CHAPTER 3

THE LOVE OF THE FATHER

.... "You have not yet resisted to the point of shedding blood in your striving against sin; and you have forgotten the exhortation which is addressed to you as sons,

'My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord,

Nor faint when you are reproved by Him;

For those whom the Lord loves He disciplines,

And He scourges every son whom He receives.'

It is for discipline that you endure; God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom his father does not discipline? But if you are without discipline, of which all have become partakers, then you are illegitimate children and not sons. Furthermore, we had earthly fathers to discipline us, and we respected them; shall we not much rather be subject to the Father of spirits, and live? For they disciplined us for a short time as seemed best to them, but He disciplines us for our good, so that we may share His holiness. All discipline for the moment seems not to be joyful, but sorrowful; yet to those who have been trained by it, afterwards it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness"....

Hebrews 12: 4-11

THE FATHER IS GOING TO REVEAL THE DEPTH AND PERFECT INTEGRITY OF HIS CHARACTER

In these days the Father is going to reveal the depth and perfect integrity of His character to all those who "truly" desire to "know" Him. Therefore, it is certain that each and every one of us, as sons and daughters of the Most High, must "lay down" any and every "attachment" to "past experiences" - particularly where "authority" is concerned. In this most critical hour one must be found letting go of any "emotional baggage" (any unforgiveness or any ungodly dependence upon

"flesh and blood" [idolatry]) - a "certain bondage" that serves only to obscure the true character of our loving Father and keeps one in a "degree" of darkness concerning His perfect plan for His Church in this last hour.

"FIRST FRUITS" OF THE CHANGE IN THE SPIRITUAL CLIMATE

One of the changes in the "spiritual climate" has been a very special outpouring of the Father's love through His obedient and faithful ones - to each other. The outpouring of love between those whose hearts are wholly given is the precursor to a continually escalating establishment of the aforementioned "glorious connections" and "holy networks" that the Father is powerfully "creating" - in and by His Spirit. This outpouring of love between the saints (and overflowing out into the world) shall continue to "escalate" right up until the time that this earth can no longer hold us! One of the Father's deepest heart intentions towards His precious children (servants) is to cause them to experience a pure fellowship with each other in this hour which shall both thrill our hearts and empower us to "sprint" to the Finish Line in the remainder of our time in this dispensation. We are about to see what it truly means to "love one another", as the Father pours out His mercy and justice upon a perishing world - thus granting, even the supposed "reprobate", one more opportunity to partake of the precious Blood of Jesus. We truly serve an awesome God!

THE "FATHER" IS TRUSTWORTHY

In every aspect of our lives the Father is desirous of obtaining our full and absolute trust. I could go into much here concerning the plan of Satan over the past nearly two thousand years to keep the church and family "divided", but I believe you understand what I am saying when I say that the "principal thrust" of Satan's scheme has been to have those in authority - whether in the church or in the family - "misrepresent" the Person and character of the Father. From this web of deception he has literally "compelled" vast multitudes throughout the church age into a total and absolute trust upon their OWN understanding and strength. This has only - up until this time - served to malign the true character of our loving and - I might add - PERFECT Heavenly Father to such a degree that even many "born-again", Spirit-filled, children of God have almost no concept of His tender love and affection towards them. How then, in light of these things, can those "parents" whose minds are not "radically" renewed by the Word of God, and

whose lives are not sustained by His abiding Presence, raise children who are anything but servants of the Evil One and his arrogant and rebellious ways - some subtle, some not so subtle.

THE FIRST AND FOREMOST TASK OF THE FATHER

In this hour it has become the first and foremost task of the Father (it has ALWAYS been His first and foremost desire, this close and intimate fellowship He desires with each and every one of His precious children) to reveal Himself to His people in His all-consuming love and tenderness and affection and TRUSTWORTHINESS. This task for the most part is being carried out through the holy apostles and prophets He has raised up and anointed in this last of the last hour - their principal task being to "lead" the children of God into that place of "abiding" in a close and intimate fellowship with the Father and His Word. It is from this position of intimate fellowship, ALONE, that one can finally come into a deep and absolute trust - IN ALL THINGS - upon the Father and His Word. I am here to tell you that any "mind-set" or positioning that strives to move apart from this most glorious fellowship will SURELY result in one falling "far short" of the Glory - and their part in it - that is about to be poured forth upon this earth. In other words we are going to have to be walking in the "fulness" of our provision in Christ in order to fulfil the will of God for our lives and ministries, but oh, how glorious it shall be as the True (Glorious) Church is established throughout the earth and vast multitudes are set free from the "religious mind-set" which continues to portray our Father as an austere and miserly authoritarian - as opposed to what He truly is: the gentlest, most tender, patient, loving and affectionate Person in existence. Should a close and intimate fellowship with Him not be the first and foremost quest of EVERY heart?

THE ISSUE OF "TRUST"

I rejoice in the great number of "healings" that have already taken place in the hearts of many. This healing has allowed them to finally come to that place where they are no longer afraid to trust (exercise an absolute faith) in the Father and His Word for every last detail of their lives, and thus they have been - and continue to be - prepared for the glorious warfare (battle of the Ages) that is, even now, upon us. This issue of "trust" is of great importance and who and what we trust in - in our remaining time in this dispensation will determine the extent of our

eternal reward. Those children of God who - by an act of their will - choose to continue to forge ahead on the "strength" of their own understanding shall become "fodder" for the Evil One and his forces. He will use them as much as he can to hinder the "onslaught" of God's Army and when he can no longer use them in any way he will release the destruction and death THEY have sown to, into their lives and they shall "perish" - thus falling short of the fulness of their loving Father's kind intention and will toward them - and those with them. This is a most serious time and although it is certain that these aforementioned "rebellious" ones have eternal salvation they shall surely suffer great loss of reward through their "choices".

