

THE MINISTRY LETTER 2002 ISSUE 13

To all handmaidens and bondservants of the Lord Jesus Christ:

...."the righteous are bold as a lion"....

Proverbs 28:1a Nasb

Praise God for the assurance, the boldness, and the confidence that are manifested in the lives of all those who "abide" in righteousness! As one feeds continually upon the Word of God they begin to experience an "assurance" deep in their heart that will carry them through even the darkest of situations. This assurance is in no way connected to "self". This is a divine assurance and confidence which is imparted to them by the Spirit of God Himself! Many children of God maintain a "partial" grip on their lives and thus they fall prey to a "self-reliance" - which keeps them in bondage to darkness and prevents them from trusting the Father fully for their "entire" sustenance in the earth. This mistrust of God - and the ensuing failure to obey His Word - causes one to be devoid of any "true" assurance whatsoever and leaves them clinging to "false" hopes that are shrouded in fear. It is because the word of the Cross has not been effectively preached from many pulpits that there remains a great "acceptance" of self-sufficiency within the church. Many churches still depend upon the "world" and its ways to handle their business affairs (marketing etc.) and thus they open themselves up to the attacks and control of Satan. Because of this "fellowship" with the world these churches provide little in the way of godly leadership and example to vast multitudes of God's children - and thus the "sheep" they have been entrusted with remain bound by a life of fear and self-sufficiency. It could be said that to the degree one depends upon the world and its ways, to that degree they will lack the "godly assurance" and revelation knowledge born of a divine faith. If the people of God are taught that it is acceptable in any way to rely on oneself then why would they find it necessary to keep their eyes fixed on Jesus (the Word of God) and rely upon the wisdom of God at ALL times? For too long the church - for the most part - has worshipped at the altar of the world and, by doing so, has promoted a self-reliance which has greatly hindered the multitudes from the life of total dependency upon the Father and His Word that they are called to. Let us be a holy people who constantly forsake the "self-life", for as we do we shall surely come into the place of "abiding" and rest - the place wherein we abide in the absolute love and faith of Almighty God. It is in this place alone that divine boldness and assurance - which are the certain by-products of the "force" of righteousness - shall manifest continually in our lives!

Related Scriptures: (Acts 4:31) (Ephesians 3:11:12) (James 4:4) (1 Thessalonians 2:1-2)
(1 Corinthians 1:30) (Romans 7:18) (1 Peter 2:24) (Matthew 6:33)

THERE IS A NECESSARY "ACCLIMATIZATION" THAT MUST TAKE PLACE IN THE LIVES OF ALL THOSE WHO TRULY DESIRE TO FULFIL THEIR DESTINY IN CHRIST

It must be clearly understood by every child of God desiring to fulfil their destiny in Christ that in these days there is a necessary "acclimatization" in the "inner chamber" (and in the true "corporate" environments) that must take place for one to be perfectly enabled and empowered to receive, dwell in, and handle accurately, those glorious things which are about to "overtake" the true servants of God. Failure to obey the desires of the Father's heart concerning fellowship with Him on an individual level will preclude that "negligent" one from partaking of their Kingdom position - and thus they will fall far short of the Glory that is about to be released in the midst of all those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom of God - and His righteousness.

A SERIES OF SUPERNATURAL "CHAIN REACTIONS" SHALL BEGIN TO TAKE PLACE

In this last hour - as the children of God enter into close and intimate fellowship with the Father and His Word in the "inner chamber" - a series of supernatural "chain reactions" shall begin to take place throughout the Body of Christ, due to their continued acknowledgement of God in ALL of their ways.

1. TRUE SPIRITUAL ENVIRONMENTS WILL BE ESTABLISHED - BOTH INDIVIDUALLY AND CORPORATELY:

- These "true" spiritual environments will be places wherein one is found "far above" both the wiles and the destructive attacks of the Evil One. The establishment of EVERY true spiritual environment - both individually and corporately - begins with obedience in one's individual walk. This allows the Father to establish His perfect positioning for that obedient one - day in and day out (again, both individually and corporately).

- These "true" spiritual environments will be places both ordered and sustained by "revelation knowledge" - without exception.

- These "true" spiritual environments (from the cities of refuge to the glorious marriages and families that will be established to the schools of the Holy Spirit) will be places that shall be found to be "impenetrable" in any way in the days ahead, by any "force" which has its origin apart from God's Word and the Holy Spirit - both individually and corporately!

One of the firstfruits of one's obedience in entering into the "inner chamber" will be:

2. THE FATHER IS GOING TO REVEAL THE DEPTHS OF HIS CHARACTER AND FATHERHOOD TO A CONTINUALLY GREATER DEGREE

and this will produce:

3. THE REMOVAL OF THE "INFERIORITY COMPLEX" AND "SIN-CONSCIOUSNESS" THAT MANY OF GOD'S CHILDREN HAVE CONTINUED TO HOLD TO - UP UNTIL THIS TIME

"Sin-consciousness" - a greater consciousness or awareness through fear of what one has been redeemed from, rather than what they have been redeemed into (Christ - the Anointed One and His Anointing) through an "abiding" faith.

and this will produce:

4. A PERFECT TRUST IN THE FATHER AND HIS WORD - RELEASING A POWERFUL AND HEAVY ANOINTING OF TOTAL AND ABSOLUTE "CONSECRATION IN ONE'S LIFE"

and this will produce:

