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

THERE IS NO MORE TIME LEFT FOR THE CHILD OF GOD SEEKING THE FULLNESS OF THEIR DESTINY IN CHRIST TO "ENTERTAIN" [INVITE] ANYTHING IN THEIR LIVES THAT IS "INORDINATE"

....*"See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, Redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is".... Ephesians 5:15-17 KJV*

Basically, the job of the five-fold ministry is to lead the people of God into the fullness of their precious inheritance [salvation] in Christ. It is to help lead them into the unity of the faith - and the one accord that is its spontaneous fruit - and, thus, lead them into that place of "Power" and "Authority" [divine empowerment] that the Father desires every one of His children to abide [dwell] in. In light of these things, it is important for EVERY child of God to realize that they are in a constant state of learning in preparation for the glorious "Kingdom-tasks" which lay ahead, and that it is far better to learn from the place of an abiding obedience than to learn the hard way - through disobedience.

There no more time left for the child of God seeking the fullness of their destiny in Christ to "entertain" [invite] anything [or anyone] in their lives that is "inordinate" [immoderate] - whether that be certain mind-sets of unbelief or any form of "self" [self-effort, self-indulgence etc.]. It is truly time to "redeem the time" on every front! If I could put one stamp on defining this season [and the coming ones] it would be "pin-point accuracy" in the midst of God's people. God is raising up a people who are going to move with "pin-point accuracy" - not deviating in ANY way from the holy path that has been laid out before them. They will be a mighty army who refuse to act or speak apart from a "revelation" of the Father's Will.

"immoderate" - exceeding just or reasonable limits; excessive;

....*"Blow a trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm on My holy mountain! Let all the inhabitants of the land*

tremble, For the day of the LORD is coming; Surely it is near, A day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness. As the dawn is spread over the mountains, so there is a great and mighty people; There has never been anything like it, nor will there be again after it to the years of many generations. A fire consumes before them And behind them a flame burns. The land is like the garden of Eden before them But a desolate wilderness behind them, And nothing at all escapes them. Their appearance is like the appearance of horses; And like war horses, so they run. With a noise as of chariots they leap on the tops of the mountains, like the crackling of a flame of fire consuming the stubble, like a mighty people arranged for battle. Before them the people are in anguish; All faces turn pale. They run like mighty men, they climb the wall like soldiers; And they each march in line, nor do they deviate from their paths. They do not crowd each other, they march everyone in his path; When they burst through the defenses, they do not break ranks. They rush on the city, they run on the wall; They climb into the houses, they enter through the windows like a thief. Before them the earth quakes, the heavens tremble, the sun and the moon grow dark and the stars lose their brightness. The LORD utters His voice before His army; Surely His camp is very great, for strong is he who carries out His word. The day of the LORD is indeed great and very awesome, and who can endure it? 'Yet even now,' declares the LORD, 'Return to Me with all your heart, and with fasting, weeping and mourning'.... Joel 2:1-12 NASB

THE REMNANT CHURCH ARE A PEOPLE THAT WILL BE FOUND NEEDING THE FULL COUNSEL AND WISDOM OF GOD IN ORDER TO CARRY OUT THE GLORIOUS TASK [MANDATE] THAT IS BEFORE THEM

....*"A highway will be there, a roadway, and it will be called the Highway of Holiness. The unclean will not travel on it, but it will be for him who walks that way, and fools will not wander on it. No lion will be there, nor will any vicious beast go up on it; These will not be found there. But the redeemed will walk there, and the ransomed of the LORD will return And come with joyful shouting to Zion, with everlasting joy upon their heads. They will find gladness and joy, and sorrow and sighing will flee away".... Isaiah 35:8-10 NASB*

There are no "shortcuts" when there is only one path! Each and every child of God is called to the narrow path - the highway of holiness - and, in these days, all those who truly love God will come to the "full realization" of the fact that they are accountable before God to be led by the Spirit, to walk by the Spirit and to speak by the power of the Holy Spirit. In other words, to be empowered by Him in ALL things.

If the Holy Spirit is not given full control in the life of the believer THEN they are going to wander out into darkness to some degree - without exception. The Remnant Church are a people that will be found needing the FULL Counsel and Wisdom of God in order to carry out the glorious task [*mandate*] that is before them. Indeed, in these days, all those who truly love God are coming to a deeper perception that the Father's way [*Will and Wisdom*] is the best way - regardless of what it may look like or feel like, initially.

