

THE MINISTRY LETTER 2018 ISSUE 10

To all those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom - those who love God with all of their heart:

THE GREAT DANGER OF "HOPE DEFERRED"

....*"Hope deferred makes the heart sick, But [godly] desire fulfilled is a tree of life"....*
Proverbs 13:12 NASB

"defer" - to delay or put off; postpone;

"mental ascension" - the reaching out [*"up"*] to understand the Word [*Will*] of God in one's "own" [*soulish*] strength and understanding [*intellect*];

The "deferral" of hope can find its origin in two sources. One, internally, through the leaning upon one's "own" understanding [*the forsaking of a revelation of God's Will through fear and unbelief*]. Two, through another's failure to walk by revelation and, thus, do their part in the carrying out of the Father's Will where that one is concerned. In the former case, one must forsake all "mental" ascension to God's Word {*Will*} [*and the double-mindedness [James 1:8; James 4:8] that is its fruit*] - thus allowing the "revelation" of His Will to once again become strong and vibrant in their heart. This will "activate" the faith and patience necessary to inherit the fullness of the promise.

In the latter case, one must draw near to the Father and His Word in the "inner chamber", and set themselves to steadfast prayer and intercession for the one who is causing a potential deferral of hope, externally - through their failure to adhere to His Will. In both cases, a deep and thorough repentance will surely lead all concerned into the fullness of the Father's divine purpose - on every front.

words from the Father:

* *Hope "deferred" can and will lead directly to disheartenment [discouragement - hopelessness].*

* *The laying down of one's vision [revelation] for their life and ministry produces the deferral of hope [divine hope] and, thus, opens the door wide to a spirit of disheartenment [heart-sickness] [Proverbs 13:12].*

* *Doubt is not something that just "suddenly" arises in one's heart. It is the spontaneous by-product of a heart that is holding to unbelief [darkness] in some form - through fear and mistrust.*

EVEN IN THIS LATE HOUR VAST MULTITUDES OF GOD'S CHILDREN DO NOT UNDERSTAND THE TRUE MEANING [DEFINITION] OF LOVE

.... *"We have come to know and have believed the love which God has for us. God is love, and the one who abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him".... 1 John 4:16 NASB*

Even in this late hour vast multitudes of God's children do not understand the true meaning *[definition]* of Love. He IS Love - and there is NO such thing as love apart from Him. It is the failure of one to enter into the intimate fellowship that He requires of each and every one of His children that has caused this lack of "spiritual understanding" - and, thus, those who are devoid of a deep revelation of the Father's true Character continue to hold to the mind of the flesh *[self-focus and "mental" ascension]*. Because of this, they define His love for them to the degree that they deem that He has given them what "they" have desired for themselves *[self-desire]*.

When has God EVER honored fear and selfishness? He honours faith and love and obedience - and the heart that is "wholly" given to Him *[Luke 10:27]*. If one truly loves the Father *[and His Word]* THEN they will "draw near" to Him in that Love *[James 4:8, John 14:21,23]* and, in doing so, gain a deep *[burning]* revelation of His true Character - and of His "unfailing" love that continually flows towards His precious children. As those who are faithful and obedient draw near to Him in this most glorious hour it will be a certain catalyst for opening wide the windows of Heaven to the covenant blessings that are rightfully theirs, in Christ *[Psalm 25:12-14]* - and this will lead directly to their entrance into the "fullness" of their precious Kingdom-position and destiny, in Christ.

THE GREAT DANGER OF AN "UNWORTHINESS-CONSCIOUSNESS"

.... *"[There is] therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death".... Romans 8:1-2 KJV*

.... *"But by His [the Father's] doing you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption".... 1 Corinthians 1:30 NASB*

"sin-consciousness" - any belief or mind-set that constitutes one "believing" that that which they have actually been redeemed from is still to be in force in their life; a greater consciousness or awareness *[through fear and pride]* 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.

