) before You this day my Lord and Savior and I (We) choose to use Your Word against all the forces of evil in our lives and take my (our) position(s) as a warrior(s) of God and stand ready for your command. I (We) thank You for Robes of Righteousness and the Garments of Praise to stand before you Armored and ready for battle. I (We) thank You for the host of heaven, ministering and warring Angels to watch over me (us) and my (our) family (ies). I (We) put on this Armor and live and pray in complete dependence upon You, Adonai through Your blessed Holy Spirit. (John 14:26)

OUR AUTHORITY

I (We are) am grateful, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), that the Lord Yeshua Christ Your Son spoiled all principalities and powers and made a show of them openly and triumphed over them in Himself. I (We) claim all that victory of the shed blood of Yeshua for our lives today. I (We are) am thankful, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), that the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds, to the casting down of imaginations and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and to bring every thought into obedience to the Lord Yeshua Christ. Therefore, in my (our) own life (lives) today I (We) tear down the strongholds of the enemy and smash the plans that have been formed against me (us). I (We) tear down the strongholds of the enemy against my (our) mind(s), and I (We) surrender my (our) mind(s) to You, blessed Holy Spirit.

I (We) affirm, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), that You have not given me (us) the spirit of fear, but of power, love and a sound mind. I (We) break and smash the strongholds of the enemy formed against my (our) emotions today and I (We) give my emotions to You. I (We) smash the strongholds of the enemy formed against my (our) will today; I (We) give my will to You and choose to make the right decisions of faith. I (We) smash the strongholds of the enemy formed against my (our) body(ies) today; I (We) give my body to You recognizing that I (We are) am Your temple. I (We) rejoice In Your mercy and goodness. (2 Timothy 1:7)

OUR RESPONSIBILITY IN WAR

(Our Lord told me that we need to treat the enemy as he would treat us as captives to a king for we are KINGS AND PRIEST UNTO HIM. The enemy shows us no mercy and we are to show none in battle.)

You said that for every area that the enemy came against me (us) he would flee in seven and that every weapon formed against me (us) would not prosper but be destroyed. I (We) destroy ever work of the enemy and bind every demon, power and principality and out of body spirit that rises up against me (us). I (We) bind the enemy with Your Word and the Blood of the Lamb. I (We) blind our enemy that they may not see us, make deaf that our enemy that they may not hear me (us), cut off the tongues of our enemy and make them dumb, that our enemy may not speak against me (us), cut off the toes of our enemy that they may not run against me (us), cut off the thumbs of our enemy that they may not raise a weapon against me, (us) and with the battle axe and break down every wall and door placed against us and remove the heads of the strongman in the name of Yeshua Christ Your Son by the blood of Yeshua and cast them into the pit to be dealt with by our Lord at His return. (Matthew 16:19)

OUR AFFERMANTION

I (We) affirm that the Word of God is true, and I (we) choose to live today in the light of God's Word. I (We) choose, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), to live in obedience to You and in fellowship with Yourself. I (we) thank You for opening my (our) eyes and show me (us) the areas of our lives that do not please You. Work in me (us) to cleanse me (us) from all ground that would give Satan a foothold against me (us). I (We) do in every way stand into all that it means to be Your adopted child and I (we) welcome all the ministry of the Holy Spirit.

By faith and in dependence upon you I (we) put off the fleshly works of the old man and stand into all the victory of the crucifixion where the Lord Yeshua Christ Your Son provided cleansing from the old nature. I (We) put on the new man and stand into all the victory of the resurrection and the provision He has made for me (us) to live above sin. We cancel all ancestral curses that would bind us and ask forgiveness for all generations back of all iniquities that hinder us from walking in the light of your word, way and will. You have said that our blessings would go on for one thousand generations and we are in agreement with Your Word for the fulfillment of Your Promises.

