# **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

### June 18th

#### SET YOUR FOCUS ON THE "THINGS ABOVE"

#### Words of prophecy:

\* Obedience to the command to keep one's eyes "fixed" [focused] on My Word [and ALL that He is] opens the door to the Kingdom [realm] and continually empowers one to "rise above" the schemes of the Enemy.

\* One becomes what they consistently "behold".

"behold" - regard; gaze upon; discern;

"gaze" - to look at steadily or intently;

...."Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty [emancipation from bondage, freedom] [Isa. 61:1, 2]. And all of us, as with unveiled face, [because we] continued to behold [in the Word of God] as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are constantly being transfigured into His very own image in ever increasing splendor and from one degree of glory to another; [for this comes] from the Lord [Who is] the Spirit".... 2 Corinthians 3:17-18 The Amplifed Translation

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

...."so that no advantage would be taken of us by Satan, for we are not ignorant of his schemes".... 2 Corinthians 2:11 NASB

.... "For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. The light of

the body is the eye: if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light [revelation]".... Matthew 6:21-22 KJV

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

When the Enemy is attempting to get one to focus their eyes on something it is of the utmost importance for them to "look away" from what he is attempting to get them to fix their eyes on and fix their eyes on the Word of God, instead. Images are an extremely powerful influence on one's life - and, therefore, it is very important to exercise a holy caution concerning that which we look at - without exception!

...."we consider and look not to the things that are seen [the lower reality that which is real to the five physical senses] but to the things that are unseen [through faith in the higher Reality of God's Word]; for the things that are visible are temporal (brief and fleeting) [subject to change], but the things that are invisible are deathless and everlasting [Eternal]".... 2 Corinthians 4:18 The Amplified Translation

#### **Prayer of Proclamation:**

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have blessed us with a deep revelation of the importance of keeping our eyes "fixed" *[focused]* upon both You and Your Word - and, thus, we are continually empowered in our obedience to rise above the schemes of the Enemy to influence us with the "things below". And we declare all of these things DONE *[on an ongoing basis]* in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.