# The Ministry Letter 2024

# Issue 3

To all those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom - those who love God with all of their heart:

In this month's Ministry Letter, I share about the importance of the "narrow gate" - and one taking the necessary steps in obedience to the Holy Spirit in order that the "transition" the remnant Church *[both individually and corporately]* is going through might be accelerated. I also talk about the need for every child of God to research for themselves "the news behind the *[socalled]* news" in order that we might not be a people who conform to "opinion" but, rather, revelation, alone.

I also talk about the importance of having a heart that is "unflinching" in its trust of the Father and His Word. Finally, I share the vision of the "giant vise" - vision that accurately portrays where we are, presently, in the perfect unfolding of the Father's Plan.

I pray that your heart *[spirit]* is deeply touched *[greatly influenced]* by the revelations contained within this month's Ministry Letter - and I declare it DONE, in the Name of Jesus. Amen.

# THE GATE IS "NARROW"

...."Enter through the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and spacious and broad is the way that leads away to destruction, and many are those who are entering through it. But the gate is narrow [contracted by pressure] and the way is straitened and compressed that leads away to life, and few are those who find it [Deut. 30:19; Jer. 21:8]".... Matthew 7:13-14 The Amplified Translation

There is a "gateway" through which one enters "fully" into ALL that they were created for, in Christ - and it is certain that this gateway is found ONLY by those who have laid their lives down to pursue the "fullness" of their precious Kingdom-position and destiny *[in other words, ALL that they were created for by the Father, in Christ]*. This narrow "gateway" *[and path]* is both discerned and walked through *[as well as remained upon]* by "revelation".

Whereas, the "wide" gateway and the broad path that leads to it is both found and pursued by those whose "operating system" *[mode of operation]* and whose final authority in their lives is still sense knowledge and perception - the spontaneous fruit of which is judging *[discerning]* all things through reason, logic and their "own" understanding *[with a LOT of help from the Enemy]*.

It is for this reason that each and every child of God regardless of their present heart condition - MUST now begin to take those steps *[in obedience to the Holy Spirit]* that will hasten *[greatly accelerate]* the transition that each and every one of us *[as true sons and daughters]* are presently going through: a transition into a greater faith *[the God-kind of faith]*, a transition from the last vestiges of sense-knowledge and perception to a life lived by revelation, a transition from worldly wisdom in ANY of its forms to the Wisdom and Grace of God., alone.

#### THE "NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS"

...."Arise, shine; for your light has come, And the Glory [manifested Presence] of the LORD has risen upon you. For behold, darkness will cover the earth and deep darkness the peoples; But the LORD will rise upon you And His Glory [manifested Presence] will appear upon you. "Nations will come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising. "Lift up your eyes round about and see; They all gather together, they come to you. Your sons will come from afar, And your daughters will be carried in the arms.

"Then you will see and be radiant, And your heart will thrill [tremble and be enlarged] and rejoice; Because the abundance of the sea will be turned to you, The wealth of the nations will come to you....They will bring gold and frankincense, and will bear good news of the praises of the LORD.... and I shall glorify [beautify]My glorious [beautiful] house.".... Isaiah 60:1-7 NASB

We are on the threshold of the greatest outpouring of the Glory *[manifested Presence]* of God this earth has EVER seen! The Father, in His great Faithfulness is preparing not only His Church but, also, the nations *[and the peoples therein]* for something that is so great that it defies proper description at this time.

It truly is time for every child of God to begin to research the "news behind the news" because I can tell you there are things going on "behind the scenes" *[by the*  *Hand of God]* that are about to explode into "physical manifestation" and, literally, turn everything *[spirit, soul, body, financially, relationship-wise,* 

*location/environment-wise and ministry-wise]* "upside down" for us - as far as the Evil One and his vile schemes against us are concerned.