IT IS MOST IMPORTANT FOR US TO BE "INTOLERANT" OF THE UNBELIEF AND HARDNESS OF HEART WHICH HAS CREPT INSIDIOUSLY INTO THE LIVES OF MANY OF GOD'S CHILDREN

On the other hand those children of God who come into that place of absolute faith and trust in the Father and His Word shall carry the banner (anointing) of liberty and freedom wherever they set foot and vast multitudes throughout the earth shall be gloriously set free - their yokes destroyed (annihilated) and their burdens "completely" removed, and they too shall turn and join the "fray". In this time it is most important for us to be "intolerant" of the unbelief and hardness of heart which has been "allowed" to creep insidiously into the lives of many of God's children. It is only in our steadfast adherence to an "abiding" and perfect obedience (love - compassion) on their behalf - whatever that may mean physically or circumstantially (and at ALL cost to ourselves) - in word and in deed that will "release" the anointing that will break through the "strongholds" which they have "allowed" Satan and his forces to establish in their hearts and minds.

One very encouraging word the Father spoke to me concerning this last of the last hour was this:

...."All those who "truly" desire to be set free in this last hour shall be set free - without exception and regardless of the bondage (stronghold)!"....

From this word we can again see how important it is for us to continually guard our hearts with ALL diligence in order that regardless of what or who may

"cross our path" we shall always be found ready to deliver that perfect word or action in that time that will set the captive free - and not only set them free from, but also free them "to" serve the Lord from a "heart wholly given" for the remainder of their time in the earth.

THE "MISREPRESENTATION" OF THE FATHER

There has been much "misrepresentation" of the Father these past two thousand years - both in the church and in the family - but that is about to change in a very real way in the midst of His children as the true delegated authorities of this "last wave" literally explode upon the scene and re-route the course of a church that - for the most part - has "avoided" close and intimate fellowship in the light and presence of the Father and His Word in order to maintain their own "agendas" (self-desire).

EXPERIENCING THE FULNESS OF THE FATHER'S LOVE

When we first begin to serve God our "impressions" (and believe me they become "deeply rooted" over the course of an entire childhood and even our adult life) of His nature and character - and even His attitude towards us - are gauged solely on what we have experienced through the words and actions of our earthly parents - and every other "authority" that has influenced our lives. Depending upon the "closeness" of our parents' relationship - or lack thereof - to the Father then it is to that degree that our "inner image" of His nature is either clarified or "distorted". As we have mentioned before in earlier writings, it is the job of the "spirits of transference" to "fuel" these various experiences in such a way as to build a stronghold in one's mind that will keep them from EVER knowing the true love and tender affection of the Father towards them. In this way - depending on the individual's heart towards God and His will for their lives and ministries -Satan is able to work "all manner" of schemes in the lives of people ranging from one being an avowed atheist to a "religious fool". The bottom line is that even if one is "born again" it is Satan's aim to keep that one out of the "fulness" of the call (authority) on their life. That is why we are entering into such a glorious time in the Church. People are finally discarding ALL of the garbage that was poured into their life by "ungodly" authorities (parents, school, church etc.) and they are experiencing the fulness of the Father's love towards them. This "experience" they are coming into (and remaining in) is the place wherein a perfect trust in His Word is being continually developed - and thus they are becoming stronger and stronger, in Christ, with each passing day. Because of these things Satan and his forces are in a great degree of trouble and there is an ever deepening terror rising up within him in this hour - a "terror" which produces an even more confused and irrational thinking, and this will go on until we (The Glorious Church) depart. The bottom line is that the Father is giving all those whose hearts are "yearning" after Him a deep revelation of His love and tender affection towards them in these days.

THE TENDERNESS AND AFFECTION OF THE FATHER

Regardless of the situations or circumstances I have run across - both in my own life and in the lives of those that He has given to me for the purpose of prayer and the ministry of His Word - the Father has ALWAYS displayed a great tenderness and affection and compassion for His children. I have seen Him display great patience and mercy even in the face of great apathy (disinterest) toward Him. I have been astounded time and time again as He continually pours forth His love upon even the most stubborn of His children - fixing His eternal gaze upon the depths of their heart - KNOWING, in His great faith and never-failing love that even the hardest of hearts will turn to Him in a precious moment of time. He is perfection. He is perfect in EVERY attitude and action on our behalf - even when it doesn't LOOK that way.

HE IS THE PERFECT FATHER!

He is the perfect Father! He longs to release His faithfulness and tender affection towards every last one of His precious children. He is yearning to pour out His blessings to overflowing upon His children and, in view of this deep heart-desire, He has now prepared a people - a Glorious Church - through which He can finally "unleash" the revelation of His precious sons and daughters. Before we leave here those who do not intimately know God shall tremble with fear - even terror - at the awesome majesty and light which shall be poured forth through thorough His faithful and obedient children.

IT IS THE HEART DESIRE OF THE FATHER TO "THRILL" THE HEARTS OF HIS CHILDREN IN THIS HOUR

One thing every child of God must begin to understand about the Father: It is His deepest heart-desire to "thrill" the hearts of His children! If we will only "let go" of any "preconceived notions" about what "WE" like or what "WE" want these likes and wants being based upon a preconceived notion of what it takes to "succeed" or be "accepted" by the world and its "dwellers" - THEN we shall soon see that He is perfect and that only He is able and willing to meet our EVERY NEED perfectly. We must be a people who both seek - and find - our entire "acceptance" and "approval" before the Throne of our Father. "Test" this word by acknowledging Him in ALL of your ways - even to the most seemingly insignificant details and aspects of your life - and you will begin to see immediately that the Father truly knows what is best - and I mean best - in ALL things pertaining to life and godliness, concerning you. If you want the best - enter into His rest (cease from your own "striving" - Isaiah 58) and allow Him to "outfit" you in every last detail of existence! YOU WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED! When one truly comes to live to please the Father, alone, they will most certainly be found pleasing to all those around them (who truly love God) and they will also be a great sign and wonder to the "world".