5. A SUPERABUNDANT RELEASE OF THE SPIRIT OF WISDOM AND REVELATION IN THE INNER MAN

and this will produce

6. GLORIOUS (DIVINE) CONNECTIONS

and this will produce

7. THE CORPORATE MANIFESTATION OF THE GLORIOUS CHURCH THROUGHOUT THE EARTH - A CHURCH WITHOUT SPOT OR WRINKLE

and this will produce

8. THE FULFILLMENT OF THE FATHER'S PLAN FOR THE CHURCH IN THIS AGE AND THE REAPING OF THE FINAL HARVEST (WHEREIN VAST MULTITUDES COME INTO TRUE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LIVING CHRIST AND SATAN AND HIS FORCES ARE DEVASTATED TO AN UNPRECEDENTED DEGREE SINCE CALVARY!)

Note: There are of course many other "chain reactions" that will take place within this framework and they shall be dealt with in more depth in the glorious days ahead.

Let us hear the words of the Father:

THE KEY TO THE LIFE OF PERFECT OBEDIENCE IS THE "INNER CHAMBER"

....The key to the life of perfect obedience is the "inner chamber"! Without spending the time in fellowship with Me which I require My children can never abide in that position which will allow them to receive the fullness of the authority I have blessed them with in Christ. And without the "fullness" of authority they shall fall short of the fullness of My will. My sole aim in this last hour is to lead My children into the fullness of "My Best". For it is only as My ministers minister the "fullness" of My salvation that will allow the fullness of My will for My Church to come to pass. Therefore, teach My children these things for My time has come!"....

...."Any hardness found in one's heart shall surely dissolve as they enter into perfect fellowship with Me (inner chamber)"....

...."The empowerment for one to become a "living sacrifice" is the product of time spent with Me in perfect fellowship in the "inner chamber"....

...."The "inner chamber" is the catalyst to a heart wholly given"....

"IN THEIR RELUCTANCE TO MEASURE FULLY THE WORD THAT I HAVE SPOKEN, THEY SHALL SURELY OPEN A DOOR TO SATAN"

...."To all those who "refuse" to hearken to the words that I speak - concerning the "inner chamber" - they shall "invite" immediate trouble, for in their reluctance to measure fully the word that I have spoken, they shall surely open a door to Satan and he shall be "allowed" to "squelch" (suppress) any seed that had been planted as My Word went forth, and thus to whom much has been given much, shall more be given and to those who have received little, because of the hardness of their hearts, even the small amount that they have shall be "stolen" away!"....

"I SHALL REVEAL MYSELF (MY FATHERHOOD)"

...."I shall abide in My holy apostles and prophets and they shall abide in Me. And I shall reveal Myself (My Fatherhood) through them wherever they go and in whatever they speak. And I shall bless (empower)

them with a "special anointing" of My "Holy Fire" - a Fire that shall consume every "misrepresentation" and "lie" concerning Me. And this "anointing of Fire" shall also release great waves of healing and restoration in the wake of the path that I shall lead them on. And I shall lead them to many and I shall lead many to them for truly I say to you, the multitudes shall see a "great light" and as that great light exposes any and every "ground of irreconciliation" concerning their relationships with their "fathers" and "mothers" - and therefore their "irreconciliations" with Me - I shall supernaturally heal and restore all who will simply cast down any remaining ground of "unforgiveness" within them - for I cannot and will not honour unforgiveness in any way, shape or form!"

"BECAUSE OF THESE THINGS MANY SHALL COME - FOR THE FIRST TIME - INTO A PROPER RELATIONSHIP WITH ME"

Because of these things many shall come, for the first time, into a "proper" relationship with Me and truly I say to you, from this place they shall "then" take their true position of leadership (servanthood) within the Body of Christ and in "their" perfect restoration there shall "immediately" come forth a great and glorious restoration of the "family" and a great and glorious restoration of true spiritual authority in the midst of all those who truly love Me. And there shall not be "any" religious spirit found to be "standing" in their path! And thus, shall the final stages of My great and glorious plan come to pass and in that moment I shall receive My precious sons and daughters into My very presence for eternity!"....

"THE CHIEF CHARACTERISTIC OF ALL SIN-CONSCIOUSNESS IS THAT IT DENIES TO SOME DEGREE THE POWER OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS"

...."Sin-consciousness" is the "mind-set" that believes and practices (holds to) words or doctrines that are the product of a "mental ascension" to My Word. It is "any" belief held to apart from the "revelation knowledge" imparted by My Spirit - the Spirit of wisdom and revelation. The chief characteristic of ALL "sin-consciousness" is that it denies to some degree the power of the Precious Blood of My dear Son - a "power" that is needed for each and every one of My children to victoriously "rise above" the attempts on their life and ministry by the Evil One in this last hour - and ALWAYS leaves that one holding to (believing in) it in a position of "non-resistance" to the destructive schemes of Satan and his forces. In this last hour the "refusal" to separate oneself from the "bondage" and "darkness" of sin-consciousness shall result in that one taking up a position - by their own choice - outside the Covenants of Promise and thus they (and those with them) shall be "openly" attacked by Satan and his forces due to the "lawlessness" at work within them until such a time as a deep and thorough repentance is forthcoming!"....

...."The "spirit of consecration" shall rest "heavily" upon all those who cross the path of My holy apostles and prophets and this shall "provoke" deep within them a deep and reverential fear and awe of Me!"....

