# 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

### April 19th

# THE IMPORTANCE OF MAINTAINING A STEADFAST FAITH IN THE EFFECTUAL POWER OF THE BLOOD

#### Words of prophecy:

\* Truly I say to you, it is coming down to the "fullness of time" for all those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom. Thus, it is EXTREMELY important to hear only the voice of the Shepherd - for all other voices [even though they may be good-intentioned] will surely only speak those things that will allow to the Enemy to maintain his foothold [stronghold] of fear [mistrust] in one's life. Once and for all, every last one of My precious children MUST continually position themselves to be brought to the place [the secret place of My Presence] wherein they both gain and maintain a deep, deep revelation of the spiritual reality that Jesus is Lord - and that the precious Blood that He shed at Calvary is ALL-powerful!

...."Truly, truly, I say to you, he who does not enter by the door into the fold of the sheep, but climbs up some other way, he is a thief and a robber. "But he who enters by the door is a shepherd of the sheep. "To him the doorkeeper opens, and the sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. "When he puts forth all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. "A stranger they simply will not follow, but will flee from him, because they do not know the voice of strangers".... John 10:1-5 NASB

...."For in Him the whole fullness of Deity (the Godhead) continues to dwell in bodily form [giving complete expression of the divine nature]. And you are in Him, made full and having come to fullness of life [in Christ you too are filled

with the Godhead - Father, Son and Holy Spirit - and reach full spiritual stature]. And He is the Head of all rule and authority [of every angelic principality and power]. In Him also you were circumcised with a circumcision not made with hands, but in a [spiritual] circumcision [performed by] Christ by stripping off the body of the flesh (the whole corrupt, carnal nature with its passions and lusts). [Thus you were circumcised when] you were buried with Him in [your] baptism, in which you were also raised with Him [to a new life] through [your] faith in the working of God [as displayed] when He raised Him up from the dead. And you who were dead in trespasses and in the uncircumcision of your flesh (your sensuality, your sinful carnal nature), [God] brought to life together with [Christ], having [freely] forgiven us all our transgressions, Having cancelled and blotted out and wiped away the handwriting of the note (bond) with its legal decrees and demands which was in force and stood against us (hostile to us). This [note with its regulations, decrees, and demands] He set aside and cleared completely out of our way by nailing it to [His] cross. [God] disarmed the principalities and powers that were ranged against us and made a bold display and public example of them, in triumphing over them in Him and in it [the cross]".... Colossians 2:9-15 The Amplified Translation

As one "maintains" a steadfast faith in *[proclamation of]* the "effectual" *[continually producing or capable of producing an intended effect]* power of the Blood *[over their own lives - and, also, the lives of those the Holy Spirit has placed in their path]* they will see the Enemy's schemes thrown into "mass confusion" *[rendered powerless]* - and, thus, they *[the Enemy's plans]* will continually fall far, far short of their goal against the one that is truly walking in Covenant-relationship with the Father and Jesus - in the power of the Holy Spirit.

...."But if we [really] are living and walking in the Light, as He [Himself] is in the Light, we have [true, unbroken] fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses [removes] us from all sin and guilt [keeps us cleansed from sin in all its forms and manifestations]".... 1 John 1:7 The Amplified Translation

...."so that no advantage would be taken of us by Satan, for we are not ignorant of his schemes".... 2 Corinthians 2:11 NASB

.... "No weapon that is formed against you will prosper".... Isaiah 54:17 NASB

### **Prayer of Proclamation:**

**"ineffective"** - not producing results; ineffectual; inefficient or incompetent; incapable;

Father, we thank You and praise You that the Blood of Jesus is All-Powerful - and that we are effectively applying it over our lives on a continual basis. In doing so, we know beyond a shadow of a doubt that we are rendering Satan's schemes against us ineffective - and we declare all of these things done, in Jesus' Name. Amen.

...."No weapon that is formed against you will prosper; And every tongue that accuses you in judgment you will condemn [both convict and show to be in the wrong through your continued love and obedience]. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and **their vindication is from Me**," declares the LORD".... Isaiah 54:17 NASB