THE "SPIRITS OF TRANSFERENCE" AND THE NEED FOR THE DIRECT CONFRONTATION OF ANY GROUND OF FEAR

ONCE AGAIN, due to the lateness of the hour everything has intensified and it is of paramount importance for each and every one of us to "confront immediately" - in and by the Holy Spirit - those things (past "experiences") which have been the "catalyst" for Satan to establish "mindsets" [strongholds] in our lives. These "strongholds" have been established by him with a view to keeping the child of God in a position - to whatever degree possible - of "mistrust" towards the Father. As long as that ground of mistrust is "allowed" to remain through one's failure to immerse themselves in the Word of God and thus "confront" their deepest fears and hurts - trusting fully their tender and loving Father to gently heal them - then Satan and his forces "continually" build a stronger "root structure" from the initial ground of fear in that one. The final "clamp" in his strategy is to bring the child of God to the place wherein they refuse to "forgive" the "authorities" who have abused them in their past. From this position of

"unforgiveness" Satan is THEN able to "control" their lives and "fuel" a stubborn and rebellious attitude towards all positions of authority (church, spouse, government etc.) - to some degree. When the child of God truly comes into "proper relationship" with their Heavenly Father they will quickly realize that He in His tenderness and perfect love towards them - far transcends any of their past bad experiences with those who were "supposed" to be representing Him. From this position of abiding in close and intimate fellowship with Him (this close and intimate fellowship is the deepest desire of the Father's heart towards each and every one of His children) not only does a glorious healing and restoration take place, but that one is THEN prepared to go forth - having discarded the unforgiveness and bitterness which had held them back for so long - and be a minister of deliverance to all those who had previously mistreated them.

UNFORGIVENESS IS THE DEADLIEST FORCE THE CHILD OF GOD FACES

Unforgiveness is the deadliest force the child of God faces because, first of all, there is NO justification whatsoever for us to hold any unforgiveness or bitterness towards ANYONE and secondly, as mentioned before, it "allows" the Evil One and his forces to activate all manner of schemes against us - with a view to our "destruction". It must be clearly understood by every child of God in this hour that the "prerequisite" for one fulfilling ALL that the Father has called them to from before the foundations of the earth is a heart "wholly given" and only those who make the "quality decision" to be free will be free in this hour. In REALITY there is nothing that can stop the child of God from entering into the fulness of their precious inheritance in Christ except THEMSELVES. We are a people anointed unto a perfect obedience (love)!

Let us hear the words of our loving Father:

"A CONTINUAL BOMBARDMENT OF THOUGHTS"

...."The "spirits of transference" main task is to "convince" one, through a continual bombardment of thoughts over a long period of time that My character and My attitude towards that one is the same as the attitude and character shown by "certain ones" in positions of delegated authority (parents, leaders in the church etc.) that have both misused their position and misrepresented My true character to

those "under" them and thus the "spirit of transference" has "ground" - because of this "misrepresentation" - to work, and thus continually keep that one who has been abused in a constant state of unbelief, darkness and doubt concerning the "absoluteness" of My provision for them!"....

"THE SPIRIT OF TRANSFERENCE WORKS CONSTANTLY TO KEEP ONE BOUND TO THE REALM OF "SENSE-KNOWLEDGE"

...."The "spirit of transference" works constantly to keep one bound to the realm of "sense-knowledge" - thus keeping one who "fails" to bring every thought captive to My Word in a continual state of darkness (false revelation - mental ascension) concerning My holy character and My "true attitude" and will towards My people. Because of these things many "think" I am this or I am that, but truly I say to you, they must repent! and put themselves in a position to receive a "revelation" of My Word - in order that they might come to know Me in My reality as the Provider!"....

"THERE ARE SOME IN LEADERSHIP WHO MAINTAIN THE FEAR THAT CERTAIN OTHERS WILL GET CLOSER TO ME THAN THEY ARE"

...."When one of My children "continually" walks by their five physical senses then they shall surely "mentally ascend" to My Word until such a time as "any" ground of self-desire within them is repented of! There are some in leadership who "maintain" the fear that certain others will get "closer" to Me than they are and thus they do everything within "their" power to "limit" (hinder) that one, or ones, from attaining to the fulness of the ministry that they are called to when all the time it would be much simpler and much less "dangerous" for them to just simply consecrate themselves - in order that they might reach the fulness of their ministry and gain the necessary revelation to set them free from the "spirit of jealousy" and the "spirit of envy", and "any" fear of a "critical spirit"! Many times the aforementioned "ground" in the one being held captive by a spirit of jealousy or a spirit of envy is the result of a "spirit of transference" continually linking their "thought-patterns" to certain past experiences in which one who was in "authority" over them - whether a parent or a teacher or even another brother or sister in Christ treated them "unfairly" (unjustly) in the presence of one or more of their "peers" and thus, because of this fear, they are "compelled" through continued "demonic

influence" to make sure it does not happen again in any way, shape, or form and so, "unconsciously", they "allow" themselves to be used by Satan as a vessel of "division and strife" in the midst of My people. One direct result of being held captive by these particular spirits is that their "words" - for the most part - shall be condemning or critical toward those who they "feel" threatened by as far as their own "stature" in the church is concerned. Satan has "attempted" to use this scheme to "lock up" certain pastor's hearts and thus they "refuse" to acknowledge the voice of My Spirit who is continually seeking to get across to them My provision for their deliverance whether it be directing them to certain portions of Scripture or whether it be a call to "receive" a certain apostle or prophet who will minister the "necessary" light to them in order that they might be set free and "begin" to fulfil the ministry that "I" have called them to!"....