.... "[*Earnestly*] remember the former things, [*which I did*] of old; for I am God, and there is no one else; I am God, and there is none like Me, Declaring the end and the result from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My Counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure and purpose"....
Isaiah 46:9-10 The Amplified Translation

WHEN ONE BEGINS TO GRASP THE ABSOLUTE NATURE AND CHARACTER OF GOD THEN THEY WILL BEGIN TO ENTER INTO ANOTHER REALM ALTOGETHER - THE REALM OF THE KINGDOM

Maintaining close and intimate contact and fellowship with the Father and His Word is a spiritual "safeguard" against self-exaltation in the ministry - and to the maintenance of being a pure channel and vessel of God's Love and Power. If we do not come to intimately "know" the God we serve as an absolute [*and Faithful*] God THEN there will remain a tendency within one to search out the aforementioned "shortcuts". This of course will open the door to deception and confusion - ultimately causing that one to fall far short of the fullness of the Father's plan for their life and ministry. When one begins to grasp the absolute Nature and Character of God THEN they will begin to enter into another realm altogether - the realm of the Kingdom. The world and the Kingdom are at opposite poles - for the mind behind the "world" and the "Mind" behind the Kingdom are two different minds.

.... "*For those who are according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who are*

according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit. For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the Spirit is life and peace, because the mind set on the flesh is hostile toward God; for it does not subject itself to the law of God, for it is not even able to do so, and those who are in the flesh cannot please God. However, you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. But if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Him".... Romans 8:5-9 NASB

.... "*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 2:16 The Amplified Translation*

LET US BE FOUND DOING ALL THINGS SIMPLY BECAUSE WE LOVE GOD, WE ADORE HIM AND WE ARE IMMENSELY THANKFUL FOR ALL THAT HE HAS DONE ON OUR BEHALF

.... "*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".... Luke 10:27 NASB*

In this most glorious hour, the Father is "fine-tuning" all those who truly love Him - that they might enter into the place wherein EVERYTHING that they say and do is but a spontaneous manifestation of their perfect Love for Him [*faith and trust in Him*]. The chief desire and motivation for everyone who truly loves God should be to be solely motivated - in ALL things - by their Love for Him. It should not matter what situations one has to deal with - or even what their "present circumstances" are. Let us be found doing ALL things simply because we love the Father, we adore Him and we are immensely thankful for all that He has done on our behalf in and through Christ.

When the Christian rises up into that place [*an abiding love, faith and trust*] many, many, many things that had hindered them immediately fall away, and the Devil becomes a "distant" enemy. Even though there is still an almost continual confrontation with him in one's physical walk he will not get anywhere near the "heart" of the believer that is abiding [*dwelling*] in revelation knowledge - regardless of what his evil intentions and schemes are. Many are sometimes discouraged by the continual conflict in their walk but, in reality, it is the times of conflict and testing that give one the opportunity to express a perfect and absolute faith in - and love towards - God.

.... "No weapon that is formed against you will prosper".... Isaiah 54:17 NASB

.... "O Lord of hosts, how blessed is the man/woman who trusts in You!".... Psalms 84:10-12 NASB

GREAT LIBERTY AND PERFECT FREEDOM SHALL BE THE BYWORD OF THIS HOUR IN THE MIDST OF ALL THOSE WHO TRULY LOVE GOD

.... "Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit".... 2 Corinthians 3:17-18 NASB

In these days, the Father is raising up a humble people - a people who are totally dependent upon Him for ALL things. All those who have learned to hear the voice of the Holy Spirit - and have hearkened unto it - shall be greatly blessed in this hour. The days just ahead shall be the most intense time of [for] the Church in the earth - and it shall be a most glorious thing! Great liberty and perfect freedom shall be the byword of this hour in the midst of all those who truly love God. The flow of the Holy Spirit in the midst of God's faithful ones shall produce "environments" wherein there is not even a thought for bondage - or even a "crossroads" of decision. Each life that is "wholly given" will simply manifest in a moving and abiding and "flowing" in the Power and Wisdom of God's Presence. We have some very great and magnificent days ahead of us - you can be assured of that!