"righteousness-consciousness" - a continual awareness of who we "actually" are in Christ;

If one of God's children "feels" *[believes the lie]* that they are unworthy in His sight THEN they will "unconsciously" *[although they should be conscious of it]* do and say those

things that cause themselves to be conformed to the image of "unworthiness" [*wrong inner image inside them*] rather than having a "righteousness-consciousness" - a consciousness that is fully aware at ALL times of who they truly are in Christ and, which, empowers them to "abide" in the faith that "accesses" the Grace of God, continually.

From this position of an "abiding " Grace [*perfect empowerment*] - and the perfect obedience that is its spontaneous by-product - one will SURELY be led into the fullness of destiny. On the other hand, failure to access the Grace of God on a daily basis leads directly to a continued disobedience - the fruit of which is confusion and much darkness. In this hour, what one is found obedient in will lead to immediate success [*fulfillment*], and what one is found disobedient in will lead to immediate failure [*disclosure*]. For it is certain that ALL things will become evident in this hour in the midst of God's people.

...."According to the grace of God which was given to me, like a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building on it. But each man must be careful how he builds on it. For no man can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, each man's work will become evident; for the day will show it because it is to be revealed with fire, and the fire itself will test the quality of each man's work. If any man's work which he has built on it remains, he will receive a reward. If any man's work is burned up, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire".... 1 Corinthians 3:10-15 NASB

THE VISION OF THE GIANT AIRCRAFT:

VISION:

The Father showed me a vision of a giant aircraft [*bigger than a 747 jet*]. I saw Jesus piloting the jet, and I also saw that there was a co-pilot sitting beside Him. There was a terrible storm raging during the descent for landing. I noticed that the jet was being flown totally by "radar" [*aeronautical instruments*] - for the "storm" made it was impossible to function or operate by the five physical senses. Regardless of the chaotic weather outside I had perfect peace that the landing would go very smoothly.

That Father spoke to me and said:

The giant aircraft is representative of the true Third Day [*Kingdom*] ministries that I am raising up in this very hour - "ministries" that will abide in the high places [*"face to face" with Me*], and continually move with great speed and precision.

*...."COME AND let us return to the Lord, for He has torn so that He may heal us; He has stricken so that He may bind us up. After two days He will revive us (quicken us, give us life); **on the third day He will raise us up that we may live before Him ["face to face"]**. [Isa. 26:19; Ezek. 37:1-10.] Yes, let us know (recognize, be acquainted with, and understand) Him; let us be zealous to know the Lord [to appreciate, give heed to, and cherish Him]. His going forth is*

prepared and certain as the dawn, and He will come to us as the [heavy] rain, as the latter rain that waters the earth".... Hosea 6:1-3 The Amplified Translation

The fact that Jesus was sitting in the pilot's seat refers to the spiritual reality that He is Lord *[and, thus, in total control]* over the remnant Church - and that ALL true Kingdom works must go through Him, and Him alone

...."I am the Vine; you are the branches. Whoever lives in Me and I in him bears much (abundant) fruit. However, apart from Me [cut off from vital union with Me] you can do nothing".... John 15:5 The Amplified Translation

The "co-pilot" was representative of My true Third Day *[Kingdom]* ministers *[and ministries]* - those whose heart is wholly given to Me and, therefore, to My highest purposes concerning the establishment of a "spotless and unblemished" Church. The fact that the co-pilot was seated right next to Jesus refers to the spiritual reality that they are seated *[spiritually]* with Christ at My right hand *[the Ascension Life - which is the place of ALL true authority and power]*.

...."[For I always pray to] the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, that He may grant you a spirit of wisdom and revelation [of insight into mysteries and secrets] in the [deep and intimate] knowledge of Him, By having the eyes of your heart flooded with light, so that you can know and understand the hope to which He has called you, and how rich is His glorious inheritance in the saints (His set-apart ones), And [so that you can know and understand] what is the immeasurable and unlimited and surpassing greatness of His power in and for us who believe, as demonstrated in the working of His mighty strength, Which He exerted in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His [own] right hand in the heavenly [places], Far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and every name that is named [above every title that can be conferred], not only in this age and in this world, but also in the age and the world which are to come. And He has put all things under His feet and has appointed Him the universal and supreme Head of the church [a headship exercised throughout the church], [Ps. 8:6.] Which is His body, the fullness of Him Who fills all in all [for in that body lives the full measure of Him Who makes everything complete, and Who fills everything everywhere with Himself]".... Ephesians 1-17-23 The Amplified Translation