"I SHALL SURELY TURN THEIR MISTRUST OF ME INTO A PERFECT TRUST"

...."Those who are caught up in a "spirit of money- mindedness" are maintaining a "ground" of fear forged in them by a "spirit of transference". This spirit has been working against them an entire lifetime by constantly referring (transferring) to their "thought-life" past mistreatment at the hands of those who were in "positions of authority" over them. And thus, these spirits of transference "maintain" the work of the evil spirits who had gone before them to work in those who were in the aforementioned "positions of authority". For example: If the one who was in a position of authority was held captive by a "spirit of poverty" then through the work of a spirit of transference that same spirit of poverty is transmitted to the one under that authority and from this one can see clearly that those who are caught up in a "spirit of money-mindedness" are in that state because in their heart - without realizing it - they "believe" that I am a "miserly" and "selfish" Father. Therefore, they are deceived by these evil spirits into continually trusting upon their "own" understanding concerning their finances. It is in this way that Satan has been able - up until this time - to block the flow of the giving of tithes and offerings (My "chosen measure") by the vast majority of My children. I call each and every one of My children to be continually transformed by the renewing (renewal) of their mind concerning My true nature for it is only in this way that they shall walk in the fulness of the freedom that I have provided for them in Christ - spirit, soul, body and financially! As My children are diligent to meditate My Word day and night I shall surely turn their "mistrust" of Me into a

perfect trust and truly I say to you, they shall immediately turn away from and forsake the "stronghold"(s) that had been built up in their lives over the years by the spirits of transference and they shall go forth and set free all those that I reveal to them who are in bondage to that very same spirit which they were just previously delivered from. The direct result of all this shall be a "flurry" of giving such as the world has never seen before. And because of this "all" of My plans and purposes shall be accomplished rapidly in the earth and soon My spotless and unblemished Church shall stand before Me!"....

THE "KEY" IS REVELATION KNOWLEDGE

The whole key to "overcoming" and ministering in all of the situations spoken of by the Father in the above words of prophecy is REVELATION KNOWLEDGE of the Truth and the precious Blood of Jesus. It is very important that every child of God continue to allow the Holy Spirit to resolve EVERY last issue in their life - particularly any past abuse at the hands of "delegated" authorities (parents, church leaders etc.) in order that the "flow" of revelation is not hindered or blocked in any way! This is an area wherein Satan and his forces can really hinder the children of God in their pursuit of the fulness of their calling if they do not put aside - BY FAITH - ANY and ALL past "issues". Every last "preconceived notion" and "mindset" that has been the spontaneous by-product of any holding AT ALL to unforgiveness towards those who have hurt them with past words and actions of fear and hatred must be let go - at all cost to oneself!

WE MUST COME TO SEE ALL THINGS THROUGH THE FATHER'S EYES

It is very important for one to get a view of their own family - as well as every other "authority" for that matter - through the eyes of their loving Father. It is only in this way that we shall allow His "compassion" to continually rise up on behalf of even the so-called "unlovable" ones and, as mentioned earlier, it is also this compassion that releases "perfectly" the anointing of love and power that abides within the spirit of every born-again child of God. Some years ago, right at the beginning of the time when He had me leave my secular job, the Father spoke these words to me:

"You must place yourself continually in that place of close and intimate fellowship with Me, for you must come to see ALL things through My eyes."

This "seemingly" simple instruction given to me in 1983 began many years of "dealings" and learning to "continually" forsake every preconceived notion and mind-set that had been formed and also the "religious mindsets" (once I entered onto the "narrow path") - through which - Satan attempted to divert me from the true path the Father had laid out for me. Now, I simply refuse to judge ("righteously" of course), or discern or act until I am in perfect accord with the deepest thoughts and intentions of the Father's heart concerning any given individual or situation (circumstance). This is the "position" that the Father would have ALL of His children enter into - and remain in - in this last of the last hour for it will be necessary not only to be "able" to discern between that which is righteous and that which is unrighteous, but it will also be necessary for the great release of the Father's love and power (anointing) that is even now beginning to be poured forth through His holy ("fit") vessels.

THE IMPORTANCE OF SEEING ALL THINGS THROUGH THE FATHER'S EYES

There is a song from "Prince of Egypt" which is entitled: "Through Heaven's Eyes". These are the lyrics:

A single thread in a tapestry

Though its colour brightly shine

Can never see its purpose

In the pattern of the Grand Design

And the stone that sits on the very top

Of the mountain's mighty face

Does it think it is more important

Than the stones that form the base

So how can you see what your life is worth

Or where your value lies?

You can never see through the eyes of man

You must look at your life

You must look at your life through Heaven's eyes

A lake of gold in the desert sand

is less than a cool fresh spring

And to one lost sheep, a shepherd boy

is greater than the richest king

If a man lose everything he owns

Has he truly lost his worth?

Or is it the beginning

Of a new and brighter birth?

So how do you measure the worth of a man

In wealth or strength or size?

In how much he gained or how much he gave?

The answer will come

The answer will come to him who tries

To look at his life through Heaven's eyes

So how do you judge what a man is worth

By what he builds or buys?