Therefore, today I (We) put off all forms of selfishness and put on the new nature with its love. I (We) put off all forms of fear and put on the new nature with its courage. I

(We) put off all forms of weakness and put on the new nature with its strength. I (We) put off all forms of lust and put on the new nature with its righteousness, purity, and honesty. I (We are) am trusting You to show me (us) how to make this practical in my (our) daily life. (Colossians 3:10-16)

OUR PLACE

In every way I (We) stand in the victory of the ascension and glorification of the Lord Yeshua Christ, whereby all the principalities and powers were made subject to Him. I (We) claim my place in Christ as victorious with Him over all the enemies of my soul. Blessed Holy Spirit, I (we) thank You for filling me (us). I (We) thank You for coming into our lives, for breaking down every idol and casting out every foe.

HIS WILL

I (We are) am thankful, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), for the expression of Your will for my (our) daily life as You have shown me (us) in Your Word. I (We), therefore, claim all the will of God for today. I (We are) am thankful that You have blessed me (us) with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ Yeshua. I (We are) am thankful that You have begotten me (us) unto a living hope by the resurrection of Yeshua Christ Your Son from the dead. I (We are) am thankful that You have made a provision so that today I (we) can live filled with the Spirit of God with love and joy and peace, with long-suffering, gentleness, and goodness, with meekness, faithfulness and self-control In our lives. I (We) recognize that this is Your will for me (us) and I (We) therefore reject and resist all the endeavors of the enemy to rob me of the will of God. I (We) refuse this day to believe feelings and I (we) hold up the Shield of Faith against all the accusations, distortion, and insinuations that the enemy would put into my (our) mind(s); I (we) claim the fullness of the will of God for our lives today.

OUR SURRENDER

In the Name of the Lord Yeshua Christ, I (we) completely surrender myself (ourselves) and my family to You, Heavenly Father, (Adonai), as a living sacrifice. I (We) choose not to be conformed to this world. I (We) choose to be transformed by the renewing of my mind, and I (we) pray that You would show me (us) Your will and enable me (us) to walk In all the fullness of Your will today.

Heavenly Father, (Adonai), I (we) pray that now and through this day You would strengthen and enlighten me (us), show me (us) the way the enemy is hindering and tempting and lying and distorting the truth In our lives. I thank You for enabling me (us) to be the kind of person that would please You. Enable me (us) to be aggressive

in prayer and faith. Enable me (us) to be aggressive mentally, to think about and practice Your Word, and to give You Your rightful place In our lives. I (We) ask for the fullness of the manifestation of YOUR SPIRIT be within me (us) that I (we) walk in all wisdom, revelation, understanding and knowledge in righteous.

THE BLOOD

Again, I (WE)cover myself and my (our) family(ies) with the blood of the Lord Yeshua Christ Your Son and pray that You, blessed Holy Spirit, would bring all the work of the crucifixion, all the work of the resurrection, all the work of the glorification, and all the work of Pentecost Into my (our) life (lives) today. I (WE) surrender (myself and my family) to You. I (We) refuse to be discouraged. You are the God of all hope. You have proven Your power by resurrecting Yeshua Christ Your Son from the dead, and I (we) claim In every way this victory over all satanic forces In our lives. I (WE) thank You Lord and I (we) praise Your Holy Name. I (we) lift this prayer up to You for me and my family and for all those for whom I (we) pray. In the name of the Lord Yeshua Christ, Your Son and by His precious blood I (we) pray with thanksgiving and a grateful heart.

Amen, So be it. Dr. Wade K. Butler Chaplain

Adar [II] 25, 5784: Thursday April 4, 2024

Dutch Sheets: Re-igniting, Uncapping, and Birthing the New

I continue to ponder my time at Lou Engle's conference this past Sunday night in Colorado Springs. It was a profound night. When introduced to speak, I hadn't yet landed on exactly what Holy Spirit wanted me to share. So I began simply by mentioning my experience a couple of weeks back, when my spiritual father played the song, America the Beautiful, for a small group of us (read post here).

The words to this song came in part to Katherine Lee Bates while on Pike's Peak, which she wrote down when she returned to her hotel right there in Colorado Springs.