TRUE AUTHORITY ALWAYS MANIFESTS ITSELF IN A PERFECT LOVE AND OBEDIENCE TO GOD

.... "Let no unwholesome word proceed from your mouth, but only such [a word] as is good for edification according to the need [of the moment,] so that it will give [impart] grace to those who hear".... Ephesians 4:29 NASB

The spirit of intimidation working in many areas of the church at large in these days is the spontaneous by-product of those in authority [on any level] who have forsaken the counsel and guidance of the Holy Spirit - in order to forge their own "kingdom" [environment]. True authority ALWAYS manifests itself in a perfect love and obedience to God. And the actions and words of the true delegated authority will ALWAYS be found bringing about the greatest eternal benefit in any given moment for

all those who are brought across their path.

False authority ALWAYS attempts to "dominate" and intimidate with a view to controlling their own environment as well as all who are in their "sphere of influence" - another strong reason why the child of God should NEVER "fellowship" with [have an ongoing relationship with] those whose heart is not wholly given to the Will of God.

AS FAR AS DEALING WITH THOSE WHO ARE OPERATING IN A "CONTROLLING" SPIRIT WE MUST NEVER COMPROMISE!

In other words, if one is in agreement with their agenda then all is fine. If their "agenda" [selfish goals and aims] is threatened in any way then they must lash out with a view to bringing about some form of forced agreement - in order to reassure themselves of their course. The only escape for them from this bondage is to lay their own desires down and diligently inquire of the Spirit of wisdom and revelation as to the proper course for them to follow. As far as dealing with those who are operating in a "controlling" spirit we must NEVER compromise! For as we are faithful to hold fast to the revelation of truth in our heart the evil ground within them shall surely be exposed. What they then do with that "exposure" [by the Holy Spirit] will depend on whether they truly love God or not, for it is certain that they will have the opportunity to "act" on what has been revealed to them - one way or the other.

.... "[For I {Paul} 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

EVERY GROUND OF FEAR AND SELF-DESIRE MUST BE DEALT WITH IF WE ARE TO DO THE TRUE KINGDOM WORK OF THIS FINAL HOUR

*...."Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal among you, which comes upon you for your testing, as though some strange thing were happening to you; but to the degree that you share the sufferings of Christ, keep on rejoicing, so that also at the revelation of His glory you may rejoice with exultation. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, **you are blessed**, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests on you".... 1 Peter 4:12-14 NASB*

The remnant Church is not only in a very intense time of refining and transition but also under very severe attack from the Enemy. Everything that can still be shaken [*flesh*] will be shaken - as every ground of fear and self-desire must be dealt with if we are to do the true Kingdom work of this final hour. It is the Father's deepest heart-desire for each and every one of us, as His precious children, to enter into a perfect trust and complete dependence on Him in this most critical hour. It is certain that we are on the very threshold of an amazing breakthrough but it is faith [*and patience*] alone will bring us to where we need to be - both spiritually and locationally in the Body of Christ.

It is written that, "All things are possible" for the one who truly believes [*trusts*]. Indeed, it will take faith and obedience on our part - but the CERTAIN result will be to inherit the "fullness" of the promise. In this hour, it is important for each of us to find out precisely what the Father would have us pinpoint with our faith - and, THEN be found holding fast to a steadfast faith and patience KNOWING that what He has promised will come to pass - regardless of what things may look like, presently.

...."And we desire that each one of you show the same diligence so as to realize the full assurance of hope until the end, so that you will not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises"..... Hebrews 6:11-12 NASB

DESTINY [OUR DESTINATION IN CHRIST]

a word from the Father:

...."Truly I say to you, the destiny of each one of My children is squarely in their own hands - their only requirement being to love Me with ALL of their heart and, thus, acknowledge Me in ALL of their ways. For as one places an absolute trust in Me it is certain that their faithfulness and love can NEVER fail to accomplish ALL that I created them for from before the foundations of the earth [Jeremiah 1:5 - "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you"]"....

When the Father speaks of "the destiny of each one of His children is in their "own" hands in the above word He was in NO way referring that we, in ourselves, apart from Christ, are responsible for the unfolding of our destiny. The fact is that every righteous work that we have been called to [*Ephesians 2:10*] has already been prepared from before the foundations of the earth [*Ephesians 2:10*] and we - through a steadfast faith and obedience - walk it through in His Power and Wisdom, alone.