You can never see with your eyes on earth

Look through Heaven's eyes

Look at your life

Look at your life

Look at your life through Heaven's eyes

THE HOLY SPIRIT - OUR TEACHER

This is the way of the Holy Spirit: to teach us "from within" first - and ultimately last - and then have that "teaching" (instruction) or experience confirmed by others in the Body of Christ. He is the ultimate Teacher! Those in "delegated authority" are simply vessels of the Father's presence who sow the "necessary" seed in the proper time and "oversee" (water and nourish) that seed - in and by the Holy Spirit - until it comes forth into its full fruition: a "vessel" filled with the revelation knowledge and divine wisdom which is the "prerequisite" and beginning of all true service and ministry - whatever that may be in each individual case. We are sitting on the threshold of not only the advent of the "last wave" of the apostles and prophets (that have been - for the most part - in the "cave" being prepared for what is about to transpire), but also we are about to begin to experience the "end-time wealth transfer" of the finances and resources that shall "perfectly enable" all those who are truly seeking first the Kingdom and hungering and thirsting after righteousness to carry out their portion of the Father's will for the establishment of the True (local) Glorious Church.

INTIMATE FELLOWSHIP WITH THE FATHER: THE CATALYST TO A LIFE OF PERFECT OBEDIENCE IN ALL THINGS

This is a time wherein we must continually walk in (act upon) every last ray of "light" that abides deep within our hearts. In other words we need to abide in that place of intimate fellowship with the Father and His Word wherein we are continually doing all that we KNOW to do in a perfect obedience. This "perfect obedience" constitutes first receiving a "revelation" from the Throne Room in the "inner chamber" and then moving by the "unction" (timing) of the Holy Spirit - without exception. This is nothing for the faithful heart to get into fear over, for when the child of God is "continually" filling their heart with the Word and thus, "praying without ceasing" (this simply means to be in constant communion with the Father and His Word by "acknowledging" them in ALL our ways) they shall surely come to abide in that place of a heart "wholly given". As one truly seeks the Father with a view to loving Him with all of their heart, THEN all of these things I have mentioned concerning the life of perfect obedience simply become the "spontaneous by-product" of that love - and ALL by His great and glorious life and power.

DIVINE FAVOUR

...."For by their own sword they did not possess the land; And their own arm did not save them; But Thy right hand, and Thine arm, and the light of Thy presence, For Thou didst favour them"....

Psalm 44:3

This is truly a wonderful scripture and it confirms everything that is happening now. The Father has told me that His favour shall rest very heavily upon His faithful and obedient ones for the remainder of this dispensation and "open doors" that "in the natural" could not (or would not) open shall "burst open" before them. Their task is simply to be in the right place at the right time doing the right(eous) thing in obedience to the still, small voice of the Holy Spirit. I will say this (again): We really have no concept of the magnitude and magnificence of the Father's plan concerning the establishment of the Glorious Church and the effect of that "spotless and unblemished Vessel in the earth in our remaining time here. It seems hard to get this across but I still see vast, vast multitudes in the church as "unprepared" for this soon coming explosion of God's power. These coming

months are easily the most critical in the history of the Church and so we must each be found taking the necessary steps in obedience to the Holy Spirit.

THE GREATEST POWER IN THE ENTIRE UNIVERSE IS THE POWER OF LOVE

The greatest power in the entire universe is the power of love and that is the one thing that is most available to EVERY child of God - IF THEY ONLY KNEW IT. And so, in light of these things, one must decide on their course of action in any given situation. It is far easier to "quit" on another than it is to stand steadfast in an absolute faith working through an absolute love. This requires ALL in ALL and it has been my experience that there are only a "few" (comparatively) who are truly willing to continually lay down their lives in order that others might come into the fulness of the Father's will for their lives and ministries.

THE "DOCTRINE OF SUBMISSION"

The so-called "doctrine of submission" is easily understood in light of the Father's love. True submission simply means for one to obey God on that one's behalf - whatever that might be in any given situation or, in other words to abide in love. It NEVER means to OBEY what is obviously not the will of God. As a matter of fact, in the case of a husband and wife, the husband should FIRST be so submitted unto the Father and His Word that he would not DARE to ask his wife or family to partake of anything apart from the will of God. The Father is raising up godly men in this last hour: men whose hearts are wholly given - men who will take their "proper place" in intimate fellowship with Him - men who will allow the Holy Spirit to possess their hearts and cause them to be the blessing they were created to be to women, their family and the Church.

THE FATHER IS FAITHFUL

In my life and ministry these past 25 years there have been many, many times of intense testing and refining. Perhaps the greatest thing that I have learned is that the Father is faithful - and in His faithfulness He will surely accomplish all that is on His heart concerning us. It is through these "intense times" that our "trust" begins to be transferred from ourselves to the Father and His Word - in every facet of our lives. In this most critical hour this is the place that everyone

who would truly serve God must come. It is in this place of abiding faith (trust) in the plan of the Father for our lives and ministries that one comes to both know and hear the still, small voice of the Holy Spirit - and this "ability" is the key prerequisite to ALL true service in the remainder of our time in this dispensation.

THE GREATEST DESIRE OF THE FATHER'S HEART

Let us be found seeking first the Kingdom of God from that place of intimate fellowship with the Father and His Word for this is the greatest and deepest desire of His heart - and this is the only way for one to fulfil their destiny in Christ. Every word spoken and every action taken in obedience to the Father shall be "seen" and "heard" in the light of His Eternal purposes in this hour, and thus all those whose eyes are fixed on the right(eous) place (the Word of God) shall know those whom the Father has sent and they shall know the deepest motivation of every heart as they themselves move forth in love to carry out their part in the establishment of the Glorious Church.