The "terrible storm" is representative of the great turmoil and "storms" caused by the Enemy and his forces *[in many cases through a stubborn and rebellious people]* - his plan being to disrupt My faithful ones and, thus, keep them in a place apart from My divine order and true Kingdom-position for their life and ministry. My holy ones are battling through "chaotic" circumstances *[caused by both soulish and physical attack]* in this hour BUT, in these days, I shall release them from the "ties that bind", and they shall enter into the high place *[true spiritual environments]* that I, Myself, have established for them - and they will NEVER look back from now until the end of the age.

...."Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, And He brought them out of their

distresses. He caused the storm to be still, So that the waves of the sea were hushed. Then they were glad because they were quiet, So He guided them to their desired haven".... Psalms 107:28-30 NASB

...."And He said to another, Become My disciple, side with My party, and accompany Me! But he replied, Lord, permit me first to go and bury (await the death of) my father. But Jesus said to him, Allow the dead to bury their own dead; but as for you, go and publish abroad throughout all regions the kingdom of God. Another also said, I will follow You, Lord, and become Your disciple and side with Your party; but let me first say good-bye to those at my home. Jesus said to him, No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back [to the things behind] is fit for the kingdom of God".... Luke 9:59-62

"chaotic" - completely confused or disordered; tumultuous; great turmoil;

The fact that the plane was about to "land" is representative of the spiritual reality that I am about to "unwrap" [*uncover*] many gifts and callings [*true Kingdom-ministries*] in the midst of My remnant Church [*those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom*], and their impact will immediately bring about two things:

First, a wave of holy fire will be released [*through the words they speak - and, indeed, their very presence*] that will bring a strong spirit of conviction, and this will lead to a deep and thorough repentance by many who, up until this time, have continued to "hold part back" from Me. The first fruit of this "holy fire" will be a deep hungering and thirsting after righteousness [*holiness*].

The second fruit of this wave of holy fire [*My Presence*] will be divine restoration and healing [*both spiritually and physically*] such as My Church has never seen or experienced before. It shall be the greatest release of My Love the earth has EVER seen [*this side of Calvary*], and the fruit of this outpouring will not only purify My Church to a "spotless and unblemished" state but the superabundant overflow will immediately begin to "turn the world upside down" - and, because of these things, MANY captives will be set gloriously free.

Truly I say to you, WHOSOEVER has a heart that is even remotely "towards" Me in this final hour shall be "saved" [*be set free and enter into the "fullness" of true Covenant-relationship with Me*], and they will immediately turn on Satan and his forces - in the power of My Spirit.

...."Therefore, since we receive a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service with reverence and awe; for our God is a consuming fire".... Hebrews 12:28-29 NASB

...."For behold, the day is coming, burning like a furnace; and all the arrogant and every evildoer will be chaff; and the day that is coming will set them ablaze," says the LORD of hosts, "so that it will leave them neither root nor branch." "But for you who fear My name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings; and you will go forth and skip about like calves

from the stall. "You will tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet on the day which I am preparing," says the LORD of hosts".... Malachi 4:1-3 NASB

...."Blessed and fortunate and happy and spiritually prosperous (in that state in which the born-again child of God enjoys His favor and salvation) are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness (uprightness and right standing with God), for they shall be completely satisfied! [Isa. 55:1, 2.]".... Matthew 5:6 The Amplified Translation

...."And it shall be that **whoever shall call upon the name of the Lord [invoking, adoring, and worshiping the Lord - Christ] shall be saved** [Joel 2:28-32.]".... Acts 2:21 The Amplified Translation

The strong sense of peace that the co-pilot had is representative of the spiritual reality that I am indeed responsible for the "safety" of My people - for it is part of their Covenant with Me, and not only will I keep the one whose heart is wholly given safe I will cause them to "land" in the perfect place in this hour at the perfect time - according to My highest plan and purpose.

