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

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS WORKING OUT AN ABSOLUTE TRUST

....'For I know the plans that I have for you,' declares the LORD, 'plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope".... Jeremiah 29:11 NASB

The King James version of the same verse states:

...."For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end".... Jeremiah 29:11 KJV

In this most critical hour, the Holy Spirit is working out [producing] an absolute trust [faith] in the hearts of those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom and their perfect place in it - and, so, every ground of fear confronted by Him in this hour is just simply one step closer to entrance into the place of them "abiding" in perfect liberty. One who is truly seeking the fullness of the Father's Will for their life and ministry need have no fear for the future - everything will work out perfectly as you continue to seek the Father's highest purpose for your life on a daily basis.

We do not have the capability or capacity to understand the Word of God in our own strength and understanding [intellect]. It is ONLY the Holy Spirit that can bring us into our true positioning in "the Mind of Christ". Thus, it is of the utmost importance for every child of God to just simply let the Holy Spirit be the Holy Spirit in their life - knowing [maintaining a deep revelation of the spiritual reality] that He will SURELY "reveal" exactly what they need revealed to their heart in any given moment or circumstance.

...."For who has known or understood the mind (the counsels and purposes) of the Lord so as to guide and instruct Him and give Him knowledge? But we have the mind of Christ (the Messiah) and do hold the thoughts (feelings and purposes) of His heart. [Isa. 40:13.]".... 1 Corinthians 2:16 The Amplified Translation

"TRYING" INDICATES AN ELEMENT OF SELF-EFFORT

Many of God's children are still trying [attempting] to live a spiritual life BUT "trying" indicates an element of self-effort [self-will] - and, thus, ALWAYS falls short of the goal [the fullness of the Father's Will]. One entering into the place of "abiding" in Christ [holiness] involves the work of the Holy Spirit in each of us - as the deepest inherent tendency of the "flesh" [old nature] is to depart from Grace rather than seek to access it on a continual basis.

The key, once again, is the "inner chamber" [the secret place of God's Presence] - as in the inner chamber there is a continual flow of divine light through the Word [which is "alive and active" - and able to "separate" between soul and spirit Hebrews 4:12]. It is the place wherein a deep and absolute trust of the Father is forged and with that ever growing trust we are transitioned [by the power of the Holy Spirit] from the place of trusting in ourselves [our own intellect and understanding] to trusting God [and His Word] in ALL of our ways.

...."Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with all your heart and mind and do not rely on your own insight or understanding. In all your ways know, recognize, and acknowledge Him, and He will direct and make straight and plain your paths. Be not wise in your own eyes; reverently fear and worship the Lord and turn [entirely] away from evil. [Prov. 8:13.]".... Proverbs 3:5-7 The Amplified Translation

ALL THOSE WHO TRULY LOVE GOD ARE IN A TIME OF COMPLETE TRANSITION

It must be clearly understood in this most critical and glorious hour that ALL those who truly love God are in the process of making a COMPLETE transition from walking in their "own" strength and understanding and the ways of the world [including the ways of a "worldly" {soulish} church] into the ways of the Kingdom - and the absolute truths and principles therein. One of the most frustrating things one can do is to try and walk in divine Love in their "own" strength - as it is impossible [futile].

This is, again, why the "inner chamber" is so important - as, in reality, it is the ONLY place in which a

proper foundation of Love and Truth can be built [established] in one's heart, and it is from that holy place that we are sent forth as "true" [faithful and obedient] sons and daughters to love each other, as well as a lost and dying world.

...."But seek (aim at and strive after) first of all His kingdom and His righteousness (His way of doing and being right), and then all these things taken together will be given you besides".... Matthew 6:33 The Amplified Translation

"RESIST THE RESISTANCE"

An important word going out to the remnant Church in this hour is: "Resist the resistance". The Enemy is trying to keep those who are truly seeking the "fullness" of their precious destiny in Christ from doing [and saying {proclaiming, declaring}] what he knows will empower them to walk into a "revelation" of their "victory" [the perfect liberty that is ALREADY theirs, in Christ]. It is all "smoke and mirrors" from his side - as he is a liar, and incapable of knowing or speaking the Truth [as there is NO Love in him].

