REFLECTIONS OF THE FATHER'S HEART

[Exhortations From The Father]

[March 4th]

* When one is "reviled" in any way THEN part of that one's obedience [to the command to guard their heart [spirit, inner man] with ALL diligence] is for them to immediately set themselves apart unto Me - with a view to regaining their "spiritual equilibrium". For in this way, their conscience, intuition and communion with Me [the three compartments of the spirit {inner man}] will be returned to a "perfect synchronization" - thus allowing them to discern both properly and clearly [in Love, Grace and Wisdom] any situation or circumstance they have been confronted with.

"revile" - to assail with contemptuous language; address or speak of abusively; vilify; berate; slander;

"equalibrium" - a state of rest or balance [in this case, the place wherein one's spirit and soul {mind, will, emotions} are "garrisoned about" {protected, defended} by the supernatural peace and joy of God, in faith].

...."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 [persecuted] for the name of Christ, you are blessed [divinely empowered and prospered], because the Spirit of glory and of God rests on you".... 1 Peter 4:12-14 NASB

...."Watch over your heart [inner man, spirit] with ALL diligence, for from it flow the springs of life. Put away from you a deceitful mouth and put devious speech far from you".... Proverbs 4:23-24 NASB

...."But I say, walk by the spirit [from the position of the spirit being in a position of predominance [ascendency] over the soul and body - thus, influenced directly by the Holy Spirit], and you will not carry out the desire of the flesh [senses]. For the flesh [sense knowledge and perception] sets its desire against

the spirit [inner man], and the spirit [inner man] against the flesh [senses]; for these are in opposition to one another, so that you may not do the things that you please".... Galatians 5:16-17 NASB