Then I related how listening to the song and witnessing Jim's heart for America had reminded me of and renewed in me the visitation I had from the Lord in 2000. This, like the song, occurred there in Colorado Springs. I knew it couldn't be a coincidence that God reminded me of all this just before my return visit to that city.

As I shared this that night, all heaven broke loose. Our good friend, intercessor and pastor, Terri Brown, wrote the following unsolicited account from her perspective, as well as what she heard from Holy Spirit during the service:

"I was able to participate in Lou Engle's recent 222 Conference in Colorado Springs. Though very encouraging, it was also challenging, and at times heart-wrenching.

"Although the entire conference was rich and significant, I've especially been pondering the last night when Dutch Sheets was the scheduled speaker. Many have described this as the most amazing, intense prayer gathering they have ever been to. There was unity, travail, worship, intense intercession, and a feeling of birthing and breakthrough.



"Before giving you a word the Lord shared with me that night, let me give you a backdrop regarding Colorado Springs, our calling to this city, and some history. This will help you understand my perspective as I share.

"Much was said during the weekend regarding the significance of what has been birthed in Colorado Springs over the years. Cindy Jacobs and Lou Engle rehearsed many of the significant prayer events, as well as entire movements that have been birthed here. I remember being present at some of these events and hearing the stories of others.

"My husband, Jack, and I don't just 'live' in Colorado Springs; we are 'called' here and have worked to steward its destiny. Therefore, these stories felt like part of our heritage, our birthright. Cindy emphasized this to a group of Colorado Springs leaders while here, reminding us that we must steward these spiritual wells in our region. This is important, not so our lives here will be more pleasant and prosperous, but because of the calling on this city to be a spiritual warfare hub, birthing prayer into the nation and nations.

"As I surveyed the room on Sunday night, I saw so many in the room who were active members at Dutch's church when he pastored here. These were people present the night the Lord encountered Dutch with His heart for America. They remember being quietly ushered out of the sanctuary when he was left alone with the Lord those 3 1/2 hours. These were the people who gathered to pray night after night with Dutch in December 2006; Chuck Pierce had prophesied to him that he was in a battle with Baal and needed to call for 21 days of prayer. These were the folks marked by the presence of God when the Lord came and rested here for 90 straight days in 2008.

"Many of these individuals are now in their 60's, 70's and 80's. They came out in force for Dutch's session Sunday night. I also saw many from the host church that have for years battled spiritually in our city. And, of course, there were many from Lou's faithful tribe. It was an interesting mix of over 700 like-minded people.

"As I pondered this that night, I was reminded of the word the Lord gave me for 2024 in November of last year. At that time, I heard Him say, 'I am calling up the Reserves.' Then I heard a call go out, 'Report for duty!'

"When I think of the Reserves, I think of three types:

- 1. Soldiers who have served in full-time active duty but have now retired and serve in the Reserves.
- 2. Those who are 'weekend warriors,' soldiers on the weekend but focus during the week on their jobs and families.
- 3. Those who want an education see this as a way to pay for it; they are being trained and educated while serving.

"I saw all 3 of these types of Reserves in God's prayer army throughout the room Sunday night, and they were being called up to active duty.

"As the meeting started, Holy Spirit led me to **Isaiah 35:3-4: 'Strengthen the weak**

hands and make firm the feeble knees. Say to those who are fearful-hearted, "Be strong, and do not fear! Behold, your God will come with vengeance; with the recompense of God, He will come and save you."

"The Passion Translation words these verses:

'Strengthen those who are discouraged. Energize those who feel defeated. Say to the anxious and fearful, "Be strong and never afraid. Look here comes your God! He is breaking through to give you victory! He comes to avenge your enemies. With divine retribution, He comes to save you!"

"As I pondered these verses and the word regarding calling up the Reserves, I was reminded that there were two fires that day in Colorado Springs. One was on the Air Force Academy grounds, the other on Fort Carson. In over 25 years of living in this area, I have never heard of fires at both bases at the same time; and I can't remember fires ever occurring this time of year. Many times, what is happening in the natural realm is a sign of what God is doing in the spiritual realm. As I pondered this, I felt the Lord was showing me that He was reigniting His prayer army, not only the ground troops, but also His Air Force.