THERE SHALL BE A "SHARP" INCREASE AND ESCALATION OF THE PRESENCE OF THE FATHER IN OUR MIDST

There is much that could be written on the effects of the apostolic anointing about to be released into the midst of God's people but, in reality, that is something that shall be "experienced" one way or another (by both those whose hearts are "wholly given" and those whose hearts are not - as of yet). First and foremost it is important for EVERY child of God to enter into perfect fellowship in this time and for all time - with the Father and His Word. Many warnings have gone out and continue to go out - concerning the call to "prepare" themselves in and by the Holy Spirit. The time is nearly upon us when there shall be a "sharp" increase and escalation of the presence of the Father in our midst. His all-consuming and all-encompassing love shall literally "overwhelm" (that again would be a vast understatement) both the enemy and ALL that is aligned with him. Those whose hearts are perfectly aligned with the deepest thoughts and intentions of the Father's heart shall enter into the place of "abiding" fellowship with Him in the Holy of Holies - the place wherein lies ALL perfect empowerment for the awesome and glorious task ahead. If one is truly desirous of pleasing the Father in this final hour then they shall have to know (gain a revelation of) what the deepest thoughts and intentions of His heart are - both for them individually, as well as corporately,

where the rest of the Body of Christ is concerned.

IT IS THE TIME OF A DEFINITE PERIOD OF TRANSITION - SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING

In these days I have been experiencing a definite period of transition - spiritually speaking. The Father has poured out His love upon me in ways I never dreamed possible this side of Heaven itself. I have found myself having to become "acclimatized" to this powerful outpouring of His tender love and affection. At times it has left me "almost" speechless and, for lack of a better term, temporarily "disoriented" to my physical surroundings. I can tell you this: when the love of the Father is poured out to the degree He has always desired to have it flow in the midst of His children we shall see many great and awesome things - and that again is a vast understatement! "Strongholds" that "seemed" hopeless shall suddenly dissolve as though they had never existed. This is why lately I have had a very powerful desire to exhort those who have stood for certain "impossible" situations to simply keep on believing because now is the time for miracles. One can clearly understand this for the simple reason that just the sheer increase in the outpouring of the Father's love (presence) shall cause EVERYTHING to be changed - one way or another.

"ACCLIMATIZATION"

The Father has spoken to me concerning this being a time of "acclimatization" for those who will serve in this "final onslaught". In the past number of weeks those who have been seeking the will of God for their lives from the position of a heart "wholly given" have experienced a kind of "divine disorientation" - if that is the right way to describe it. But through all of this "disorientation" one shall always feel and experience the perfect peace and joy and control of the Holy Spirit - and so it is in no way alarming just simply both glorious and overwhelming. The weight of His presence at times is so heavy that one will literally feel "weak" under it. This "weakness" is not like physical weakness or emotional weakness. It is a divine weakness that simply allows the presence of the Father to flow through in a way He has never been able to before. No wonder Paul wrote, "When I am weak, then am I strong!"

TRUST IS THE KEY!

The definitive characteristic of this particular hour shall be SUDDEN CHANGE - something the "world" does not handle well at all, but something that the Church shall have learned to handle perfectly as each individual comes into a "trusting" and abiding relationship with the Father and His Word. Trust is the key! Everyone - at any given moment - is always exercising trust - either in themselves or in the Father and His Word. NOW we are entering into the time wherein we shall ONCE AGAIN be able to distinguish between those who truly love God and those who do not - between those who truly serve God and those who will continue to serve themselves.

"THE FATHER HAS AN "AGENDA"

It has become obvious to me in this time that the Father has an "agenda" and that now is the "fulness of time" for bringing forth into physical manifestation the many words that He has spoken (and is speaking) throughout the Body of Christ. There is no question that many "explosions" are soon upon us! And thus the call of the Holy Spirit to the heart of every handmaiden and bondservant is to "continually" exercise faith in the Father's "best". I am expecting big, big things to manifest in the physical realm in the ministries of all those who have truly laid down their lives - and very shortly! I do not know exactly what is going to happen in every situation (there will be many things), but I do know that the Father is for us and whatever it takes to bring everything into perfect order where His will is concerned, that is what He will do, and remember: there is no limit to His power! We could not even possibly begin to imagine fully the "glory" that is about to manifest on our behalf. Many have been believing for "miracles" over the years but what we are about to see and experience will surely transcend - by light years even our wildest imaginings. Everything will turn around so suddenly and we shall have such superabundance in EVERY area that we would simply do well to just be obedient and faithful in the practical things - day by day - KNOWING that our loving Father is in complete control. The things that He has for His faithful and obedient ones are so excellent and I know, beyond a shadow of a doubt, that regardless of how difficult this "waiting" and "separation" (cave-dwelling) seem at the present time - it will be seen to be more than worthwhile as all things begin to unfold perfectly. It will take some real faith on our part - working through an abiding love - to bring this whole thing down, but we can know that we will see

the fruits of our labour to the Glory of God. Let us be found confessing and rejoicing and praising the Father for the "deepest desires" of our hearts being met in ways that will be exceedingly abundantly beyond the realm of the exceeding abundantly!

THE "CHURCH" SHALL NOW BE SHAKEN TO HER VERY FOUNDATION!

Even at this late, late hour there are many who - in holding to an agenda of their "own" design - have lost both their spiritual sight and hearing and thus are now unable to recognize that this final move of God is not only upon us, but also ready to explode in ways that shall shake the church to her very foundation. These "explosions" of light (revelation) and power and love shall expose and consume everything that has not been established on a true foundation (Christ - all in all). The establishment of the True (Glorious) Church in the earth shall be the result of the individual members of the Body of Christ "maintaining" that position wherein their heart is guarded with all diligence. From this position of abiding in fellowship with the Father and His Word both their "sight" and their "hearing" shall become very sensitive to the still, small voice of the Holy Spirit and, in their continual obedience to Him in their own walk, the "corporate" Body shall arise as one in Christ to gloriously gather the Final Harvest.

ONLY THAT WHICH HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED - AND IS CONTINUALLY SUSTAINED - BY GOD SHALL BE FOUND "FIT" TO CARRY OUT THE WORK OF THE KINGDOM IN THIS LAST HOUR!