...."I will lift up my eyes to the mountains; From where shall my help come? My help comes from the LORD, Who made heaven and earth. He will not allow your foot to slip; He who keeps you will not slumber. Behold, He who keeps Israel Will neither slumber nor sleep. The LORD is your keeper; The LORD is your shade on your right hand. The sun will not smite you by day, Nor the moon by night. The LORD will protect you from all evil; He will keep your soul. The LORD will guard your going out and your coming in From this time forth and forever"..... Psalms 121:1-8 NASB

The fact that the aircraft [*jet*] was being flown by "radar" [*aeronautical instruments*], and that it was impossible to function or operate by the five physical senses, is representative of the fact that I have called My people to "abide" in revelation knowledge and an absolute faith [*working through a perfect love - manifesting in a perfect obedience*] thereby abiding in the place wherein they continually judge NOT by appearances BUT with a righteous judgement [*discernment*].

...."For we walk by faith [we regulate our lives and conduct ourselves by our conviction or belief respecting man's relationship to God and divine things, with trust and holy fervor; thus we walk] not by sight or appearance [*but by revelation*]".... 2 Corinthians 5:7 The Amplified Translation

...."Do not judge according to appearance, but judge with righteous judgment".... John 7:24 NASB

Summary from the Father:

The fact that Jesus is on the plane and, therefore, "landing with it" is representative of the fact that He is coming TO His Church before He comes FOR His Church.

.... "Now, will not God bring about justice for His elect who cry to Him day and night, and will He delay long over them? "I tell you that He will bring about justice for them quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will He find faith on the earth?".... Luke 18:7-8 NASB

.... "Seek, inquire for, and require the Lord while He may be found [claiming Him by necessity and by right]; call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return to the Lord, and He will have love, pity, and mercy for him, and to our God, for He will multiply to him His abundant pardon. For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither 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. For as the rain and snow come down from the heavens, and return not there again, but water the earth and make it bring forth and sprout, that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater, [II Cor. 9:10.] So shall My word be that goes forth out of My mouth: it shall not return to Me void [without producing any effect, useless], but it shall accomplish that which I please and purpose, and it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it. For you shall go out [from the spiritual exile caused by sin and evil into the homeland] with joy and be led forth [by your Leader, the Lord Himself, and His word] with peace; the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree; and it shall be to the Lord for a name of renown, for an everlasting sign [of jubilant exaltation] and memorial [to His praise], which shall not be cut off".... Isaiah 55:6-13 The Amplified Translation

THE PLACE OF SOLITUDE

.... "You will guard him and keep him in perfect and constant peace whose mind [both its inclination and its character] is stayed on You, because he commits himself to You, leans on You, and hopes confidently in You. So trust in the Lord (commit yourself to Him, lean on Him, hope confidently in Him) forever; for the Lord God is an everlasting Rock [the Rock of Ages]".... Isaiah 26:3-4 The Amplified Translation

.... "In quietness and trust is your strength".... Isaiah 30:15 NASB

"solitude" - remoteness from habitations, as of a place; absence of human activity;

Every Christian who is truly serious about fulfilling the "fullness" of their destiny, IN Christ, MUST learn to walk in the place of solitude with the Father and Jesus in the "inner chamber" [*the secret place of Their Presence*].

It is ONLY entrance into this place FIRST [*which is THE place of revelation*] that, first of all, establishes one's heart in right relationship with the Father [*daily*] IN Christ - and, secondly, in that holy place they come to "abide" in faith, love, revelation and obedience on an individual level. It is from this place of revelation and obedience on an individual level [*that is maintained every day in one's intimate fellowship with the Father and Jesus in the inner*

chamber] that the Father is able to "corporately" establish divine connections and true covenant-relationship on every level for the purpose of building up the Church *[in love]*. It is because many have continued to put relationship with flesh and blood first *[through idolatry]* that the church at large is in such disorder - with little revelation *[relatively speaking]* of the true plan of God for this final hour.

WHEN THERE IS A TIME OF ISOLATION CALLED FOR THERE IS ALWAYS A GREAT DIVINE PURPOSE IN IT

...."He who has My commandments and keeps them is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will disclose Myself to him.... If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our abode with him"....