"THOSE WHOSE HEARTS ARE TOWARD ME TO ANY DEGREE SHALL IMMEDIATELY COME UNDER A POWERFUL AND HEAVY ANOINTING OF TOTAL AND ABSOLUTE CONSECRATION"

...."Through the anointing abiding within My holy apostles and prophets I shall begin to "elevate" all those of My people who truly love Me to heights heretofore "unseen" by them and they shall begin to operate for the first time in the "fulness" of the authority that is theirs in Christ - the Anointed One and His Anointing. And they shall go forth in such power and glory that all those who cross their path shall be astounded. Those whose hearts are toward Me to "any" degree shall immediately come under a powerful and heavy anointing of total and absolute "consecration" and from this place they shall go forth - even as babes in Christ - to devastate every "stronghold" and "scheme" of Satan in their path and I shall literally multiply (expand) My Church at a rate that is, in this time, "incomprehensible" to even the most sanctified of My children!"....

...."If My children do not "discipline" themselves to bring every thought captive to a perfect obedience (perfect love) then they shall surely be found, to a certain degree, to be speaking and acting apart from the "Spirit of wisdom and revelation"!....

...."As My people abide in My Word then it is certain that the Spirit of wisdom and revelation shall continually supercede the "spirit of mental ascent" (reasonings)!....

"IN THIS WAY SHALL THE TRUE CHURCH BECOME A PHYSICAL REALITY IN THE EARTH"

...."In these days I am planting the "seeds" of knowledge and revelation in the hearts of "all" those who truly love Me. Then, as I send forth My apostles and prophets - speaking the deepest thoughts and intentions of My heart concerning My Church and My Kingdom - these consecrated and holy ones of Mine, through their continued "willingness" to do all of My will, shall know beyond a shadow of a doubt that the words which have been spoken through the apostles and prophets are mine - and thus, they shall "freely" obey and conform themselves to My wisdom for My Church in this last hour. In this way shall the "true" Church become a "physical" reality in the earth, crashing down the boundaries of time and space, bringing the "true" light into the darkness, the holy into the secular and the sacred into the profane - kingdom against kingdom! There is much that many of My children have "mentally-ascended" to concerning "My" plan for the Church in this last hour and unless they forsake their "own" ideas they shall never be in the "right place" at the "right time" to make the "glorious connections" which I have ordained for them"....

...."This is no time for My children to "mince" words!"....

"mince" - to moderate the force or strength of; Latin: "minguere" - to lessen; make smaller;

...."Religious" spirits "warp" My Word in order to carry out Satan's highest purpose in the life of the one that they are seeking to "control"!....

"warp" - to turn from a correct course; to give a twist or bias to; to corrupt; distort;

MEDITATIONS ON THE TRUE CHRISTIAN LIFE:

+ There is no "imperfection" in the Father! There is no "imperfection" in His will for us! There is no "imperfection" in His love for us! There is no "imperfection" in His treatment of us! There is no "imperfection" in His "disciplining" of us! There is no "imperfection" in the "ministry" He has given us! There is no "imperfection" in His Word! Every child of God "must" come to the "full realization" that there is no "imperfection" in the Father and His Word!

+ Communion or the Lord's Supper when carried out under the unction of the Holy Spirit and with a pure heart makes strife and contention impossible between brothers and sisters. For the realization will always be there that they too have been redeemed by the blood of the Lamb.

Matthew 18:4-35

+ People who depend on the natural are overly defensive of all that they do.

2 Corinthians 5:7

- + Beware of compromise because you are afraid of strife. What you view as potential strife may be simply speaking the truth in love. Be led by the Holy Spirit.
- + The only thing that can keep a person in bondage to a sin-consciousness is a rebellious heart.
- + A believer is only effective in the service of God to the degree that they are able to hear the voice of the Holy Spirit.
- + The Holy Spirit brings us face to face with the law of faith and shows us that to doubt God is wrong, to hold an anxious care is wickedness, that to pray in unbelief is to take the Name of God in vain, and in short to show us beyond a shadow of doubt that whatever does not proceed from faith in the Word of God is sin.

Romans 3:27; Romans 14:23b

- + The Holy Spirit is the power of God in our work; the fire that all of Satan's floods cannot extinguish; the fire that delights in the hardest places and the most difficult undertakings. We need not fear to claim this power for our mightiest difficulties and glorify God all the more in the face of Satan's fiercest opposition.

1 John 4:4

- + The Holy Spirit is the consuming fire to whom we can safely leave all our enemies and all the hate of hell and the world.
- + It is a wonderful thing when even ungodly men are compelled to see and glorify God in our lives. There is no greater triumph of holy character than to compel the testimony of the men of the world to the power of God in us.

Genesis 41:38-40

- + For anyone to presume to represent the Son of God, to stand between the living and the dead, to act as an ambassador of Christ, to bear salvation to dying men, to bring men from darkness to light and from the bondage of Satan unto God without the anointing of the Holy Spirit, is the most daring presumption and the most offensive impertinence to the God whom they misrepresent and to the men on whom they impose.

Luke 4:18

- + There are greater calamities than to be unpopular or misunderstood. There are far worse things than to be found in the minority. Let us be content with His recognition and man's praises will count for little and the Father will give us all that we need of help and praise from flesh and blood. Let us make no compromise to please men. Let us only seek His will, His glory, His approval in all things for His Word and His Spirit are truly enough.