"As Dutch got up to speak, we could tell God was engaging with him in a powerful way. He shared his encounter with the Lord 24 years ago here in Colorado Springs when He received the Father's heart for America. Then he spoke of a recent experience that similarly 'marked' him for America. There seemed to be a convergence of those encounters that night, and Dutch seemed to be weighing what the Lord desired him to do.

"As He yielded the meeting to the Holy Spirit, travail suddenly broke out all across the room; we went into a place of intercession that was rare and incredible. In this time, we experienced a reigniting of the prayer movement, an uncapping of the wells in this city, and a birthing of the new prayer army for this time and season.

"Regarding what the Lord shared with me concerning calling up the reserves, Holy Spirit also said:

- 'There will be fresh uniforms/mantles.'
- 'There will be updated spiritual weapons of warfare.'
- 'We must let go of the past season of both victories and defeats in order to step into the battle before us with fresh vision and faith.'
- 'We need to be rightly connected with other believers.'

"This is a critical time; so much is hanging in the balance. We must pick up the fresh mantles, allow the Lord to replace weakness with strength and refreshing, and put new spiritual weapons in our hands, enabling us to war victoriously."

Pray with me:

Father, You are more than amazing, orchestrating events in our lives when we are totally unaware. I did not even remember that I had an upcoming trip to Colorado Springs when You renewed what You did in me there, and used the song written there to do it. We can trust You to lead us.

We thank You for the reigniting of the prayer movement, and for calling up the Reserves. Thank You for the fresh mantles and updated weaponry, which would surely mean greater revelation of the spiritual weapons You have given us. Thank You for all that was birthed that night in Colorado Springs. I will never forget the roar of travailing intercession released, nor the roar of Your promise: America shall be saved!

We declare Your promise and heart once again today: America shall be saved! We also declare the connection of this to the nations: The greatest outpouring of Holy Spirit in earth's history is coming to the nations of earth. The greatest harvest will result. This will NOT be stopped. And we thank You for this, asking in Yeshua's name.

Our decree:

The prayer movement is being reignited and re-outfitted. And the plans of hell are being unraveled.

Adar [II] 26, 5784: Friday April 5, 2024 The Fatted Calf — The Fat Ones Coming Forth in a Time of Famine

From March 13, 2023 Veronika West Again, this morning, The Holy Spirit spoke to me about The FATTED CALF.

It was an interesting dialogue I had with The LORD (at the beginning of 2023), because He then quickened to me the Prophetic Words I released on the **The Fat Ones coming forth in a Time of Famine**,.

Suddenly I saw such a powerful prophetic parallel between both Words. See the following links here:

- 1. FATTED CALF: "The Fatted Calf Has Been Prepared for Prodigal Nation"
- 2. FAT ONES: "The Ancient Wells Are Being Uncapped"

The Holy Spirit then began to speak to me about **"Fat Nations"** and **"Fat States"** ... without going into too much detail yet, because I am still receiving Revelation on what He is showing me.

I heard these Words, "These Fat Nations and Fat States will become forerunners of a great move of My Spirit, for I AM now bringing forth a greater shaking and separation within The Nations — within The States of The United States.

For the yokes shall be broken off their necks, and the prodigals will turn and return, for this is a time to rebuild the altars once again.

For the Fatted Calf has been prepared! I say watch the states of Florida, Arizona, and Texas!

I say watch, what I will do in these days, that will bring shock and awe! For now, I AM moving in sudden and unexpected ways, mysterious ways that will cause the eyes of all nations to look up!"