#### THE GREAT DANGER OF "OPINION"

"**stubbornness**" - obstinate; fixed or set in purpose or opinion [in this case in opposition to the Will of God both for themselves and others];

"opinion" - a belief or judgment that rests on grounds insufficient to produce complete certainty [in this case, a thought or mind-set rooted in the soul {mind, will emotions} - devoid of "revelation"]; a personal view, attitude, or appraisal; a conclusion or judgement held with confidence but falling short of positive [revelation] knowledge; a prevailing sentiment; an evaluation;

Latin: "opinare" - to think;

"sense knowledge" - that which is perceived by what one feels, hears, sees or thinks based on their outward circumstances; that which is perceived [and expressed] through the soul [mind, will, emotions] - apart from "revelation" [the Holy Spirit - Who is the Spirit of wisdom and revelation];

Even with the lateness of the hour, many children of God still stubbornly hold to their "opinions" - and, thus, remain "bound" to sense-knowledge and perception. In other words, bound to the "lower realm", and devoid of the revelation *[Grace]* necessary for them to enter into their true Kingdom-position and destiny, in Christ. There is "opinion" and there is the absolute Truth of God's Word *[true Knowledge]*. As children of God, we are called to walk with both feet firmly planted in the Kingdom - a sphere whose chief "currency" is faith *[which both begins and ends {comes to completion} with {through} a revelation of the Father's Will abiding in one's heart {spirit, inner man}].* 

#### Always remember:

"Opinion" is a tool of the Enemy to keep one in a form of deception - a deception that will SURELY lead to division in our midst if held to *[maintained]*.

...."we have the mind of Christ [the Messiah] and do hold the thoughts [feelings and purposes] of His heart".... 1 Corinthians 2:16b The Amplified Translation

#### THEREFORE

...."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

# THERE IS ALWAYS GREAT PRESSURE PRECEDING ONE'S "BREAKTHROUGH"

"breakthrough" - an act or instance of removing or surpassing an obstruction or restriction; the overcoming of a stalemate; any significant or sudden advance that removes a barrier to progress; a military offensive that penetrates an enemy's lines of defense;

"**burst**" - to break, break open; to issue forth suddenly and forcibly, as from confinement or through an obstacle;

"catapult" - to thrust forward and upward; move quickly or suddenly;

A "breakthrough" is a sudden "burst" of divine revelation that will "catapult" one past *[far above]* the Enemy's defenses *[schemes]* - thus, empowering them to see all things from the Father's perspective and, in seeing *[understanding]*, take the next step in obedience in the power and unction of the Holy Spirit.

There is always "great pressure" preceding one's "breakthrough ["greatest darkness before the dawn", so to speak] - the greater the breakthrough one is gaining the greater the pressure. SO rejoice in this hour, for it is certain that we [the remnant Church] are going to see and experience the greatest breakthroughs [individually and corporately] - both in size and scope - in the history of the Church age!

"scope" - extent or range of view, outlook, application, operation, effectiveness, etc.:

# Always remember:

The "narrow path" is, at times, contracted by great pressure. This pressure [affliction or persecution that arises because of the word, the worries of the world, the deceitfulness of riches, and the desires for other things {that are apart from God's Will}] is formulated [devised] by the Evil One to move [influence] us off of the narrow path [the Kingdom, the highway of Holiness, the paths of righteousness etc.] onto the broad path [the world and its ways {systems} {Mark 4:15-19}].

...."Consider it all joy, my brethren, when you encounter various trials, knowing [maintaining a deep revelation of the spiritual reality] that the testing of your faith produces endurance. And let endurance have its perfect result, so that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing".... James 1:2-4 NASB

...."And David came to Baal-perazim, and he smote them there, and said, The Lord has broken through my enemies before me, like the bursting out of great waters. So he called the name of that place Baal-perazim [the Lord of breaking through]"....2 Samuel 5:20 The Amplified Translation

...."For the LORD will rise up as at Mount Perazim, He will be stirred up as in the valley of Gibeon, to do His task, His unusual task, and to work His work, His extraordinary work".... Isaiah 28:21 NASB