Matthew 6:1-4

- + "Divine Health" is not the self constituted strength of our physical body; but it is brought about by the supernatural force of the Divine presence, filling our frame and quickening our vital systems as we are wholly

separated from worldly and forbidden things and living in communion with the Holy Spirit. This life is the life of Jesus manifested in our mortal flesh. It is a very sacred life, for it keeps us constantly separated from the world and unto God and is a wholesome check upon the purity and obedience of our lives.

Romans 8:11 KJV

"BE FILLED WITH THE SPIRIT"

PART ONE

"MANY CHILDREN OF GOD HAVE LITTLE KNOWLEDGE OF THE MINISTRY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT"

...."The meek He will guide in judgement and the meek He will teach His way...."

Psalm 25:9 KJV

...."But the Comforter (Counselor, Helper, Intercessor, Advocate, Strengtheners, Standby) the Holy Spirit, Whom the Father will send in My name to represent Me and act on My behalf, He will teach you all things...."

John 14:26 Amplified

...."But when He, the Spirit of Truth comes, He will guide you into all the truth; for He will not speak on His own initiative, but whatever He hears, He will speak; He will disclose to you what is to come"....

John 16:13

...."If we live by the Holy Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit. If by the Holy Spirit we have our life in God, let us go forward walking in line, our conduct controlled by the Spirit"....

Galatians 5:25 Amplified

...."But as for you, (the sacred appointment, the unction) the anointing which you received from Him, abides permanently in you; so then you have no need that any one (flesh and blood) should instruct you. But just as His anointing teaches you concerning everything and is true, and is no falsehood, so you must abide, live never to depart, rooted in Him, knit to Him just as His anointing has taught you to do"....

1 John 2:27 Amplified

Each one of the above scriptures points out clearly the essence of the true Christian life. As we continue on with this teaching we will look closely at the ministry of the Holy Spirit and we shall see clearly what an absolute and wondrous blessing we have received in the Person of the Holy Spirit. We shall see just how important He is to us personally - and indeed to our entire calling and purpose in this earth. Many children of God have little knowledge of the ministry of the Holy Spirit, and this MUST change before the church begins to walk in the fulness of the authority she has been given in Christ (Matthew 28:18-20). As we look at the many different aspects of the ministry of the Holy Spirit we shall be enabled to see clearly how important it is

for each and every believer to bring themselves into a position of total and absolute submission to Him in every facet of their lives. It is only when the awesome truth concerning the ministry of the Holy Spirit has been revealed to the heart of the believer that they will begin to walk in the fulness of their calling - having become that pure and clean "channel" of the Father's Love and Light to a world which is perishing in darkness and sin.

"EACH AND EVERY BELIEVER MUST KNOW THAT THEY ARE CALLED TO BE SEPARATED FROM FELLOWSHIP WITH THE WORLD AND ITS WAYS, AND LIVE A LIFE OF HOLINESS BEFORE THEIR HEAVENLY FATHER - FROM THE POSITION OF ABIDING IN THE PLACE OF A HEART "WHOLLY GIVEN TO HIM"

As we have mentioned in previously many times, it is a most important thing for each child of God to have firmly established in their heart a revelation of the Divine Requirement set out for them in the Word of God (Luke 10:27. Each and every believer must know that they are called to be separated from fellowship with the world and its ways (James 4:4), and live a life of holiness before their Heavenly Father (1 Peter 1:16) - from the position of abiding in the place of a heart "wholly given to Him. Until the child of God comes to the full realization of this truth in their heart they will be bound by carnality to some degree, and will not be found walking as a representative of the "true" Christian life. This is a most urgent matter for the church to deal with! It is certain that the Word of God concerning holiness and the ministry of the Holy Spirit must be taught and preached from every pulpit - for the hour is late and the flock MUST come to "know" the Voice of its Master. How are people to call upon the Holy Spirit and the Word in Whom they have no faith - and on Whom they have no reliance? And how are they to trust in and rely upon Him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without a preacher (Romans 10:14)?

"IF A CHILD OF GOD CONTINUALLY NEGLECTS THE WONDROUS PROVISION OF DIVINE EMPOWERMENT THEY HAVE BEEN GIVEN IN THE HOLY SPIRIT, THEY WILL BE AN EASY TARGET"

Many pastors within the church - and in particular amongst traditional denominational circles - are either ignorant of, or afraid of, putting forth the Word of God concerning the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. This has caused a very serious and dangerous situation to develop! In this last hour Satan has begun to come against the household of God (Hosea 8:1) in a very intense and ferocious way - knowing that his time is short. He can sense the continually greater presence of the Holy Spirit in many parts of the Body of Christ with each passing day and this strikes great fear and terror in his heart. Because of these things he must continually attempt to keep the believer who has not received a revelation of the Divine Requirement and the Baptism of the Holy Spirit in darkness. If a child of God continually neglects - in these most critical and glorious days - the wondrous provision of Divine empowerment they have been given in the Holy Spirit, they will be an easy target for the destruction and death that Satan is seeking to inflict upon every child of God who - by an act of their will - chooses to make themselves a stranger to the covenants of promise found in the Word of God. The failure to adhere to the fulness of the wonderful salvation which the Heavenly Father has provided for each one of His children in Christ (Hebrews 1:14_2:4) shall surely result in some form of tragic devastation at the hands of the Evil One and his forces.