Adar [II] 27, 5784: Saturday April 6, 2024 James Nesbit and Wade Butler

In 2 days, the Eclipse of 2024 will pass over the US crossing over the nation in a path that is Biblical in reference and proportion that call the nation into repentance beyond coincidence. The path crosses Jonah Texas, Nineveh TX, Memphis Tennessee, the Ark Museum in Williamstown Kentucky, Little Egypt Missouri, Nineveh Indiana, Nineveh Ohio, Nineveh Pennsylvania, Nineveh New York, and Nineveh Nova Scotia.

This century has had three Eclipses crisscrossed the US to form the ancient Hebrew Letters "ALEPH and TAV," meaning the Beginning and the Last or in Greek the Alpha and Omega, or the Beginning and the End. That alone should tell us something of major significance is at hand. Each of the Eclipses brought about interesting 'coincidences'. The first was followed by flooding in Texas and Louisiana. Next was fires in the Northwest of California. What will this time bring, especially in Little Egypt. Earthquakes are predicted for the area. Won't that be interesting.

Abba, As we prepare our hearts and humble ourselves before You, only You could orchestrate these signs in the heavens getting everyone's attention!

REPENT or prepare the way for Justice and Judgement!

Make the highway of Your heart straight through this desert of the culture of death! The rugged places within each of us that resist Your Lordship Yahweh are becoming level ground and the rough places a plain. That is what this eclipse is all about, the Revelation of Yeshua the Christ! As Yahweh's radiant glory is being unveiled, and all humanity will experience it together.

We will Watch as You deal with the God's of Egypt and like in the times of Noah and the judgement planned for Nineveh, Repent, or be destroyed. The times of folly are coming to an end. Yeshua is saying turn from your wicked ways and seek after ME! The cry was to the wicked to turn to the LORD. It has not changed, Repent or face MY Justice.

In Yeshua mighty Name, Your Kingdom Come to all those coming to view the eclipse who don't know or even have a clue! Pour out Your great mercy upon our Nation O God!

Look at the scripture references below.

"And as it was in the days of Noah, so it will be also in the days of the Son of man"

Luke 17:26

"...An evil and adulterous generation seeks after a sign; and no sign will be given to it except the sign of the prophet Jonah." Matthew 12:39

"... yet forty days, and Nineveh will be overthrown."

Jonah 3:4

The total Solar ECLIPSE that will be taking place on April 8,th of this year will pass through Jonah, Texas and through several towns and cities bearing the name of Nineveh; also passing through Rapture, IN. All this takes place under the constellation, Cetus, which is "THE WHALE." Also included in the path of the eclipse is The ARK in Williamston, KY.

40 days after the eclipse will be May 18th - The eve of Pentecost.



Adar [II] 28, 5784: Sunday April 7, 2024

Lana Vawser: INTERCESSORS, IT'S YOUR HARVEST TIME!!! GET READY TO BE REFRESHED AND EXPONENTIALLY BLESSED!!!

As I recently spent time with the Lord today in worship, I could feel His heart for the INTERCESSORS that have faithfully interceded for their families, for their churches, for cities, for nations, for government, for this next move of God in the earth, for the extension of the Kingdom, for the unification of the body of Christ, for HIM to be glorified.

The atmosphere was filled around me with the sense of BREAKTHROUGH and HARVEST TIME for many intercessors, that have been SO faithful in interceding where the Lord has guided and directed them.

I then heard the words, 'Intercessors, it is YOUR HARVEST TIME!!! GET READY to be REFRESHED and EXPONENTIALLY BLESSED!!!'

I could feel the heart of the Lord, that He had SEEN the price that intercessors have paid in this season to 'COVER' and 'BREAKTHROUGH' in prayer in the areas the Lord was guiding.

He spoke again; 'I have SEEN the price many of you have paid in this season. I have seen the onslaught many of you have faced as you have continued to stand in the gap and intercede. I have seen the personal trials, I have seen the heartache, the tears, and the opposition: and I have been with you, strengthening you, comforting you, leading you, speaking to you and sustaining you. I have seen how many of you have celebrated the breakthrough of others as you have prayed, when your own breakthrough has felt further away than ever, and you have continued to seek Me in purity and worship Me. THIS has MOVED MY HEART!!!!