As one continues to seek the fulness of the Father's will for their lives - refusing to settle for anything less than His "best" - in His perfect timing - they will in NO WAY be disappointed! I have NEVER yet seen the Father (and I NEVER will) operate in anything less than perfect wisdom (love) toward me - or anyone else for that matter! At times, throughout the years, I "thought" I was being a bit "hard done by", but ultimately I both learned and saw clearly the fact that if I had of had my OWN way I would have fallen far, far short of His perfect plan for me and thus continued to settle for less than His "best". I realize at times that it may "look like" to some that He is being unfair and that somehow He is not "doing His best" for us, but that of course is a spiritual impossibility - for the capacity for unrighteousness, and injustice and deception does not exist within Him - only

righteousness, justice and truth and a tender and affectionate love that is continually working to ensure that we fulfil all that He created us for! It is always the Father's deepest heart desire for us to acknowledge Him in ALL of our ways in order that He might continually lead us into His "best" in every facet of our lives and ministries. I can tell you this: the way that He is doing things in this last hour is bringing all of us into the place wherein we FINALLY realize that we don't have to (nor will we be able to) know EVERY step out ahead in the future and that we can trust Him wholly to continually meet the deepest needs of our heart - while at the same time preparing us perfectly for the task ahead. This simply leads one into that place of abiding in faith, love and obedience - and from this position, literally ALL things are possible!

A PLEA TO THOSE WHO HAVE NOT SOUGHT THE FULNESS OF THE FATHER'S PLAN FOR THEIR LIFE AND MINISTRY

This is a very, very important time right now for many reasons - some of which I do not know fully just yet. As much as I would like to see certain things manifest personally, I am gaining a "deep sensitivity" to the fact that there are many out there with the glorious call of God on their lives who have not yet "answered" their call. They continue to remain in a position far from the center of His will - and with people who are hindering them (by their own choice I might add) from breaking free from their present "mind-sets". In light of these things I don't so much mind the fact that there appears to be a delay concerning certain things that I know to be the Father's will. It is truly His will that not one soul should perish - to any degree - and so I am believing for "maximum results" concerning His "wayward ones" in this short space of time. In this same time frame I am also believing that there will be more and more "glorious connections" - and also potentially some "environments" (meetings) created by the Father involving those He has connected. Very soon the capability shall be there to bring many into "the right place at the right time" with a view to the establishing of the Father's plan - and these will be very, very special times with far reaching effects. From here on in it will clearly be a day to day, moment to moment abiding in the Spirit of wisdom and revelation or it will be a dis-oriented stumbling around in the deep darkness that is pervading the "world" and all those who maintain a "heart-fellowship" with it. Even though some will stumble greatly for a time, I know that many will be in a position to rescue them - if there still remains a seed of repentance towards God in that wayward one's heart. Every last individual shall

SURELY be brought to the "point of decision" concerning the Father's plan for their life and ministry in this hour. We must, as the sons and daughters of God, be ready continually - spirit, soul, body and financially - in order that many might be pulled to safety from the "storms" that shall soon be upon us all! Overcome, in Christ - or be overcome - in this hour of extreme and rapid change - it is every individual's choice! Let us set ourselves in agreement for all those with whom we have to do that they might make a "quality decision" from the heart to enter into the "fulness" of the Father's plan for their remaining time in this dispensation. The time is shorter than one might think!

THE DEEP AND TENDER LOVE AND AFFECTION OF THE FATHER

The Father is "intensely intent" on blessing His faithful and obedient ones in these days - even in the most "seemingly" insignificant heart-desires and promises (vision) that He has placed within their hearts throughout the years. That is what a loving Father does! Obviously the so-called "big" blessings are wonderful, but somehow it is when He blesses us in ways that no one else could possibly know (and exceeding abundantly above all that we ever asked or thought, at that) that our heart is "touched" to the deepest degree by His tender love and affection - in a way which is simply overwhelming at times. Every time the Father manifests His holy love towards us it "always" produces a deep, deep desire to serve Him wholly - no matter how tough or hard the road may "appear" outwardly. How hard can the "narrow path" be - if He is with us ALWAYS (and He is!)? It is this tender love and affection that He has shown His faithful ones continually over the years (even in the periods of "seeming silence" He was always there) that has kept them - by His grace - on His perfect path of preparation for ALL that He has called them to in this glorious time (age) which is now upon us. Perhaps the greatest thing that the Father has given the holy apostles to impart to His children is this tender affection and love that He has for each and every one of them. As this revelation of His "true character" is imparted (from the Throne Room through His holy apostles) THEN those who have hearts to receive and ears to hear will most surely be brought into the place of an abiding and perfect trust in His NEVER-FAILING provision and love towards them. It is from this position of "abiding" that one enters into a deep revelation of His "trustworthiness" and faithfulness - this is the place of perfect and absolute victory and overcoming in ALL things. With what is about to come upon the "world" - and ALL those who are in "heart-fellowship" with it - we, as the children of God, MUST come into this holy place of "abiding"

- and remain there! Those who refuse to lay down ALL for the Father, in Christ, are already "beginning" to perish at the hands of the Evil One and his forces and this is a most "tragic" circumstance!

THE FATHER'S LOVE - THE COMING "STORMS" (CHAOS - DESTRUCTION)

How great is the Father's love and perfect deliverance towards those who remain faithful in the midst of all manner of adversity. The Father has shown me that the "storms" He has brought many of His children thorough these past few months are an example of the "shaking" and burning" that shall touch EVERY child of God in this hour. Literally everything that can be shaken will be shaken and everything that is "flammable" will be consumed. Only that which has been refined in the crucible of divine love will remain and come forth as gold. If the "elect" do not experience this refining first - then who? And how will the multitudes ever enter into the "fulness" of their precious inheritance in Christ? I am here to tell you that it is ONLY the "revealed knowledge" of God's Word, and a close and intimate relationship with the Father that will cause the children of God to "rise above" the "spirits" of chaos, destruction, death and "control" that the Evil One is "attempting" to send forth even now in the midst of the elect.