John 14:21-23 NASB

Many in this hour find themselves *[by the ordering of God]* in a place of isolation *[solitude - and not to be confused with "loneliness"]*, and this is a positive thing - as long as one continues to acknowledge God with all of their heart, and in all of their ways. In this place of separation unto God He is doing some amazing things in the hearts that are wholly given to His highest purposes for their life and ministry - with a view to their entering into the fullness of their Kingdom-position and destiny, in Christ. Although it is certain that the "corporate anointing" that manifests when kindred spirits are brought together in a true spiritual environment is of the utmost importance *[and, indeed, will be found absolutely necessary for the perfect fulfilment of ones ministry in this final hour]* let us also remember that fellowshiping with the Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit *[John 14:21,23]* also produces a true "corporate" environment *[in fact, the purest of the pure]*.

Again, when there is a time of isolation called for *[divinely ordered and not self-inflicted]* there is ALWAYS great divine purpose in it. Mostly, it is an opportunity for us to enter into an absolute trust *[faith]* in the Father and, thus, come to know His great love for us in an ever deepening way. It is as revelation of this great love "abiding" in our heart that will empower us right through to the end of the age.

PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT WALKING BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WILL NEVER UNDERSTAND THE ONE WHO IS

...."Now we have not received the spirit [that belongs to] the world, but the [Holy] Spirit Who is from God, [given to us] that we might realize and comprehend and appreciate the gifts [of divine favor and blessing so freely and lavishly] bestowed on us by God. And we are setting these truths forth in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the [Holy] Spirit, combining and interpreting spiritual truths with spiritual language [to those who possess the Holy Spirit]. But the natural, nonspiritual man does not accept or welcome or admit into his heart the gifts and teachings and revelations of the Spirit of God, for they are folly (meaningless nonsense) to him; and he is incapable of knowing them [of progressively recognizing,

understanding, and becoming better acquainted with them] because they are spiritually discerned and estimated and appreciated. But the spiritual man tries all things [he examines, investigates, inquires into, questions, and discerns all things], yet is himself to be put on trial and judged by no one [he can read the meaning of everything, but no one can properly discern or appraise or get an insight into him]. For who has known or understood the mind (the counsels and purposes) of the Lord so as to guide and instruct Him and give Him knowledge? But we have the mind of Christ (the Messiah) and do hold the thoughts (feelings and purposes) of His heart [Isa. 40:13]".... 1 Corinthians 2:12-16 The Amplified Translation

This call to isolation and solitude is a very common thing throughout many areas of the remnant Church in this hour, and one *[in their obedience]* need not fear any persecution or reproach that might come their way from religious circles. In most cases, vast numbers have had to be separated from the "religious sector" in order to gain a revelation of the true plan of God for this final hour.

People who are NOT walking by the Holy Spirit *[in faith]* will NEVER understand the one who is. In the "world" - the one who is prideful is always seeking a common point or mind-set for agreement - as this produces a form of "security" *[albeit false]* in their own thinking that relieves their fear and "justifies" their thinking. Thus, if they run across someone that does not think the way they do, or acts in a manner that does not line up with their "belief system" they have to "put them down" in order to maintain their own position of pride and fear *[unbelief]*.

That which produces the "true unity and one accord" that the Father desires has its foundation in each individual obtaining a "revelation" of His Heart and Will and, then, as each one acts in obedience a supernatural unity and one accord is born - all in the power of the Holy Spirit *[Who is the Spirit of wisdom and revelation]*. Let us be found rejoicing - regardless of what our present circumstances might be - knowing *[gaining and maintaining a deep revelation of the spiritual reality]* that everything is "right on schedule" concerning all that the Father has planned for us from now to the end of the age.

