

FIRE BY NIGHT

"Reflections Upon Reflections" [of The Father's Heart]

...."You, in Your great compassion, did not forsake them in the wilderness; The pillar of cloud did not leave them by day, to guide them on their way, or the pillar of fire by night, to light for them the way in which they were to go".... Nehemiah 9:19 NASB

December 23rd

AN "ABOUNDING GRACE"

Words of Prophecy:

* *An "abiding" [dwelling in the place of a continual] obedience produces an "abounding" Grace.*

"perfect obedience" - receiving a revelation of the Father's Will, and then carrying out that Will in the timing [*unction*] and power of the Holy Spirit - alone [*through the continual exercising of an absolute faith working through a perfect love*];

"abound" - to occur or exist in great quantities; to be rich or well supplied; to be filled;

Latin: **"abundare"** - to overflow;

...."God is able to make all Grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed [true Kingdom work]".... 2 Corinthians 9:8 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

It is those who seek to love the Father and His Word from the position of a heart "wholly given" who continually access His Grace [*divine empowerment*]. For their first and foremost priority is to carry out His Will [*Word*] - above ALL else.

....*"Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ: By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God".... Romans 5:1-2 KJV*

....*"For the Lord God is a sun and shield; The Lord gives Grace and glory; No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly".... Psalms 84:11 NASB*

....*"My Grace is sufficient for you, for [My] power is perfected in weakness".... 2 Corinthians 12:9 NASB*

....*"For we are God's [own] handiwork [His workmanship], recreated in Christ Jesus, [born anew] that we may do those good works which God predestined [planned beforehand] for us [taking paths which He prepared ahead of time], that we should walk in them [living the good life which He prearranged and made ready for us to live]".... Ephesians 2:10 The Amplified Translation*

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have raised us up a people who are continually empowered by Your Grace *[the Spirit of Grace]* - a people who continually seek Your Will above ALL else - and we declare it DONE, in Jesus' Name. Amen.