"THE TRUE CHRISTIAN LIFE AND CALLING IS NOT SOME GAME!"

The true Christian life and calling is not some game! It is a profound reality that is about to manifest corporately in the earth - and literally turn it upside down! Satan has continually attempted to stop the manifestation of the Glorious Church and the great outpouring of the Holy Spirit that shall be her legacy - but he has failed, and shall continue to fail - miserably! Every child of God who is seeking to walk after the commandments of God will be led by the Holy Spirit to the place - day in and day out - wherein they will have

the opportunity to experience His fulness. It is the will of the Father for each and every one of His beloved children to be filled with His Spirit (Luke 11:13) at all times. He knows - AND SO SHOULD WE - that we will need to operate continually in the fulness of our salvation in Christ to get the job done accurately and thus reap the maximum fruit and glory for the Kingdom that He has purposed!

"CATCH HOLD OF THE WIND"

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"Catch hold of the Wind in this moment. Catch hold of the Wind, and the Wind shall take you into the place that God has for you, the place of your destiny according to your calling and that which you have desired. I will transport you according to the power of My Kingdom, the power of My Spirit, and the Power of My Word. Lay aside all doubt and unbelief, for this is the moment of transportation. I will elevate you and bring you forth and impart to your spirit that which will come by way of the Wind, the way of the Spirit, the way of the moving of the Water, the manifestation of which you will see very shortly. Open your hearts and spirits, for I am bringing forth a manifestation of My Kingdom that abides within. Come quickly and lay aside all doubt. Come quickly and lay aside all hesitation. Come quickly, for I am the God that will bring you into the Kingdom and bring forth the manifestation in My Kingdom.

"COME FORTH, MY CHILDREN, AND NO LONGER WALK FOR THIS IS THE DAY OF RUNNING"

I say, mount up, for is not the horse and rider that has come against you thrown into the sea? Why are you walking when you could ride? Why are you struggling when you could be victorious? Why are you striving when you could gain that which I have given, that which I have spoken? Yea, I have seen you struggling, but have you not understood that the power of the blood has caused you to stand upon your feet and clothe you in righteousness and enable you to walk in the power of My Kingdom and receive the blessings and the promises that accompany salvation? Come forth, My children, and no longer walk for this is the day of running and even the day of riding on the Wind and power of My Spirit.

"RUN THE RACE WITH THE EXPECTATION THAT YOU WILL WIN"

Get ready to move. Get ready to be transported. Get ready to receive the promise of your inheritance, which exists in the realm of the Spirit. Now I prophesy to you that you may prosper according to the Word that has been given to you. Run the race with the expectation that you will win. No longer languish at the pools of destruction. No longer allow oppression to abide within you or to come upon you. Allow My Spirit to come upon you, and allow the manifestation of the Spirit to propel, promote and provoke you and cause you to be a warrior of the Spirit, for this is the day of war. Your adversary will be cast down. His devices shall be destroyed. It is the day that I call forth My glorious ones. No longer do you see yourselves as servants and stewards, but you are beginning to gain revelation that you are sons in the Kingdom. Today I translate you into the Kingdom of the Son of My Glory. I will move you and elevate you if you will receive and believe. This is the beginning of a new day for you.

"BE READY FOR THE DIVISION AND SEPARATION THAT WILL COME"

It is time to come up higher; it is time to move from the spiritual station you are in and become sons of God exercising kingdom authority and power. It is a time to walk over all the works of the enemy, a time to be renewed in spirit, a time to bring yourself to a rededication of your life according to My purposes. There is a great war coming and crisis in many lives in the days ahead. You must be fit for the battle you must have revelation of My kingdom. Be ready for the widening gap between right and wrong, between the lukewarm and those who worship in spirit and in truth, between those who just call themselves Christians and those who are really living in the Spirit. Be ready for the division and separation that will come, for surely it must come, for it is written that the wheat and the tares shall see the day when they do not dwell together. Ready yourselves and strengthen yourselves by way of desire and resolve for the war that is about to come. Do not concern yourselves with the cares of the world, for no soldier of Christ attaches himself to the world. The soldiers who are prepared are the ones who are taught by Christ; they know Him and will discern the works of the enemy - his methods and strategies. You are My soldiers. Ready yourselves for the battle. Do not be distracted by the cares of the world."

"YOU ARE IN A SEASON OF GROWTH AND MATURATION"

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"You are in a season of growth and maturation. This is a necessary work for you to attain to the measure of the fullness of your inheritance in Jesus Christ. Walk in alertness and sensitivity to My Spirit, for I will be providing opportunities for you to take a step of faith from where you currently reside to a place of greater occupation in the spirit realm. This process will resemble that of weaning, for it is necessary that you cut off these places of dependence that are apart from Me. To refrain from this process will result in spiritual crippling and retardation. However, if you will yield to this process of maturation, you will be prepared for a greater place of responsibility within My kingdom. Though it may feel at times that you will not survive, endure the weaning and press on in faith that I will bring you through this time of spiritual development."

"If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom a father does not chasten? Now no chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it."

