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

February 19th

IT IS ONLY LOVE THAT IS NOT MOVED

Words of prophecy:

* Love and holiness in the lives of those whose heart is wholly given to Me [when crossing the path of those who are bound by fear and idolatry] will produce a conviction so strong in this hour that a rampant emotionalism will be the spontaneous by-product. Truly I say to you, that this is the hour wherein each one of My children not serving Me from the position of a heart wholly given will be brought to the point of an "absolute decision". For this is the time wherein a "spotless and unblemished" Church shall begin to "take legs" and, from this day forth, a spiritual momentum shall begin to build with each passing day - a "spiritual momentum" that will make My holy ones both impenetrable and unstoppable in the face of Satan's schemes. Rejoice, My beloved ones, for the long awaited day has arrived - for, indeed, it is the "fullness of time" and, truly I say to you, it shall be a day like NO other in the midst of all those who truly love Me!

....'I gave you a land on which you had not labored, and cities which you had not built, and you have lived in them; you are eating of vineyards and olive groves which you did not plant.' "Now, therefore, fear the LORD and serve Him in sincerity and truth; and put away the gods which your fathers served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the LORD. "If it is disagreeable in your sight to serve the LORD, choose for yourselves today whom you will serve: whether the gods which your fathers served which were beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD." The people answered and said, "Far be it from us that we should forsake the LORD to serve other gods; for the LORD our God is He who brought us and our fathers up out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage, and who did these great signs in our sight and preserved us through all the way in

which we went and among all the peoples through whose midst we passed. "The LORD drove out from before us all the peoples, even the Amorites who lived in the land. We also will serve the LORD, for He is our God." Then Joshua said to the people, "You will not be able to serve the LORD, for He is a holy God. He is a jealous God; He will not forgive your transgression or your sins. "If you forsake the LORD and serve foreign gods, then He will turn and do you harm and consume you after He has done good to you." The people said to Joshua, "No, but we will serve the LORD." Joshua said to the people, "You are witnesses against yourselves that you have chosen for yourselves the LORD, to serve Him." And they said, "We are witnesses." "Now therefore, put away the foreign gods which are in your midst, and incline your hearts to the LORD, the God of Israel." The people said to Joshua, "We will serve the LORD our God and we will obey His voice".... Joshua 24:13-24 NASB

When one steps out in faith in obedience [by revelation] and certain people in their "environment" or "sphere of existence" have a form of strong resistance in their heart concerning the Will of God for their own life it will often manifest in a display of irrational words and actions in an effort to "justify" their own position - which is actually one of stubbornness, rebellion and unbelief.

The children of Israel "railed" against Moses a number of times in the wilderness - even to the point of Korah's rebellion. This is why we must be found rooted and grounded in Love - for it is ONLY Love that is not moved by these displays of "rampant emotionalism" - and it is ONLY Love that will pray for those who have been used as vessels of persecution against them.

The reason why these displays of "rampant emotionalism" end up as "personal attacks" *[accusations etc.]* on the life of the one speaking the absolute Truth of God's Word is because to justify oneself and their position they need to downgrade the life of the one speaking truth - so as to, in their own thinking, make the words of the one speaking the Truth of no importance or have any "validity".

"rail" - to utter bitter complaint or vehement denunciation [often followed by at or against];

...."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

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that with each passing day Your precious Love is being shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Spirit - a precious and all-Powerful Love that will bring all those in our path to the point of an "absolute decision" in this final hour. And we declare it DONE *[on an ongoing basis]* in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.

...."Love endures long and is patient and kind; love never is envious nor boils over with jealousy, is not boastful or vainglorious, does not display itself haughtily. It is not conceited (arrogant and inflated with pride); it is not rude (unmannerly) and does not act unbecomingly. Love (God's love in us) does not insist on its own rights or its own way, for it is not self-seeking; it is not touchy or fretful or resentful; it takes no account of the evil done to it [it pays no attention to a suffered wrong]. It does not rejoice at injustice and unrighteousness, but rejoices when right and truth prevail. Love bears up under anything and everything that comes, is ever ready to believe the best of every person, its hopes are fadeless under all circumstances, and it endures everything [without weakening]. Love never fails [never fades out or becomes obsolete or comes to an end]".... 1 Corinthians 13:4-8a The Amplified Translation