Because of these things, it is of the utmost importance for every child of God to ask the Holy Spirit to show them what to say and do in any given moment and, then, faithfully do what He says to say and do regardless of how they may "feel" at the time. For it is when one "steps out in faith" [again, regardless how they may "feel"] that the anointing "kicks in" to empower them to "rise above" [resist with a perfect resistance] any attack that has been formulated against them.

THESE DAYS ARE A VERY IMPORTANT "STEPPING STONE"

The physical manifestation of ALL things concerning the accelerated unfolding of the Father's plan for the remnant Church is so close and, thus, the Enemy is doing whatever he can to try and hinder/stop God's people from entering into the fullness of their destiny [Covenant] in Christ. Because of these things, it is certain that these days are a very important "stepping stone" to one's full entrance into their true Kingdom-position and destiny and the glorious days ahead - but it is certain that it will take an abiding and absolute faith [trust and obedience] on our part [at every turn] to enter in to the fullness of true Kingdom-living and the glorious Covenant-relationships [on every level] that are its spontaneous fruit.

.... "So be subject to God. Resist the devil [stand firm

against him], and he will flee from you. Come close to God and He will come close to you".... James 4:7-8 The Amplified Translation

...."Little children, you are of God [you belong to Him] and have [already] defeated and overcome them [the agents of the antichrist], because He Who lives in you is greater (mightier) than he who is in the world".... 1 John 4:4 The Amplified Translation

...."For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments; and His commandments are not burdensome. For whatever is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that has overcome the world - our faith".... 1 John 5:3-4 NASB

NEVER HAS THERE BEEN A MORE IMPORTANT TIME FOR ONE TO BE FOUND "READY"

Never has there been a more important time for one to be found "ready" - on EVERY front. There comes a time [season] wherein the "fullness of time" begins to overtake the one who has been faithful - and that season is here NOW for all those who truly love God. As the first "domino" [aspect of the Father's Will] begins to fall [in the midst of His "forerunners" throughout the remnant Church] it will then produce a "series of suddenlies" throughout the remnant Church [not the least of which will be Kingdom-finances] - and ALL things will come into "divine order", supernaturally, in our midst [on both an individual and corporate level].

Because of these things, it is of the utmost importance for EVERY child of God to go wherever the Holy Spirit leads them in this hour - knowing that their obedience is best for not only themselves but, also, all those in their sphere of existence. Being in the right spot at the right time with the right people means everything to all those who are truly seeking the fullness of their precious destiny, in Christ, in this hour - without exception!

NUGGETS FROM THE INNER CHAMBER

* The "anointing of increase" cannot function apart from perfect obedience on the behalf of God's children!

"perfect obedience" - receiving a revelation of the Father's Will, and then carrying out that Will in the timing [unction] and power of the Holy Spirit - alone [through the continual exercising of an absolute faith working through a perfect love];

...."There is one who scatters [distributes, in obedience], and [yet] increases all the more, and there is one who withholds what is justly due, [and yet it results] only in want. The generous man will be prosperous, and he who waters will himself be watered".... Proverbs 11:24-25 NASB

* God's people, in any given moment, are either going to be found exercising faith or found exercising fear towards the money and the possessions which they are a "steward" over. If in faith, then they shall deal faithfully in obedience to the Father in distributing [sowing] in the necessary manner that will allow them to continually "increase".

If in fear, then they shall allow Satan to steal from them all that which they have placed their "security" in apart from Christ. For it is certain that the Father has placed the "Anointing of increase" ONLY in the hands of those that will "bless", "break" and "distribute" with a perfect faithfulness [obedience to the still, small Voice of the Holy Spirit].

...."In those days, when there was again a large crowd and they had nothing to eat, Jesus called His disciples and *said to them, "I feel compassion for the people because they have remained with Me now three days and have nothing to eat. "If I send them away hungry to their homes, they will faint on the way; and some of them have come from a great distance." And His disciples answered Him, "Where will anyone be able to find enough bread here in this desolate place to satisfy these people?" And He was asking them, "How many loaves do you have?" And they said, "Seven." And He *directed the people to sit down on the ground; and taking the seven loaves, He gave thanks and broke them, and started giving them to His disciples to serve to them, and they served them to the people. They also had a few small fish; and after He had blessed them, He ordered these to be served as well. And they are and were satisfied; and they picked up seven large baskets full of what was left over of the broken pieces. About four thousand were there; and He sent them away".... Mark 8:1-9 NASB [see also 1 Kings 17:8-16]

* The moment that one stops exercising faith concerning the "law of increase" working in their life and begins to operate in fear THEN, in that moment, the "law of decrease" shall begin to "supercede" the law of increase - and, thus, Satan shall be "allowed", through the unbelief and mistrust of that one, to steal from them!