Hebrews 12:7,11

THE SECOND DAY

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VISION: I saw the words "second day" typed on a computer screen. Someone scrolled down until they were no longer visible. Then I heard the Lord say these words:

"The second day has come and gone. You have entered into a new day - a new hour. This is the day of life - resurrection life in Me. Look up, My dear church! I say look up! Your redemption draws nigh. The time of holiness and prosperity in Me has surely arrived. I have singled out each of My children for this hour to walk in an unprecedented way into the time of power and might in Me. You are eager for all to be manifested. I am eager too, beloved. I am eager to see you rise up strong. I am eager to see you pop off those grave

clothes, and march forth in victory. The hour is here. The time is right. The Beloved has spoken and His words will not be thwarted. The Beloved has seen fit in this hour to announce a wonder that is zooming down the pike toward My beloved. It is coming soon in the wonder and majesty of a great hour. It is coming, beloved. For behold, I do a new thing across the earth - a righteous thing - a thing that could only come by the true and holy One - the One who IS the Resurrection and the Life. That new thing is going to be found in you - in the way you walk, and in the way you talk. It is going to be seen shining forth from your face. It is going to be seen in a power and might that will give testimony to My grace.

"I HAVE CALLED YOU INTO A HOLY HOUR - A HOLY TIME IN ME"

The second day has surely come and gone. The third day of My righteousness, raining down on My beloved, has begun. Look up, My beloved. See the manifestation of the sons of glory as they take wing - as they take flight - doing My bidding, and bringing this final day to a close. Let the third day move along with swift feet, and let the Beloved take His rightful place in the hearts of His chosen, ruling and reigning in power and might forever. I have called you into a holy hour - a holy time in Me. You have been set apart to take action on behalf of the Beloved. Know that it pleases My heart for this hour to manifest in the wonder that will get the world's attention. Know that it pleases My heart to see each of you, standing your firm ground in Me, and marching forth to My tune. I am teaching you a new song. I am giving you a new avenue to explore. I am calling you My holy ones. You are the ones who will fulfill the heart's desire of your Father, standing strong in the face of the adversary. Yes! You are My chosen in this day - this third day! Now rise up men and women of God! Rise up, take your rightful position in Me, and see the goodness of the Almighty as it rains forth. See the goodness of the Beloved on display in your lives, and know without a doubt that you have not only entered a new era in Me - you have entered a new era where the world will come into a new realization and hope of life everlasting. Because I am He. I am the One who causes hope to spring eternal. I am the One who works change for good in hearts made of stone. I am the One who can change the destiny of one, turning that one on a dime, and moving that one in the direction of My holy love.

"NO ONE WILL BE ABLE TO STAND DURING THIS TIME OF UPHEAVAL UNLESS HE BE IN ME"

Yes! This is the hour for My resplendent beauty to manifest in hearts. The second day has come, and it has gone. A new day has now begun, and you will see the beauty of this hour in your lives. You will see it and be astounded. You will see it, and bow down and worship Me in a new way, to a new song, in this new hour. I am your God. I am the One who reigns from His holy mountain. I reign in the hearts of all who will surrender to Me, and walk in the majesty of My love. Yes! It is I Who is holy. It is I Who delights in My chosen, and you will see the manifestation of My delight, beloved, deep within your heart. You will see that I, the True and Holy One, have turned the tables on the enemy. You will see that I have set some things right side up in your lives. But, oh, beloved, in the world - in the world - you will see that I have turned things on end, and no one can stand in the face of the topsy turvy world that is about to be displayed unless he is walking in the path of the righteous One. No! No one will be able to stand during this time of upheaval unless he be in Me - inside Me - walking in the beauty of this day - this third day!!!"

STANDING AT THE PRECIPICE

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Several times today the Lord would whisper, "Standing at the Precipice" to me as I was going about my

daily duties. After it came the second time, I realized the Lord was trying to catch my attention about something. After a time of contemplation, the Lord began to speak to me about it:

"Many of My people are standing in different places. Some are in places of My choosing, and some are in places of their choosing, and some are not in My Will at all."

Now, that got my attention!

The Lord then said:

The ones that are in my chosen place for them are those who have fully surrendered to Me, and who have not cared for the things of the world. They have weathered many storms in this season and they have not wavered, even though they have been tossed and torn repeatedly in the process. They have seen the condition of their hearts, and have drawn near to Me for cleansing and restoration. They have not minded exposure and pain. For they have seen My Glory, and have partaken of My Mercy."

"THEY HAVE REACHED A PLACE OF STAGNATION AND DROUGHT"

The ones who have stood in the places of their own choosing, have now come to a crossroads and have literally stopped growing. They have reached the place of stagnation and drought. The freshness of the Joy of the Lord is not there anymore, and their Love for one another has waned. Fatigue has set in, because of having to strive to maintain their position. They are fighting in their own strength and not by the Power of the Lord. Frustration has drained them of life and fruitfulness.

"ISOLATION AND FEAR PLAGUE THEM"

The ones who have left the Father's will for their life, are walking in darkness. It is like a thick, black blanket that cuts off the light of the Sun. They feel smothered and backed into a corner with no where to go. Isolation and fear plague them. They cannot find their way, and wander in dry, barren places. They are troubled in spirit and have trouble drawing near to the Lord. They no longer hear God's voice and have trouble making decisions. Troubles plague them and they have no peace.

MERCY

Then the Lord showed me a picture of what he is doing within His people who will respond to Him now, in this hour, even if they are not in His will. If they will turn to Him, and call upon Him, He will lift them up, and bring them forth into His Light.

VISION: He showed me a silhouette of a human body. It was like someone had drawn the outline of a body on a piece of paper. It was blank inside the outline. It was as if everything inside of it had drained out. But it was out in front of me, and not on paper.

