

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

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DIVINE CONFRONTATIONS

Words of prophecy:

* *In this most critical hour, as the "civil war" intensifies in the midst of My people, there will be many "head-on collisions" [divine confrontations] between that which is unrighteous and that which is righteous in origin and, in the process, ALL that is apart from Christ will be judged thoroughly. Up until this time, Satan has found many "pawns" to be willing vessels of strife and division in the midst of My people for in their continued adherence to that which is unrighteously motivated they have blinded themselves to My true vision of the [Glorious] Church [and their perfect part in it] - even to the point of propagating a "gospel" that has little or nothing to do with the reality of My Kingdom - and the principles therein. And, thus, they have led many astray - keeping them in the "lower place" [bondage to the flesh] - far below the "high place" they are called to in Christ [the reality of the life of the Cross, Resurrection power and the Ascension-life {the fullness of authority}]*.

"confrontation" - an open conflict of opposing ideas, forces [*in this case, the forces of the Kingdom {Faith, Love, Truth, Righteousness and Wisdom} against the forces of the lower realm {fear, unbelief, self-righteousness, soulish wisdom etc.}*];

...."Then those who feared the LORD spoke to one another, and the LORD gave attention and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before Him for those who fear the LORD and who esteem His name. 'They will be Mine,' says the LORD of hosts, on the day that I prepare My own possession, and I will spare them as a man spares his own son who serves him. So you will again distinguish between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who

does not serve Him. For behold, the day is coming, burning like a furnace; and all the arrogant and every evildoer will be chaff; and the day that is coming will set them ablaze, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who fear My name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings; and you will go forth and skip about like calves from the stall. You will tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet on the day which I am preparing', says the LORD of hosts"..... Malachi 3:16-4:3 NASB

*...."Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men. Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus EVERY KNEE WILL BOW, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father"....
Philippians 2:5-11 NASB*

The righteous are as bold [*courageous*] as a lion because of a superabundance of revelation knowledge "abiding" in their heart. The self-righteous exercise a "false bravado" [*counterfeit courage and "strength of conviction"*] fuelled by a self-assurance that is bound by spiritual pride [*darkness*] - a "false bravado" that will not "remain standing" when confronted by the Glory of God [*His manifested Presence*] in this final hour, through a holy people.

...."the righteous are bold as a lion".... Proverbs 28:1 NASB

...."So the nations will fear the name of the LORD and all the kings of the earth Your glory. For the LORD has built up Zion; He has appeared in His glory".... Psalms 102:15-16 NASB

...."Do not be called leaders; for One is your Leader, that is, Christ. But the greatest among you shall be your servant. Whoever exalts himself shall be humbled; and whoever humbles himself shall be exalted. But woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites, because you shut off the kingdom of heaven from people; for you do not enter in yourselves, nor do you allow those who are entering to go in".... Matthew 23:10-13 NASB

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have raised us up a holy people - a people, through whom, You can confront the unrighteous schemes of the Enemy at every turn. And we declare all of these things DONE [*on an ongoing basis*] in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.