...."Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth

[through an ungodly dependence upon the "world system"], where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. "But store up for yourselves treasures in [the Kingdom of] heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal; for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also [Matthew 6:33]".... Matthew 6:19-21 NASB

...."Now this [I say,] he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one [must do] just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed.... Now He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness; you will be enriched in everything for all liberality".... 2 Corinthians 9:6-11 NASB

* The prerequisite to one walking in the fulness of their precious inheritance in Christ is a heart "wholly given" to the Father!

...."You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind".... Luke 10:27 NASB

* Truth is whatever God has said! If one is speaking under the anointing of God then their words are in perfect agreement with what God has already said!

...."Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to [enters into the Will of] the Father but through Me".... John 14:6 NASB

...."Then the LORD said to me, 'You have seen well, for I am watching over My word [Will] to perform it"....

Jeremiah 1:12 NASB

* NEVER "focus" on [judge] someone else's obedience before your own!

...."Who are you to judge the servant of another? To his own master he stands or falls; and he will stand, for the Lord is able to make him stand".... Romans 14:4 NASB

...."Do not judge according to appearance, but judge with righteous judgment [by revelation]".... John 7:24 NASB

...."Do not judge and criticize and condemn others, so that you may not be judged and criticized and condemned yourselves. For just as you judge and criticize and condemn others, you will be judged and criticized and condemned, and in accordance with the measure you [use to] deal out to others, it will be dealt out again to you".... Matthew 7:1-2 The Amplified Translation

* A "ministry" is simply a "remnant" of the Body of Christ called together and set apart [aside] by the Holy Spirit for a specific task or purpose!

...."So the twelve summoned the congregation of the disciples and said, "It is not desirable for us to neglect the word of God in order to serve tables. "Therefore, brethren, select from among you seven men of good reputation, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we may put in charge of this task. "But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word".... Acts 6:2-4 NASB

* Put your faith where your mouth is!

...."We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God, and we are taking every thought captive to the obedience of Christ [by continually speaking words that correspond with a "revelation" of God's Word - Will]"....2 Corinthians 10:5 NASB

...."Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and they who indulge in it shall eat the fruit of it [for death or life] [Matt. 12:37]".... Proverbs 18:21 The Amplified Translation

...."Truly I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, 'Be taken up and cast into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that what he says is going to happen, it will be [granted] him. Therefore I say to you, all things for which you pray and ask, believe [based on the finished work of the Cross, the Word of God and the Blood Covenant] that you have [already] received them, and they will be [granted] you".... Mark 11:23-24 NASB

* When one "leans upon their own understanding" then, spiritually speaking, they literally shut the door in God's face!

...."Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with all your heart and mind and do not rely on your own insight or understanding. In all your ways know, recognize, and acknowledge Him, and HE will direct and make straight and plain your paths".... Proverbs 3:5-6 The Amplified Translation

* Live for "self" - lack; live for God [in Christ] - superabundance!

...."The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance [to the full, till it overflows]"....
John 10:10 The Amplified Translation

* If the "love" of money is maintained in one's life then it shall surely "supercede" their loving of God - and one another!

...."No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will stand by and be devoted to the one and despise and be against the other. You cannot serve God and mammon [deceitful riches, money, possessions, or whatever is trusted in {above God}]".... Matthew 6:24 The Amplified Translation

...."For the love of money is a root of all evils; it is through this craving that some have been led astray and have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves through with many acute [mental] pangs"....1 Timothy 6:10 The Amplified Translation

* A "defiant stand" against setting one's heart on the increase is a "defiant stand" against the "flesh" and a defiant stand against the flesh [in faith, love and obedience] is a defiant stand against setting one's heart on "any" increase!

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

...."put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh in regard to its lusts [desires]"....
Romans 13:14 NASB

...."For in Him [Christ] we live and move and have our being [entire existence]".... Acts 17:28a The Amplified Translation
