# **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

## July 21st

### WE DO NOT ANSWER "FIRST" TO OTHERS BUT TO THE HEART OF THE FATHER AND THE LEADING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

#### Words of prophecy:

\* If ALL of My children just simply loved Me with ALL of their heart THEN all strife, division and jealousy would soon disappear from the midst of My people - and there would be NO E[e] nemy in the camp.

...."You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be [remain] on your heart".... Deuteronomy 6:5-6 The Amplified Translation

...."Can two walk together, except they be agreed [have a "concurring" revelation of God's Will and act in obedience upon it]?".... Amos 3:3 KJV

"concur" - to agree; be of the same mind [in this case the Mind of Christ]; be in one accord;

...."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 [love, truth, revelation, righteousness] forever".... Psalms 133:1-3 NASB

We do not answer "first" to others *[even those who may have been a delegated authority in our lives]* but to the heart of the Father and the leading of the Holy Spirit. There are many in the place of authority in the church at large who

are still bound to some degree by fear and jealousy [pride] - and, thus, their first and foremost agenda is to control [some times, unknowingly - although they SHOULD know] the sheep for their own purposes. This is why each and every one of us must continually be found allowing the Holy Spirit to deal with any ground of fear or pride in us so that the Will of God [His "best"] for ourselves and for others in our sphere of existence might ALWAYS have preeminence.

...."Who among you is wise and understanding? Let him show by his good behavior his deeds in the gentleness of wisdom. But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your heart, do not be arrogant and so lie against the truth. This wisdom is not that which comes down from above, but is earthly, natural, demonic. For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every evil thing. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, reasonable, full of mercy and good fruits, unwavering, without hypocrisy".... James 3:13-17 NASB

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

Father, we thank You and praise You that we are a people who give YOU preeminence in all things - a people who abide in a place of submissiveness to Your Holy Spirit. And we declare all of these things DONE *[on an ongoing basis]* in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory! Amen.