...."But seek [aim at and strive after] first of all His kingdom and His righteousness [His way of doing and being right]".... Matthew 6:33 The Amplified Translation

...."Do not call to mind the former things, or ponder things of the past. Behold, I will do something new, now it will spring forth; Will you not be aware of it? I will even make a roadway in the wilderness, rivers in the desert".... Isaiah 43:18-19 NASB

# THE ESSENCE OF AN "UNFLINCHING" HEART [SPIRIT] OF TRUST IN THE FATHER AND HIS WORD

...."I was made very happy in the Lord that now you have revived your interest in my welfare after so long a time; you were indeed thinking of me, but you had no opportunity to show it. Not that I am implying that I was in any personal want, for I have learned how to be content (satisfied to the point where I am not disturbed or disquieted) in whatever state I am. I know how to be abased and live humbly in straitened circumstances, and I know also how to enjoy plenty and live in abundance. I have learned in any and all circumstances the secret of facing every situation, whether well-fed or going hungry, having a sufficiency and enough to spare or going without and being in want. I have strength for all things in Christ Who empowers me [I am ready for anything and equal to anything through Him Who infuses inner strength into me; I am self-sufficient in Christ's sufficiency]"....

#### Philippians 4:10-13 The Amplified Translation

"flinch" - to draw back; to shift position [in this case through fear, unbelief, mistrust etc.];

As the Father prepares His children perfectly in this hour to handle the great Prosperity - and the various other Covenant blessings that will begin to overtake those who dwell in His Presence - it is certain that we must come to the place of an "unflinching" trust in His Word [*His true Nature and Character*]. Many are able to trust the Father in certain areas but in other areas there still remains a degree of "self-dependence" - the fruit of which is a definite inclination [through fear, mistrust and unbelief] to lean upon their "own understanding".

This is precisely why we must continually be found positioning ourselves to allow *[on a daily basis]* both the Word and the Holy Spirit to renew our minds in EVERY area of our lives BECAUSE the same God that provides for our financial sustenance also has provided our healing, our divine protection - and, indeed, every other facet of the glorious Salvation *[Inheritance]* that is ALREADY ours, in Christ.

When one enters into the place of an "unflinching" heart [spirit, inner man] of trust before the Father and His Word then it is certain that they will not only enter into the Kingdom with both feet firmly planted therein, they will, also, experience [appropriate] and fulfil, perfectly, all that the Father has prepared for them from before the foundations of the earth.

When, even in the face of "seeming lack" the heart stays steady in its exercising of faith THEN the certain fruit of that faith and trust *[regardless of present circumstances]* will continually empower them to rise above the "pressures" of the Enemy.

#### WE MUST BE "FLINCH FREE"

"spiritual equalibrium" - a state of rest or balance [in this case, the place wherein one's spirit and soul {mind, will, emotions} are "garrisoned about" {protected, defended} by the supernatural peace and joy of God, in faith - it is also the place wherein a continual flow of God's Grace and Wisdom abound in one's spirit {inner man}].

Whether one has \$1.00 in their bank account [and facing financial pressures] or \$10,000.00 in their bank account the heart must be "flinch free". In other words, in the case of the \$10,000.00 bank account there would be

no need for immediate concern as they could easily pay their bills etc.

Whereas, when there is only \$1.00 in the bank account of that same person the Enemy will SURELY attempt constant pressure tactics *[mostly involving unpaid bills, future payments, costs etc.]* in order to get them in fear and unbelief - the spontaneous fruit of which is to take things into their "own" hands and move away from trusting in the Father's Provision.

#### This is my point:

If, when we are confronted with "seeming lack", and we are experiencing a troubled heart [a "flinch" within of fear and unbelief], then it is VERY important to acknowledge this before the Father - asking Him NOT ONLY to "burn out" any last vestiges or ground of mistrust in Him [His Word] remaining in us but, also, to ask Him for [appropriate by faith] the Grace necessary to walk above any pressures the Enemy attempts to afflict us with.