...."Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious oil upon the head, Coming down upon the beard, Even Aaron's beard, Coming down upon the edge of his robes. It is like the dew of Hermon Coming down upon the mountains of Zion; For there the LORD commanded the blessing - life [love, truth, revelation, righteousness] forever".... Psalms 133:1-3 NASB

WE ARE CALLED, AS THE TRUE SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF GOD TO "ABIDE" [DWELL] IN THE KINGDOM - IN PEACE AND JOY AND RIGHTEOUSNESS

...."for the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit".... Romans 14:17 NASB

...."Rejoice in the Lord always [delight, gladden yourselves in Him]; again I say, Rejoice! [Ps. 37:4.] Let all men know and perceive and recognize your unselfishness (your

considerateness, your forbearing spirit). The Lord is near [He is coming soon]. Do not fret or have any anxiety about anything, but in every circumstance and in everything, by prayer and petition (definite requests), with thanksgiving, continue to make your wants known to God. And God's peace [shall be yours, that tranquil state of a soul assured of its salvation through Christ, and so fearing nothing from God and being content with its earthly lot of whatever sort that is, that peace] which transcends all understanding shall garrison and mount guard over your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus".... Philippians 4:4-7 The Amplified Translation

We are called, as the true sons and daughters of God to "abide" *[dwell]* in the Kingdom - in peace and joy and righteousness that we might be found continually accessing the peace that passes all human understanding; be empowered by the joy that continually produces divine strength and courage - and be found to be righteously motivated in ALL that we say and do *[Matthew 5:48]* to the greatest glory of the Father. This is the true Kingdom-life - and it is certain that ALL those who set themselves to a perfect diligence *[spiritually speaking]* in this most critical hour will SURELY experience an open Heaven. And, thus, they will literally experience Heaven on earth - in a manner far exceeding that which they ever thought possible this side of Heaven *[Eternity]*, itself!

NUGGETS FROM THE INNER CHAMBER

* It is constant fellowship with the Word of God that continually exposes *[and defeats]* the schemes of the Enemy. Therefore, the failure of one to fellowship with the Word of God on a daily basis actually allow him *[Satan]* to both fuel and perpetuate his vile schemes in their life.

...."This Book of the Law [the Word of God] shall not depart out of your mouth [always be found in your mouth], but you shall meditate on it day and night, that you may observe and do according to all that is written in it. For THEN you shall make your way prosperous, and THEN you shall deal wisely and have good success".... Joshua 1:8 The Amplified Translation

...."For the Word that God speaks is alive and full of power [making it active, operative, energizing, and effective]; it is sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating to the dividing line of the breath of life [soul] and [the immortal] spirit, and of joints and marrow [of the deepest parts of our nature], exposing and sifting and analyzing and judging the very thoughts and purposes of the heart".... Hebrews 4:12 The Amplified Translation

* The further one goes on in their walk with the Lord the more subtle the Enemy must make the "deception" he is attempting, look *[in order to cause the child of God to "deviate" from the narrow path]*. Therefore, without time spent in the "inner chamber" *[on a daily basis]* where there is a continual flow of divine light to keep one on track *[and aware of his schemes]* THEN, ultimately, a "spirit of self-righteousness" *[spiritual pride]* will take over - continually assuring that one *[through deception]* that they are "right on track" when, in reality, they are at opposite poles from God's Will and purpose *[mandate]*.

....*"Enter through the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and spacious and broad is the way that leads away to destruction, and many are those who are entering through it. But the gate is narrow [contracted by pressure] and the way is straitened and compressed that leads away to life, and few are those who find it [Deut. 30:19; Jer. 21:8]".... Matthew 7:13-14 The Amplified Translation*

* Our deepest heart desire should ALWAYS be to treat others "exactly" the way that the Father has treated us throughout the years *[with great Patience and Mercy]*.

"Do not judge so that you will not be judged. For in the way you judge, you will be judged; and by your standard of measure, it will be measured to you".... Matthew 7:1-2 NASB

* Only those who make a "quality decision" of the heart to fulfill their destiny in this final hour *[all that they were created for, in Christ, from before the foundations of the earth]* will break free from ALL religious bondage to seek first the Kingdom *[and their perfect position in it]* with ALL of their heart.

