

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

July 24th

THE ONLY "REPUTATION" THAT ULTIMATELY MATTERS IS ONE'S REPUTATION WITH GOD

Words of prophecy:

* *The only reputation that ultimately matters is one's "reputation" with Me.*

"reputation" - the estimation in which a person is held; the position one occupies or the standing that one has in the opinion of others, in respect to attainments, integrity, and the like;

...."He [Timothy] had a good reputation among the brethren at Lystra and Iconium"..... Acts 16:2 The Amplified Translation

...."Now am I trying to win the favor of men, or of God? Do I seek to please men? If I were still seeking popularity with men, I should not be a bond servant of Christ [the Messiah]".... Galatians 1:10 The Amplified Translation

The "fear of man" runs deep - and can ONLY be superceded continually by the power of the Father's Love "abiding" in one's heart.

...."The fear of man brings a snare".... Proverbs 29:25a NASB

...."There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves punishment, and the one who fears is not perfected in love".... 1 John 4:18 NASB

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have delivered us from the "fear of man" - in all of its forms. We thank You and praise You that, daily, You establish Your Word/Will in our hearts in such a way that it continually produces an ever deepening reverence for You. And we declare all of these things DONE *[on an ongoing basis]* in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.

...."Establish Your word to Your servant, as that which produces reverence for You".... Psalms 119:38 NASB