We maintain this continual accessing of Grace through a steadfast confession *[affirmation]* of the portions of God's Word that the Holy Spirit quickens to us - KNOWING that that which we consistently speak and act upon will eventually have its "physical manifestation" *[perfect unfolding by the Hand of our loving Father]* AND also empower a full entrance into the perfect liberty again, that is ALREADY ours, in Christ.

...."Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ: By whom also we have access by faith into this Grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God".... Romans 5:1-2 KJV

# A HIGHLY DEVELOPED STATE OF HEART

...."He who is faithful [obedient] in a very little thing is faithful [obedient] also in much; and he who is unrighteous [disobedient] in a very little thing is unrighteous [disobedient] also in much".... Luke 16:10 NASB

#### In summarizing:

"developed" - to bring out the capabilities or possibilities of; bring to a more advanced or effective state;

Again, it must be the goal of every last true [faithful] son and daughter to have such a "highly developed" state

of heart [spiritual equilibrium] that their heart [spirit, inner man] will react exactly the same way whether they are experiencing again, a "seeming lack" or have superabundant finances.

For when one reaches this state not only will they be found trusting the Father and His Word in ALL things, it is also certain that they will be found trustworthy in their stewardship and handling of Kingdom-finances -KNOWING that no matter what they are instructed *[led]* to do by the Holy Spirit in the matter of giving *[sowing]* there will be absolutely no "flinch" and, therefore no hesitation in their obedience to *[the carrying out of]* the highest Will and purpose of the Father - in ANY given moment.

Because of these things, it is very important for each of us to realize that if we were to be blessed with tremendous amounts of Kingdom-finances and we have NOT allowed the Holy Spirit to deal with every last ground of mistrust *[fear, unbelief etc.]* in us THEN when superabundance comes our way then - even though we have enough to pay our bills and establish certain things the Enemy will still be able to work out of that remaining ground to affect us negatively and continue to steal from us in some way.

One of the great deceptions which we must NEVER be a partaker of is the mind-set that thinks:

"If I had unlimited finances then all my problems would be solved and I would obey God fully".

This is a lie from the Enemy - and this is precisely why we must, at all cost to ourselves *[in and by the power of the Holy Spirit]*, strive to be found faithful and obedient in even the smallest details of our lives.

Because the truth of the matter is that, if one does not "maintain" an obedient heart *[a heart that is quick to obey]* in their present circumstances then no matter what is added on to them will NOT effect obedience but, rather, lead them into a place where they will be found "setting their heart on the increase" and losing sight of the various Kingdom-principles that would ensure continual increase in their own lives and the advancement of the Kingdom through a "righteous stewardship" of all that the Father has blessed them with.

In light of these things, let each and every one of us be found appropriating the necessary Grace to rise up to not only receive the fullness of the Father's "Blessing" in this most critical and glorious hour but, also, to handle the aforementioned blessings with a pin-point accuracy and perfect trust that will SURELY - and without exception be found glorifying the Father to the greatest degree.

"the "Blessing" - is the empowerment [of the Word and the Holy Spirit] to prosper, to succeed, to increase, to multiply, to excel, to rise above everything that attempts to hold one back or keep them down as they walk out the course that the Father prepared for them from before the foundations of the earth.

...."If [when] riches increase, do not set your heart upon them".... Psalms 62:10 NASB

# THE VISION OF THE "GIANT VISE"

"vise" - any of various devices, usually having two jaws that may be brought together or separated by means of a screw, lever, or the like, used to hold an object firmly while work is being done on it;

**VISION:** I saw a "giant vise". It had four sides and the sides of it were very tall. It actually looked more like a giant "trash compacter" than your typical work bench vise *[which has only two sides]*. I saw that all four sides were simultaneously *[slowly but surely]* closing in towards each other. In the middle I saw a large group of people *[who were indistinguishable]*. They were trapped inside the giant vise - and with each passing moment the walls kept closing fast and faster with each passing day.

