

EXHORTATIONS FROM THE FATHER

["Reflections" Of The Father's Heart]

August 25th

* The "maintaining" of a sin-consciousness [*condemnation for "past" mistakes, fear, unworthiness etc.*] causes one to draw back and fear [*pull away from Me*] causing great difficulty for that one to receive from Me that which is ALREADY theirs.

The maintaining of a righteousness-consciousness causes one to draw near to Me in a supernatural boldness for they have entered in [*through divine revelation*] to a knowledge of who they truly are IN Christ.

"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 - through an adherence to "sense-knowledge" [*Romans 8:1-2 KJV*];

"righteousness" - manifests in the "ability" [*in. and through. Christ and His "finished work"*] to stand in God's Presence [*or, for that matter, in the presence of Satan and his forces*] without the sense of guilt, condemnation, or inferiority [*unworthiness*];

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

....*"the righteous are bold as a lion [in both word and deed]".... Proverbs 28:1b NASB*

....*"[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*

.... "Therefore if any person is [ingrafted] in Christ [the Messiah] he is a new creation [a new creature altogether]; the old [previous moral and spiritual condition] has passed away. Behold, the fresh and new has come!".... 2
Corinthians 5:17 The Amplified Translation

.... "For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin. Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of Grace, so that we may receive mercy and find Grace [divine favor] to help in time of need".... Hebrews 4:15-16 NASB