The essence of this word is that it is ONLY Love that never fails. It is certain that the Father will indeed work all things together for our good [*greatest eternal benefit*] but the rest of the scripture says, "**TO THOSE WHO LOVE [OBEY] HIM**". One cannot just travel through this earth continually doing their "own" thing and expect [*in the fullness of time*] not to reap what THEY have sown to in their "own" strength [*Galatians 6:7-8*].

If a thorough repentance is not forthcoming by those who have sown consistently to the "flesh" [*the old nature*] THEN, ultimately, they will fall far short of the fullness of the Father's plan for their life and ministry in this most critical and glorious hour. In His mercy, He will see to it that they experience His greatest eternal benefit but it is most certain that they will not fulfill the FULLNESS of His Kingdom-purpose for their life and ministry.

...."And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love [obey] God, to those who are called according to His purpose".... Romans 8:28 NASB

...."Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with all your heart and mind and do not rely on your own insight or understanding. In all your ways know, recognize, and acknowledge Him, and He will direct and

*make straight and plain your paths".... Proverbs 3:5-6
The Amplified Translation*

WE ARE CALLED TO AN ABSOLUTE FAITH AND TRUST

*...."If you will listen diligently to the voice of the Lord your God, being watchful to do all His commandments which I command you this day, the Lord your God will set you high above all the nations of the earth. And all these blessings shall come upon you and overtake you if you heed the voice of the Lord your God".... Deuteronomy 28:1-2 [see also vs. 3-14]
Amplified Translation*

*...."But it shall come about, if you do not obey the LORD your God, to observe to do all His commandments and His statutes with which I charge you today, that all these curses will come upon you and overtake you"....
Deuteronomy 28:15 [see also vs. 16-68] NASB*

As we study Deuteronomy 28 we see that obedience brings divine blessing [empowerment] and protection, while disobedience releases the curse. We know that we, as the children of God, have been redeemed from the curse [Galatians 3:13] but we still need to continually access the Grace of God [which is summed up entirely in Jesus Christ - and the Holy Spirit - Who is the Spirit of Grace, the Spirit of Christ etc.] by faith in order to appropriate the blessings of obedience - for it is certain that it is ONLY God's Grace and Love that can empower us to "abide" [dwell] in the place of perfect obedience.

Again, the thing that must be clearly understood by anyone who calls themselves a "Christian" is that faith, love and obedience can ONLY work through divine empowerment. For instance: the exercising of our faith is to be found trusting in [holding fast to] a "revelation" of the Father's Will - a revelation gained through our love for Him [which manifests in our desire to fellowship with Him in the "inner chamber" - the secret place of His Presence], and this faith and love [God's Love and Grace in us] manifests in a perfect obedience in our lives.

...."Then the LORD answered me and said, 'Record the vision and inscribe it on tablets, that the one who reads it may run. For the vision is yet for the appointed time; It hastens toward the goal and it will not fail. Though it tarries, wait for it; For it will certainly come, it will not delay. Behold, as for the proud one, His soul is not right within him; But the righteous will live by his faith".... Habakkuk 2:2-4 NASB

OBEDIENCE IS ALWAYS MADE UP OF TWO COMPONENTS

Obedience is ALWAYS made up of two components: one "gaining a revelation" of the Father's Will and, THEN, walking that portion of His Will out from A-Z - in and by the unction and power of the Holy Spirit, alone. This is the way of the Kingdom, and this is the way of all TRUE Church activity! So, in summary, the key to one fulfilling ALL that they were created for, IN Christ, is for them to love [trust] the Lord their God with EVERY fiber of their being - for, in doing so, it is certain that they will "enter into" an "abiding" faith and love, and this will empower them to remain on the "narrow path" of perfect obedience, right through to the very end of the age.