Then the Lord said that He was removing everything inside of us that is not of Him. Everything was being drawn out and He was allowing the emptying, to prepare us for the filling. He said that many of His people are in this stage. Many are struggling with the emptying and believe that they are lost, or that they are separated from Him somehow. But they are just feeling the effects of the cleansing, and are right where they are supposed to be. The Lord wants to give them His Peace.

Then I saw the silhouette begin to change. Its outline began to shine. It took on the appearance of transparent, shiny fabric. (Sorry, it's hard to describe!) It was flexible, yet strong, yet transparent in its

makeup. Then, as I watched it, the body began to change. There was a fluid liquid that began to rise up from the bottom of the body. It was gold, but not gold. A dazzling pearl like color, that was translucent, and yet fiery. It began to rise up and slowly fill up the blank insides of the body outline.

The Living liquid was alive. I could feel it. As I watched it rise, I could feel what it felt like in the body. I felt tingly, and yet strong. A vibrancy overcame me, and I have never felt more alive! Great surges of Joy and Awe filled my being!

The Body began to move and to turn this way and that. Then it raised its hands to heaven and blessed the Lord. The pure unhindered love poured out of it towards the Lord. I was overwhelmed at the unhindered rush of desire that came from its heart for the Lord. It burst forth in its intensity that made me feel as if I was lacking, and that I wanted this infilling also. I began to cry out to the Lord for this kind of love.

The Lord said that He is now bringing forth the Infilling of His Glory into His prepared vessels. They have been emptied of pride, self, and flesh. All striving has ceased and they are waiting for the Promise. It comes up through the feet because they stand on the Rock of Jesus Christ, and all things flow out through the Son. It rises up and totally fills them with the knowledge of the Lord and His Fullness. Then the Transformation will be complete.

Then the Sons Of God will be released!

"YOU ARE GOING TO NEED ENDURANCE AND STAMINA

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"This is a time for paying close attention to yourself and to the priorities I have given you. Just as a runner prepares himself for racing I want you to begin serious preparation for the spiritual race that is before you. You are going to need endurance and stamina far beyond your present capacity and ability. I want you to be in excellent condition because of what you will soon begin to encounter. Consider your call and your giftings. I have deposited much in you. Place both on my altar for consumption by My purifying fires. Study and meditate on my promises and the principles which I have given. Refresh yourself and your memory on the basics. I don't want you to be unawares when testings and trials begin to occur. Consider yourself at the base of a mountain which you must climb. It is very tall and rugged. You will be climbing it soon. The prize at the end of the climb is the full and clear operation of my kingdom and power. You will come face to face with your manifest destiny. You know the climb will be strenuous and demanding. Therefore I want you to prepared yourself for exerting effort that is beyond your comfort zone. Endure the pain. Examine yourself and face any weaknesses. Strengthen those areas. See if there is any excessive baggage or burdens that you are carrying. Get rid of them now while you have the opportunity and time."

1 Timothy 4:16: "Pay close attention to yourself and to your teaching; persevere in these things; for as you do this you will insure salvation both for yourself and for those who hear you."

Ezekiel 38:7: "Be prepared, and prepare yourself, you and all your companies that are assembled about you, and be a guard for them."

THE CITY OF REFUGE

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"This is a day of pressing in and breaking through. As you have journeyed through the desert, I have brought you a refreshing drink of water in times of dryness. This is the season and the time to move towards your City of Refuge as I have shone My light on your pathway. Faithful are those who have journeyed and travelled and now stand at the front of the city gate. I have set a place in order for you, a dwelling place. For you have prayed, persisted and endured the fullness of the cross to get to this very point where you stand right now. So do not ponder and stare at the city gates wondering, "Is there a blessing inside this fortified place or shall I look for another?" Do not allow procrastination to deposit doubt and unbelief in your heart, but be free to enter into the fullness of your salvation. Pull down all vain imaginations and know that there is freedom in entering into the city through the city gates.

"I HAVE APPOINTED GODLY LEADERSHIP AT THE GATE OF MY CITY"

I have appointed godly leadership at the gate of My city. These are men and women who are filled with mercy and grace. This is a place of freedom where many can flow in and out of the city for I hold nobody back and I offer a time of blessing. Enter this day; take that step of faith with praise upon your lips, and the gates of provision will open wide bringing joy and peace in the Holy Ghost. Yes, enter into the city of the Lord and let the Holy Spirit cause deep revelation to flow from your innermost being. Be in fellowship one with another and know that the love of God rules and reigns in My city. Serve with joy and peace and drink deep of that living water. For when I gave you a cup in that thirsty, dry land, it came from the well of salvation in the heart of My city. My dear ones, you have journeyed long and hard and as you stand outside the city gates you will observe a banner within. Written in the blood of the Lamb upon this banner it reads, "Welcome home beloved, enter into the rest of the Lord."

Isaiah 62:10 NKJ "Go through, go through the gates! Prepare the way for the people. Build up, build up the highway! Take out the stones, Lift up a banner for the peoples!"

"CONCERN YOURSELF WITH ETERNAL ISSUES"

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Proverbs 4:23: "Keep your heart with all diligence, for out of it spring the issues of life."

