

REFLECTIONS OF THE FATHER'S HEART

[Exhortations From The Father]

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* If one *[through the inclination of their heart]* CONTINUES to lean upon their "own" understanding THEN they position themselves for "judgement" *[the judgement {of the unrighteous} that has ALREADY been established through the "finished work" of My dear Son {Who is the Word of God}]*.

...."Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with ALL your heart and mind and DO NOT rely [to ANY degree] on your own insight or understanding [sense-knowledge and perception]. In ALL your ways know, recognize, and acknowledge Him [through the continual accessing of His Grace], and He [the Spirit of Grace] will direct and make straight and plain your paths".... Proverbs 3:5-6 The Amplified Translation

For it is certain that to lean upon one's "own" understanding is to acknowledge a "counterfeit god" and, thus, they subject themselves to his *[the Enemy's]* "enslavement" - an "ongoing" enslavement that will continually keep them positioned *[and bound]* FAR, FAR below My Kingdom.

...."they will be held guilty, they whose strength [own ability, substance] is their god".... Habakkuk 1:11 NASB

As one continually practices "acknowledging" Me in ALL of their ways THEN they continually are found in a position to receive the judgement *[reward, Covenant blessings]* of the righteous.

ALWAYS REMEMBER:

The judgement of the "unrighteous" is ALWAYS upon those who are positioned *[by their own choice]* in the "second heaven" and below *[the world and its ways]*. For there is NO unrighteousness in My Kingdom - and NO "judgement" except for the "reward of the righteous". Therefore, let each and every one of My precious children be found with "both feet" firmly planted in My Kingdom - for it is in that Holy Place that they will be found righteously motivated in ALL THINGS *[in both word and deed]*.

"enslavement" - the act of reducing to slavery; state of being enslaved; bondage; servitude;

....*"do you not know that [heart] friendship with the world [and its systems] is hostility toward God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God".... James 4:4 NASB*

....*"Do not love the world nor the things in the world. If anyone loves [is in "heart-fellowship" with] the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes and the boastful pride of life, is not from the Father, but is from the world [and its "father"]. The world ["system] is passing away, and also its lusts; but the one who does the Will of God lives forever".... 1 John 2:15-17 NASB*

....*"the god of this world has blinded THE MINDS OF THE UNBELIEVING so that they might not see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God".... 2 Corinthians 4:4 NASB*

THEREFORE

....*"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*

AND

....*"Do not be conformed to this world (this age), [fashioned after and adapted to its external, superficial customs], but be transformed (changed) by the [entire] renewal of your mind [by its new ideals and its new attitude], so that you may prove [for yourselves] what is the good and acceptable and perfect will of God, even the thing which is good and acceptable and perfect [in His sight for you]".... Romans 12:2 The Amplified Translation*