...."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".... Luke 10:27 NASB

...."There is no fear [rebellion, unbelief, mistrust, doubt] in love; but perfect love casts out fear".... 1 John 4:18a NASB

...."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 NASB

IT IS ONLY FAITH AND PATIENCE THAT ALLOW THE FULLNESS OF THE FATHER'S PURPOSE TO UNFOLD IN ONE'S LIFE

...."faith, if it does not have works (deeds and actions of obedience [including the proclamation of "words" that are aligned with a revelation of the Father's Will/Word] to back it up), by itself is destitute of power (inoperative, dead)".... James 2:17 The Amplified Translation

It is also important to note that certain prophecies will come to pass regardless of what man does [eg. particularly concerning the nations and Israel in the end times] but in the realm of personal prophecy and the call on one's life to enter into the "fullness of salvation" [entering into the fullness of their precious inheritance, in Christ] it must be "worked out" by one accessing the Power [Grace] of God, alone, through a steadfast faith, love and obedience [corresponding actions to the Will of the Father in word and deed].

Prophecy [the promise/vision of God] is simply an

expression of the Will of God BUT to see its "perfect fulfillment" [on a personal and corporate level] it will take the exercising of an absolute faith [love and obedience] and perfect patience [without exception]. For it is ONLY faith and patience that allow the FULLNESS of the Father's purpose to unfold in one's life - a faith and patience that was required of every precious saint from the past and, also, for all those who truly love Him now - in this final hour of the Church Age.

In this final hour, these things will be seen clearly and, as the prophet Malachi wrote in chapter 3:16-4:3 [which is an expression in type and pattern of the Glorious Church - spiritual Zion],

"you will AGAIN distinguish between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who does not serve Him"..... [see entire scripture below].

...."Then those who feared the LORD spoke to one another, and the LORD gave attention and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before Him for those who fear the LORD and who esteem His name. 'They will be Mine, says the LORD of hosts, on the day that I prepare My own possession, and I will spare them as a man spares his own son who serves him. So you will again distinguish between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who does not serve Him. 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 [devastate] 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 3:16-4:3 NASB

SUPERNATURAL ONE ACCORD AND UNITY IS THE ESSENCE OF ALL TRUE KINGDOM SERVICE

*...."I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me and I in him, he bears much fruit, for **apart from Me you can do nothing**".... John 15:5 NASB*

ALL things in the Kingdom must be established IN Christ - through revelation. Thus, in this most critical hour, as the Glorious Church begins to move forth, it is certain that there is NO room for anything in one's life and ministry that has been "established" APART from Christ.

The Word of God is absolute, and our God is not the author of ANY form of confusion but, rather, He is a God of great [perfect] clarity. He desires each and every one of His precious children to be found walking by revelation - with a view to them entering into their true Kingdom-position - and, thus, fulfilling the fullness of all that they were created for, in Christ.

It is this abiding in revelation that keeps one conformed to the Will of God - both individually and corporately - thereby producing the supernatural one accord and true unity that is the essence of all true Kingdom service. In the "wilderness years" it seemed as though we learned from "disobedience to disobedience" but it is certain that it is a far better thing for one to learn through a steadfast obedience rather than a wilful disobedience [fear, pride, unbelief and rebellion].

In these days, those who are truly faithful to the Will of God shall begin to take giant steps in the spirit, and in the process they shall truly be conformed to the image of Christ - entering into a complete dependence upon the anointing that abides within [the fullness of the ministry of the Holy Spirit]. This will allow the Holy Spirit to move forth [flow] through them without measure - accomplishing exactly what needs to be accomplished in any given moment according to the highest purpose of the Father. From these things, one can begin to see clearly the immediate and powerful impact that a remnant [holy] Church filled with the Holy Spirit to overflowing will have in this most glorious hour. Amen.

...."Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit".... 2 Corinthians 3:17-18 NASB

...."Therefore, brethren, be all the more diligent to make certain about His calling and choosing you; for as long as you practice these things, you will never stumble; for in this way the entrance into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will be abundantly supplied to you".... 2 Peter 1:10-11 NASB

NUGGETS FROM THE INNER CHAMBER

* Praying in the spirit [with other tongues] is ALWAYS the best course of action UNLESS one has been given a specific revelation by the Holy Spirit.

.... "So too the [Holy] Spirit comes to our aid and bears us up in our weakness; for we do not know what prayer to offer nor how to offer it worthily as we ought, but the Spirit Himself goes to meet our supplication and pleads in our behalf with unspeakable yearnings and groanings too deep for utterance. And He Who searches the hearts of men knows what is in the mind of the [Holy] Spirit [what His intent is], because the Spirit intercedes and pleads [before God] in behalf of the saints according to and in harmony with God's will [Ps. 139:1, 2]"....
Romans 8:26-27 The Amplified Translation

* The [seemingly] "smallest" blessings sometimes have the biggest impact on one's own heart - and on the hearts of others.