'The enemy has tried to take many of you out, because you are KEY and STRATEGIC in what I am doing, but I have protected you and hidden you in Me. 'Many of you have POURED OUT, and POURED OUT, and POURED OUT in intercession for MY HEART and MY KINGDOM, and I now decree over you that this is YOUR harvest time. The promises I have given you, over your lives, are now SUDDENLY MANIFESTING! I decree over you that you will now see Amos 9:13-15 manifest in YOUR LIFE. As you have INTERCEDED and

FOUGHT for the breakthrough of others and cities/nations, I decree over you, it is now YOUR TURN!!!!!'

""Yes indeed, it won't be long now." God's Decree.

'Things are going to happen so fast your head will swim, one thing fast on the heels of the other. You won't be able to keep up. Everything will be happening at once—and everywhere you look, blessings! Blessings like wine pouring off the mountains and hills. I'll make everything right again for my people Israel."'

'Blessings upon blessings are going to pour off the mountains and hills in your life as DIVINE ALIGNMENT comes SWIFTLY into your life. Intercessors, this is your SUDDENLY!

"I am HEALING YOU, My faithful intercessors, of the wounds that you have received in battle. I am restoring and vindicating you. I am bringing WATERFALLS of REFRESHMENT to your hearts and souls. You have been through so much this year, My beautiful intercessors. Do not give up! I have heard your cries, and I am here!!! I am FIGHTING FOR YOU, and you will have SIGNIFICANT BREAKTHROUGH!!!'

I AM TAKING YOU FURTHER INTO MY HEART AS YOU HAVE LAID LOW

I saw many of these intercessors living SO LOW in humility and surrender to the Lord. Such pure, beautiful, honoring stewardship of the Lord's heart, His secrets, and His longings. The Lord is now taking you DEEPER into His heart than you have EVER BEEN.

There is an UPGRADE of hearing and seeing that the Lord is releasing upon you. You will see what HE IS DREAMING ABOUT in ways YOU have never DREAMT about!!!!! Encounters with His heart that far surpass what you have experienced are opening up to you in this season as you have faithfully chased after His heart with ONE AGENDA to simply KNOW YESHUA and see Him GLORIFIED!!!

'Well done, My faithful intercessors! GREAT is your REWARD!!!'

Adar [II] 29, 5784: Monday April 8, 2024



April Klaassen-Brown

Am going to share what came during one night, which is a Holy Spirit Nugget of Wisdom. Know the giftings and specific authorities of your Intercessors. Call in the "right connections" for your assignments. Just because a person says they are an intercessor, or you know them to be one [and many are very gifted] you need the RIGHT spiritual authority each specific one carries for whatever is required in an assignment ahead of you.

A specialist essentially in their area of gifting. A group of privates [military analogy] doesn't go take-out high-level stuff in a territory they have no authority in. This is why there are specialists in groups. Not only do you have the "Holy Spirit" assigned intercessor team, but you also are then gifted with their particular Hosts and Angelic Forces. Sometimes even the quietest simplest prayer unleashes the Power of the Holy Spirit like nothing else.

So, this means all of your team is vitality important. Never overlook those who "feel" they may not be "highly specialized" either, these are equally important.

ALWAYS ask the Holy Spirit's instruction and PERMISSION before setting out on an assignment. What may seem like the right thing could be the very thing that wipes your group out. I am going to clarify something; the last sentence pertains to taking on an assignment or "thinking" to take on an assignment just because it seems "like everyone is doing it". It might "seem" like the right thing to do is attack, it might "seem" like the right thing to do is going here, go there but as the Israelites learned if you go ahead of the LORD, it does not bode well.

I want to also add, if you are on a team, the Holy Spirit's gift in you has made the way for you according to Proverbs 18:16 A man's gift opens doors for him and brings him before great men. Walk in this as He has called you to walk with His Blessing and Anointing.