....*"For I say to you that unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven".... Matthew 5:20 NASB*

....*"Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see [know and understand] God".... Matthew 5:8 NASB*

* The fruit of individual obedience is *[ultimately]* "corporate obedience" and, thus, the fulfillment of destiny - BOTH individually and corporately. Without each individual member of the Body *[and, most assuredly, those in "leadership"]* truly desiring the Father's Will and purpose for their own lives in the depths of their being THEN there is NO possible way for the fullness of their "corporate destiny" to be fulfilled.

....*"Can two walk together, except they be agreed [have a revelation of God's Will and act in obedience upon it]?".... Amos 3:3 KJV*

* It is always so important when entering into an "environment" *[righteous or unrighteous]* to take absolutely NO preconceived notions of any kind. Hearing the still, small voice of the Holy Spirit is much easier when one doesn't have to battle any kind of "already established" thoughts or mind-sets.

....*"We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God, and we are taking every thought captive to the obedience of Christ".... 2 Corinthians 10:5 NASB*

....*"Be honest in your judgment and do not decide at a glance [superficially and by appearances]; but judge [discern] fairly and righteously".... John 7:24 The Amplified Translation*

* Seeking to see *[discern]* ALL things through the Father's eyes is extremely important - for that is the place of spiritual reality *[absolute Truth]*.

....*"Draw near to God and He will draw near to you".... James 4:8a NASB*

* The maintaining of a fear of man in ANY form is a certain catalyst to the entrance of darkness *[as opposed to revelation - which is the spontaneous fruit of a heart that places "no one" or "no thing" above the Lord]* - regardless of how good one's intentions might be.

....*"For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind".... 2 Timothy 1:7 KJV*

* We serve a perfect *[and absolute]* God and there is NO margin for error in the Kingdom *[keeping in mind that all "error" is the fruit of pride and rebellion]*. That intimidates some BUT we have been given the Word and the Holy Spirit to empower us in ALL things - and it is CERTAIN that what the Father commands He also empowers, PERFECTLY.

....*"you are to be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect".... Matthew 5:48 NASB*

....*"But seek [aim at and strive after] first of all His kingdom and His righteousness [His way of doing and being right]".... Matthew 6:33 The Amplified Translation*

* The first principle of faith is for one to keep their eyes and ears "fixed" *[focused]* on what is NOT seen or heard *[a revelation of the Word and the still small voice of the Holy Spirit]* rather than what is seen *[perceived by their five physical senses]*.

....*"let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of [our] faith".... Hebrews 12:1-2 NASB*

....*"For momentary, light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison, while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal".... 2 Corinthians 4:17-18 NASB*

* False doctrine *[error]* ALWAYS imparts fear and darkness *[bondage]* in some form *[as well as it puts one in a position {"believing-wise"} of "non-resistance" to Satan and his forces]* WHILE true doctrine ALWAYS leads one into faith, a deeper revelation of the true Nature and Character of God *[Love]* and produces the burning desire in one's heart to be holy *[walk in the fullness and authority of all that they are in Christ]*.

....*"But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will also be false teachers among you, who will secretly introduce destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing swift destruction upon themselves. Many will follow their sensuality, and because of them the way of the truth will be maligned".... 2 Peter 2:1-2 NASB*

....*"But as the One Who called you is holy, you yourselves also be holy in all your conduct and manner of living. For it is written, 'You shall be holy, for I am holy'.... 1 Peter 1:15-16 The Amplified Translation*

* If only people realized how much easier it is to "dwell" in the Kingdom! We only have ONE rule *[of course, that "rule" {principle} is absolute - and it encompasses one's ENTIRE life]!*

....*"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself".... Luke 10:27 NKJV*

* Loving *[treating]* others in the very same manner that the Lord has treated us is a VERY essential part of fulfilling the "Divine Requirement" on a daily basis.

....*"Let not mercy and kindness [shutting out all hatred and selfishness] and truth [shutting out all deliberate hypocrisy or falsehood] forsake you; bind them about your neck, write them upon the tablet of your heart".... Proverbs 3:3 The Amplified Translation*

* Love is the most powerful force in the universe. It is the manifestation of the true Nature and Character of God, Himself!

....*"We have come to know and have believed the love which God has for us. God is love, and the one who abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him".... 1 John 4:16 NASB*

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