.... "He who is faithful in a very little thing is faithful also in much".... *Luke 16:10a NASB*

* The GREAT importance [necessity] of true "corporate anointing" [and the continual flow of Divine Love between those who truly love God] in this very critical hour grows clearer and clearer with each passing day.

.... "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 forever".... *Psalms 133:1-3 NASB*

* When one walks in a place of closeness and intimacy with the Father [and His Word] THEN the spontaneous fruit of that right relationship will be continual thanksgiving to Him - and for all those who allow Him to work through them.

.... "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*

.... "He who offers a sacrifice of thanksgiving honors Me; And to him who orders his way aright I shall show the salvation of God".... *Psalms 50:23 NASB*

.... "O come, let us sing for joy to the LORD, let us shout joyfully to the rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, let us shout

joyfully to Him with psalms. For the LORD is a great God and a great King above all gods".... *Psalms 95:1-3 NASB*

* In this final hour, it will take fewer and fewer words to express the "reality" of the Kingdom because the words spoken [or written] in the power of the Anointing will literally "explode" in the hearts of those who were truly seeking God - and be continually expanded by the Holy Spirit [Who is the Spirit of wisdom and revelation].

"Kingdom" - the domain [sphere] wherein the spiritual sovereignty of God or Jesus Christ extends, whether in heaven or on earth;

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

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

* It is ALWAYS a greater test of one's faith and love when those whom they once relied on [one might say trusted] are no longer found trustworthy. It does not mean they love them any less BUT what was once an occasion for joy and peace while in their midst now becomes one of a continual urgency to exercise a holy caution when in their presence.

.... "Many a man proclaims his own loyalty, but who can find a trustworthy man/woman?".... *Proverbs 20:6 NASB*

* The Enemy knows that if he is able to establish a seed of doubt in one's "mind" through the planting of his fear-filled lies and "darkened wisdom" [which is the exact opposite process of the heart established by a revelation of God's Word] that seed, if watered, [by the failure of one to bring EVERY thought captive to a revelation of God's Will] will continue to expand until that lie becomes "truth" to that one's thinking. In fact, at that point, they will consider it truth - and, thus, from that point on, begin to act on it as such [in self-righteousness] when, in reality, it is in direct opposition to the Will of God.

.... "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*

* Every "corporate" spiritual environment in the midst of God's people is meant by the Lord to be a place of refreshing and nourishing under the corporate anointing -

with the Holy Spirit in FULL control. Unfortunately, anything short of that scenario produces a "battlefield" and MUCH warfare for the heart that is pure before the Lord - the heart that seeks to abide in Love and righteousness above ALL else.

....*"O LORD, who may abide in Your tent? Who may dwell on Your holy hill? He who walks with integrity, and works righteousness, and speaks truth in his heart. He does not slander with his tongue, Nor does evil to his neighbor, Nor takes up a reproach against his friend; In whose eyes a reprobate is despised, but who honors those who fear the LORD; He swears to his own hurt and does not change".... Psalms 15:1-4 NASB*

....*"Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity!".... Psalms 133:1 NASB*

* True "humility" is defined as an absolute dependence upon *[trust in]* the Father *[and His Word]* for the Grace and Wisdom to obey Him - whatever that may mean according to His highest purpose in this final hour *[both individually and corporately]*. That is "true" submission *[Love]* to both God and man - and that is the way of the Kingdom.

....*"all of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, for God is opposed to the proud, but gives grace to the humble. Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that HE may exalt you at the proper time, casting all your anxiety on Him, because HE cares for you".... 1 Peter 5:5-7 NASB*

* The Enemy is ALWAYS attempting in some way to "overload" us - for the "busyness" he attempts to create in our "environment" is ALWAYS meant to be a clear detriment to us hearing the still, small, voice of the Holy Spirit.

....*"Cast your burden on the Lord [releasing the weight of it] and He will sustain you; He will never allow the [consistently] righteous to be moved [made to slip, fall, or fail]. [I Pet. 5:7]".... Psalms 55:22 The Amplified Translation*

....*"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".... Isaiah 26:3 The Amplified Translation*