The very first purchase you should be making before anything in prayer or heading out on assignments is from **Proverbs 23:23** [sharing below KJV and ESV] 23 Buy Truth, and do not sell it; buy Wisdom, Instruction, and Understanding. 23 Get the Truth and never sell it; also get Wisdom, Discipline, and good Judgment.

Watch the words of your mouth. A reminder to be careful what you speak.

Prayer to Break word curses:

Father I repent for using word curses against myself friends and family Father I am sorry please forgive me LORD and wash me of these sins with the Blood of Yeshua I ask you Father to lose Waring angels to destroy all banners, scripts, rights, contracts, vows, and negative word curses I have spoken over myself, my children, grandchildren and family and friends be broken NOW in the name of Yeshua. I bind all these word curses to Failure and cover them in the Blood of Yeshua casting them to the pit never to manifest or return. Father I ask you to Loose warring angels to stand guard by what is manifesting for me my family and friends in the spirit realm from you LORD! Thank you Yeshua for this Victory Glory to God! and the Kingdom of Heaven.

To The Dividing Of Soul And Spirit Sharon, Kaseweter, Oregon city, Oregon

The following is a revelation, not only deep but wide and high!

"This was not revealed to you by flesh and blood but by my Father in heaven."

How it began...

I had come across what I determined was Clickbait on one of my social media accounts and was ready to disregard it altogether until it showed up again, but with a somewhat different title!

The caption was so far out there that it was hard to believe and take at face value! But by the unction of the Holy Spirit, I clicked on it, and found myself captivated by the information that was being brought forth! For three hours, hubby, and I watched and listened,. This information was the launchpad for the revelation that my precious friend April and I were given access to.

In the video, the man is explaining that his first 24 years on this earth was of serving Satan at the highest position achievable in the occult! He was spiritually married to a 60-year-old witch the day he was born. And no-one called him by his birth name if they wanted to live, they called him master only. As he was sharing what he had learned from advancing in the ranks of the occult he said something that caused me to stop and pause. He said that he would project onto people what he wanted them to experience, he looked into their eyes to do so and at one point somebody in his circle projected eczema onto a Pastors daughter! This amazed me and opened wide the door to this teaching.

I asked daddy what projecting was and heard "it is the Firey Darts of the wicked one" that one word sent me on a journey of revelatory insight as Holy Spirit began to download. It was deep calling unto deep.

For the next few days, after hearing this man speak, I spoke out, and, in no uncertain terms, commanded the enemy to turn off the projector, I was not giving him permission to project any longer onto me, or into me for that matter!

as far as I was concerned, that man spilled the beans on how the enemy ran the show, and I was going to run with it for all it was worth.

I began to see that it doesn't need to be somebody of the occult, looking into our eyes and projecting into our souls. It can be us putting things before our own eyes that allow access to our soul, because they do not glorify the Lord our God! We put things before our eyes of seriously ungodly nature all day long and don't even realize it! It's almost like the projecting television, computer, cell phone and movies (you know the silver screen) were created for one thing, and one thing only... Not for our convenience or entertainment, as much as for the enemies legal allowance into our soul! programming and projecting, run hand-in-hand!

Think about this, when you get a pain in your body you come into agreement with it by trying to figure out how it came about instead of immediately telling it to get off you and taking the upper hand. By doing so you have allowed the projection to have a foothold in creating a strong hold.

Because Jesus said, by his stripes we were healed, and that is the only thing we want projected on us, is healing! But then it goes further because we share with friends what we're experiencing, allowing it to go deeper in our soul.

During the few days after I had spoken that out I began to notice things, subtle things, and commanded every issue within me to vanish just like when you turn a projector off, and the screen is no longer reflecting what the projector is playing. And I expected it.

It felt like something in me had opened up, that hadn't been opened before, very noticeable change or difference going on inside me!

Around that time, I received a phone call from my friend who wanted to pray about something. The Lord had given her a revelation on another subject matter and as we were praying and prophetically Walking things out that the Father wanted us to put in motion, the Lord began to speak regarding the projector.

