

REFLECTIONS OF THE FATHER'S HEART

[Exhortations From The Father]

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* Tithing and sowing are NOT "obligatory". They are "revelatory" - based upon a revelation of My Heart [*true Nature and Character*] and Word.

"obligatory" - required as a matter of obligation; mandatory; imposing moral or legal obligation; binding;

"revelatory" - of, pertaining to, or having the characteristics of revelation [*in this case, that which is born of a revelation of the Father's Heart and Covenant with His children*];

....*"the love [Wisdom, Truth, Grace] of God [the Father] has been poured out within our hearts [spirit, inner man] through the Holy Spirit [the Spirit of Love] who was given to us".... Romans 5:5 NASB*

THEREFORE

....*"Watch over your heart [spirit] with all diligence, for from it flow the springs of life [the forces of the Kingdom {Grace, Faith, Love, Truth, Righteousness and Wisdom}]".... Proverbs 4:23-24 NASB*

"diligence" - constant and earnest effort to accomplish what is undertaken;

....*"Will a man rob or defraud God? Yet you rob and defraud Me. But you say, In what way do we rob or defraud You? [You have withheld your] tithes and offerings. You are cursed with the curse, for you are robbing Me, even this whole nation".... Malachi 3:8-9 The Amplified Translation*

....*"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, so that there may be food in My house, and test Me now in this," says the LORD of hosts, "if I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you a blessing until it overflows. "Then I will rebuke the devourer for you, so that it will not destroy the fruits of the ground; nor will your vine in the field cast its grapes," says the LORD of hosts.*

"All the nations will call you blessed, for you shall be a delightful land," says the LORD of hosts".... Malachi 3:10-12 NASB

*...."Give, and it will be given to you. They [others] will pour into your lap a good measure - pressed down, shaken together, and running over. **For by your standard of measure it will be measured to you in return**".... Luke 6:38 NASB*