"Rejection is an issue. It springs out of your emotions, and personal rejection is basically irrelevant to your position in My kingdom. You will find yourself despised and hated for My sake, but it has nothing to do with you or your personal failure. Do not lament nor grieve because you are not accepted by men. Rather, concern yourself with the eternal issues of whether or not you are accepted into My kingdom through the blood of the covenant. This is the time to deal with issues of personal rejection by forgiving those who have turned away from you or not received you. You must regain eternal perspective and know that I have created that path and made a way for you to be accepted in the Beloved. Receive that acceptance, and put aside all heartache from past rejection. Today is a new day."

"I AM PREPARING YOU, MY PEOPLE, FOR A GREATER MANIFESTATION OF MY PRESENCE AND OUTPOURING OF MY SPIRIT"

"I want to bring some perspective. In order to do so, you must look back briefly at where you've come from. Look with a heart of thanksgiving at where you have been and how I have brought you step by step to where you are now. Your journey has been fraught with challenges and laced with possibilities to either turn back and give up or to press through and reach higher ground. In the midst of the trials, I have strengthened you, and I have given you ample opportunity to grow and gain wisdom and greater spiritual insight. You have arrived at a temporary plateau. The past is behind; glean from it, but leave it there. You are about to launch out on the next leg of your journey; you will be entering unfamiliar territory, but you must not be afraid. For, just as I have been with you in the past to direct your steps, so I will be with you in the days ahead. Be sensitive to My leading; listen for My still small voice that says, "This is the way, walk in it." I am preparing you, My people, for a greater manifestation of My presence and outpouring of My Spirit, but you must go forth in the spirit of Elijah to prepare the way. You will do this by making a place in your own hearts to receive more of Me."

Zechariah 2:13: "Be silent, all flesh, before the LORD, for He is aroused from His holy habitation!"

"YOU MUST UNDERSTAND THE SEAT OF YOUR SOUL BEFORE YOU CAN MAKE SOLID CHOICES ABOUT MY KINGDOM"

"You will be presented with issues of the heart in clear definition. I am going to give you numerous and varied opportunities to know your own heart and to examine your desires and passions. Let this unveiling come without resistance, for you must understand the seat of your soul before you can make solid choices about My kingdom. I will reward and elevate the heart that is wholly yielded to Me and My purposes, and I will bring upon you My consuming fire that will burn all that is offensive. For, I will wash away all filth by the spirit of judgment and the spirit of burning. Prepare yourselves to stand before Me without self-justification or excuse. Put all fantasy and presumption away from you. Come before Me in truth and with a willingness to be purged, for this is a vital process before you can move ahead."

"MAKE THE EFFORT AND TAKE THE STEPS TO CAST ALL YOUR BURDENS ON ME"

"Be still and know that I am God. Rise up out of the noise and confusion of your own soul into the Spirit. Release all that has brought turmoil into your life. Are you not like Martha, worried and troubled about many things? Make the effort and take the steps to cast all your burdens on Me, for I am well able to bring you through this time that threatens you with disaster and chaos. This is a time to examine yourself to see if you are in faith. Do you really believe in My power to extricate you? Lift up your eyes; look to Me, for I alone am able to bring you through the Valley of Achor (trouble) and disencumber you. Your efforts to free yourself apart from My power and My leading will not bear fruit. Listen closely with your heart to My leading, for I will show you the way out of this current dilemma."

"LET GO OF ALL THAT HAS ANCHORED YOUR SOUL IN THE PAST"

"This is a time of radical improvement. Take that next giant step; make the quantum leap that will position you for My great blessings and growth in the Spirit. Leave behind all that has hindered and interrupted your progress. Settle accounts and start with a clean slate. Let go of all that has anchored your soul to the past. Recognize those places and events that opened the door for a spirit of fear and dread to paralyze your efforts. Break out of the bondage that has encased and immobilized you. I, Myself will cause a great metamorphosis to take place in your life, which will bring great freedom and strength if you are only willing

to break out of old mind-sets and move in synchronized effort with My will for your life."

"SHARPEN YOUR DISCERNMENT AND WATCH CLOSELY FOR THE ENEMY'S INFILTRATION"

"You, My people, are watchmen. Sharpen your discernment and watch closely for the enemy's infiltration. When you see the first sign of an attack, you must turn back the battle at the gate by not giving any place for the enemy and his devices. I speak to you in spiritual terms. The attack will come to your soul in the form of thoughts and feelings that are contrary to the truth of My word. Do not entertain the lies of the enemy or allow feelings of rejection to rule in your heart. Fight the good fight of faith; war a good warfare, for the enemy is indeed stalking you - like a roaring lion seeking whom he may devour. Roar back, and give him no quarter, no place to establish himself against you.

"BE CLEANSED OF SELF-FOCUS AND SELF-DESIRE, AND SEEK ME WITH ALL YOUR HEART"

"Yield your spirit to me that I might manifest Myself through you. It is my desire to do many and wonderful works to demonstrate My kingdom, but I cannot fill an already full vessel. My strength is made perfect in your weakness, and My fullness is displayed in your emptiness. Be done with concepts of self-sufficiency and confidence in your own ability to perform. I have not called you to look good in performance or to excel in achievement, for this would only call attention to yourself and would not bring glory to My kingdom. Rather, I have chosen you to exhibit the power of the kingdom through faith in Me. Be cleansed of self-focus and selfish desire, and seek Me with all of your heart. Your release of faith in Me will produce dynamic results."

All my love in the Anointed One
and His Anointing
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