While we were pressing in, I heard the words "I am coming, I am coming, I have come", then I saw in the spirit, the Lord Yeshua, stepping through the veil, which I thought was interesting, since the veil had been torn in two in the temple by the father, upon Jesus death. I was thinking, maybe He was going to show us something about that veil that we've never heard.

Then I saw a screen or curtain, seem to be whitish in color, and as I looked at it, I watched it rip in half, and shocked, I asked the Lord "what was that"? He indicated it was the veil that separated the soul from the spirit in the temple of the living God! That's us brothers and sisters! We are the temple of the living God!

The Lord indicated to us, that Jesus never had a separation of soul and spirit, HE was filled with the spirit, without Measure! He indicated that Adam and Eve did not have that veil while they were in the garden! The Veil came through the fall because the spirit died when Adam and Eve sinned! And Satan was in control of the soul of man! Therefor the soul could not handle the purity of the spirit when Jesus Christ offered himself up as a living sacrifice and made the spirit ready for His habitation at salvation! The soul has always been what Satan was after Our mind, will and emotions.

I had to have confirmation of this new revelation He was showing us because I know there are many people that will ask about the biblical soundness of this revelation, Where does it say in scripture there's a soul /spirit veil.

So, when I asked, he said, "How about in Hebrews 4:12 where it says that the double-edged sword pierces to the division of soul and spirit", or in many of the psalms, where the Psalmist declares, HE restores my soul, He redeems my soul from destruction, And in 3 John 2 that we should prosper, and be in health, even as our soul is prospered! What does all it mean, if not the greatest importance of our soul, being in unity with our spirit."

HE also asked, "What happened when I rent the veil in two in the temple"?

To which I answered, "it gave allowance to common man to enter into the once Holy of Holies"! HE seemed pleased with my answer and went on "Your soul needs access to your spirit just as my children needed unhindered access to Me, their father"!

He let me know our souls have struggled because of the projecting the enemy has done over the eons in our family lines!

The Lord is giving our soul a leg up If you will. We have definitely needed help of the Soulish kind. As the time wore on, he showed me how the enemy had projected onto the backside of that veil, and that the enemy could not project into the spirit as it belongs to God! So, when I spoke of that projector being turned off, its ability to be able to project, even if it was on would have no effect any longer!

HE indicated that this was one of the reasons the revivals never lasted because the soul was always being tempted and tormented by the projector!

As the time drew to an end, many revelations were revealed, too much to put here right now, so staying on the subject matter, I ask you to seek the Lord for the conformation of this immense and incredible revelation because it's time for us to be busy about our father's work in all our members and parts.

The Psalmist said, "my soul waitith on the Lord... well, I think our souls have been waitithing on the Lord for a long time!

I felt the Lord sharing that He was preparing our vessels for the full habitation of our Redeemer.

OK testimony time! I always put these things to the test. The Bible tells me to do so.

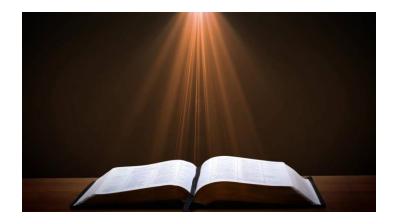
So, I woke up a few mornings after the Lord had showered us with this revelation, and heard HIM say, "**No more sugar**". First thing in the morning before I even had coffee made I knew I was going to be drinking it with cream only!

Always in the past I would not make it a week without a struggle and a slip up and then there's the feeling of what a loser, right!! This time was different. I've had no struggle and as of today, I have not had sugar for 13 days and it's actually very pleasant.

Go to the Lord, beloved ask him what he wants to tell you about this for your life, because this just made mine so much easier, and I look forward to the power brought to the church as we allow the Lord to remove that veil giving our soul access to the spirit within us!

Father, thank you for the revelation of the veil, and show us as we seek your face how to navigate these uncharted waters, and to bring even greater knowledge and understanding of this revelation, to your glory, and for our blessing!

In the name of Yashua Hamashiach, so be it!



CONCLUSION

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