#### the Father spoke to me and said:

The "giant vise" is representative of My end-time Plan to remove the various power structures of the world system.

The fact that it had four sides is representative of the spiritual reality that the Enemy and his schemes will be "blindsided", in this hour, from the north, the south, the east, the west - and EVERY point in between.

The fact that the four sides were very tall are representative of the spiritual reality that this entire plan originated in Heaven - and is "inescapable" [for the unrighteous].

The four sides of the vise simultaneouly closing in is representative of the spiritual reality that My Plan is continually unfolding at the perfect rate to accomplish everything it was set out by Me to accomplish.

The large group of people in the middle of the "giant

vise" are representative of all those who have chosen to deny [and even mock] Me and, therefore, in refusing My mercy have trapped themselves with no way of escape.

These ones are those who chose to align themselves willingly with the vile schemes of the Enemy - and, in doing so, have been instrumental in committing "heinous" crimes of great magnitude against My Creation [mankind].

"heinous" - evil; atrocious abominable; totally reprehensible:

The fact that the "giant vise" was closing closing faster and faster with each passing day is representative of the spiritual reality that with each passing day My Judgement against EVERY form of "wickedness" *[unrighteousness]* is moving faster and faster unto a "perfect completion" - a perfect completion that will *[as with the enslavement and ensuing freedom of the Hebrew slaves]* set vast mulitudes *[within the church at large and the nations]* free to live as they have never been able to live before in a perfect liberty and freedom *[economically and peacefully]* that, up until now, one would not have thought possible this side of Heaven, itself.

...."I will bring punishment to the world for its evil and the wicked for their sins. I shall shatter the arrogance of the proud and will humble the pride of the high and mighty..... therefore I will make the heavens shudder and the earth shake from its foundation because of the wrath of the Lord - Commander of angel armies, in the day of His fierce anger. Isaiah 13:11 TPT

...."There are six things which the LORD hates, Yes, seven which are an abomination to Him: Haughty eyes, a lying tongue, And hands that shed innocent blood, A heart that devises wicked plans, Feet that run rapidly to evil, A false witness who utters lies, And one who spreads strife among brothers".... Proverbs 6:16-19 NASB

...." I was envious of the arrogant as I saw the prosperity of the wicked. For there are no pains in their death, and their body is fat. They are not in trouble as other men, nor are they plagued like mankind. Therefore pride is their necklace; The garment of violence covers them. Their eye bulges from fatness; The imaginations of their heart run riot. They mock and wickedly speak of oppression; They speak from on high. They have set their mouth against the heavens, and their tongue parades through the earth".... Psalm 73:3-9 NASB

.... "the righteous will be rewarded with

prosperity...and the wealth of the sinner is stored up for the righteous".... Proverbs 13:21, 22 NASB

# **Prayer:**

Gracious Heavenly Father, we thank you and praise You that you have raised us up a people whose hearts are "flinch free" - a fearless people who choose to trust You in and for ALL things.

We thank You and praise You that You have prepared us perfectly for ALL that is about to transpire by Your Hand on our behalf - things that are almost incomprehensible to even the most sanctified mind.

We give You all praise and honor and Glory for ALL that which you are doing "behind the scenes" to set vast multitudes of captives free throughout the nations spiritually, physically and financially. And we declare ALL of these things DONE, in the mighty Name of Jesus - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.

....""Who has heard such a thing? Who has seen such things? Can a land be born in one day? Can a nation be brought forth all at once? As soon as Zion travailed, she also brought forth her sons. Shall I bring to the point of birth and not give delivery?" says the LORD. Or shall I who gives delivery shut the womb?" says your God".... Isaiah 66:8-9 NASB

May Grace, peace, divine prosperity and continual increase be yours *[multiplied to you]* in the fullest measure - this day and EVERY DAY, Amen.

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...."The person who respects the spokesman of God and relates to him as such will participate in that spokesman's reward".... Matthew 10:41 Ben Campbell Johnson Paraphrase

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