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

January 14th

WE MUST FIND EVERY ASPECT OF OUR "IDENTITY" IN THE REALITY OF WHO WE ARE IN CHRIST

Words of prophecy:

* The "maintenance" of a "sin-consciousness" [unworthiness-consciousness] will continually take one right off of the [narrow] path that leads to the fullness of destiny. I call each and every one of My children to develop a "righteousness-consciousness" - and the "in Christ" consciousness that is its spontaneous fruit.

"sin-consciousness" - any belief or mind-set that constitutes one "believing" that that which they have actually been redeemed from is still to be in force in their life;

"righteousness-consciousness" - a continual awareness of who we "actually" are in Christ;

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

...."But it is from Him that you have your life in Christ Jesus, Whom God made our Wisdom from God, [revealed to us a knowledge of the divine plan of salvation previously hidden, manifesting itself as] our Righteousness [thus making us upright and putting us in right standing with God], and our Consecration [making us pure and holy], and our Redemption [providing our ransom from eternal penalty for sin]".... 1 Corinthians 1:30 The Amplified Translation

...."Dwell in Me, and I will dwell in you. [Live in Me, and I will live in you.] Just as no branch can bear fruit of itself without abiding in (being vitally united to) the vine, neither can you bear fruit unless you abide in Me. I am the Vine; you are the branches. Whoever lives in Me and I in him bears much (abundant) fruit. However, apart from Me [cut off from vital union with Me] you can do nothing"....John 15:4-5 The Amplified Translation

We must find every aspect of our "identity" in the reality of who we [already] are in Christ.

...."Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord; seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence. For by these **He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, so that by them you may become partakers of the divine nature**, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust [the desire for things that are apart from God]".... 2 Peter 1:2-4 NASB

...."But by His [the Father's] doing you are [already] IN Christ Jesus, Who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption".... 1 Corinthians 1:30 NASB

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have raised us up a people who take as their "identity" the identity that You have given us, in Christ. And we declare it DONE *[on an ongoing basis]* in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.