THE "HEDGE" IS NOW BEING REMOVED - CHOOSE LIFE!

The Father is - and has been - using His holy apostles and prophets as a temporary "buffer" and hedge against this soon coming onslaught of Satan and his forces and He shall make His faithful ones a great sign and wonder to the multitudes, but He has made it clear to me that He will no longer tolerate the disobedient ones and the "lies" (unwholesome words) and "actions" that have sprung forth from them against the handmaidens and bondservants - in order to "justify" their own self-serving desires. The "hedge" of loving intercession and steadfast obedience that the holy apostles and prophets have walked in concerning the "stubborn and rebellious" leaders shall SOON be removed and while the handmaidens and bondservants shall continue to walk in faith, obedience and love towards them it will NOW be only a deep and thorough repentance from their previous words and actions and a holy adherence to the "revealed" Word (Will) of God proceeding forth from the Throne Room that will prevent them from "perishing".

Let us pray and intercede - from the place of perfect obedience - for all those who have "allowed" themselves to be held captive by the Evil One to do his will, for it is certain the time has come when EVERY "unwholesome word" shall begin to be judged "immediately" in the midst of the "congregations of the righteous".

VISION:

I saw a large "battlefield" and on it were two "opposing" forces. On the one side were the demonic spirits sent to hinder and stop those called to lead (serve) God's people in this last hour. These "evil spirits" were extremely ferocious and vile. On the other end of the "battlefield" there were a number (not all) of those called to a position of "leadership" in the Church in this last hour. Next the Holy Spirit opened my eyes to see a third group standing right in the middle of these two "armies".

The Father spoke to me and said:

"THIS CAPTIVITY HAS CAUSED THEM TO BE BLINDED"

...."Contained in this group are My holy apostles and prophets. They have remained in the place of "perfect intercession" (love-obedience) as vessels of "elevation" for those I have called to various offices of the five-fold ministry and who are now standing on one end of the "battlefield". Many in this group have "refused" to lay their lives completely down for their brethren and thus they have been "held captive" unknowingly - although they should have known - by the opposing forces on the other end of the battlefield. This "captivity" has caused them to be "blinded" - to a degree - by the deceiving tactics of the enemy forces and this has led to much misunderstanding towards - and even attack against - the very ones I have situated between them and the powers of darkness for both their protection and edification in this hour. The aim of Satan was to first cause "division" (strife) and then move in to destroy vast numbers of those called to minister in this last of the last hour. But My holy apostles and prophets have refused - at all cost to themselves - to depart from the secret place of My presence and thus they have withstood every attempt of the Evil One to "de-elevate" them from that holy place of abiding in My love. Because of this many of those who have held to their stubbornness and rebelliousness shall be saved (delivered) for I shall lead them into a deep and thorough repentance by My great and awesome

power and thus they shall no longer "attack" those of My precious handmaidens and bondservants that I had sent to them for their protection and preparation to enter into the "fulness" of their calling.

"I AM NOW GOING TO ESTABLISH MY HOLY APOSTLES AND PROPHETS TOGETHER IN THE FULNESS OF THEIR OFFICES"

Now I shall remove this "hedge of protection" from the position it has been up until now - and this will have one of two "immediate" effects on those in the battlefield. All those who are "truly" desirous of walking in the "fulness" of My call upon their lives must repent and leave behind "every" element of fear and the "self-desire" that has "allowed" the Evil One to blind their eyes concerning My holy apostles and prophets - and the glorious plan I have in place to use them to "elevate" My Church into her "proper position" of authority and manifested Glory in the earth.

As these ones repent I shall surely lead them to where they need to be and to those they are to be with and in their obedience they shall take their "proper position" in the midst of the congregations of the righteous. Those on the battlefield who refuse to repent and who - in their arrogance and pride - have been deceived into believing that they are already in the center of My will for their life and ministry shall begin to "perish" (these ones and all those "around" them) at the hands of the "forces" which are situated at the other end of the battlefield. For I am now going to establish My holy apostles and prophets "together" in the fulness of their offices, in the midst of the congregations of the righteous - My obedient ones - and they shall draw (elevate) all those who truly love Me high up above the "battlefield" and thus shall the True Local (Glorious) Church begin to be established throughout the earth.

"THEY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO WITHSTAND THE ATTACK"

In the removal of the third group (My holy apostles and prophets) from "between" the other two groups, the demonic forces shall swiftly move forth to "overcome" those who had previously "aligned" themselves with them - in their rebelliousness - and they will not be able to withstand the attack simply because "they allowed" their weapons to "deteriorate" and their "faith" to become a product of their own "mental ascensions", rather than the "revealed" knowledge of My

Word. In their "perishing" they shall continue to hold steadfast to their "belief" that they are suffering for righteousness' sake when, in reality, they are not!

"THE THIRD EFFECT OF THE REMOVAL OF THE "PROTECTIVE HEDGE" SHALL BE THIS":

When this "new wave" (upper echelon) of evil spirits move forth against those still on the battlefield I shall - after a short time - "counterattack" these vile spirits with a view to their total exposure, devastation and destruction through My holy apostles and prophets and all those "with them" (the Glorious Church). They will "know" and come against "every" scheme of the Evil One and this will include the exposure of the "religious spirits" that - up until this time - have had their own way to a "certain degree" in the midst of My people. Because of this many captives to the "structure of religion" (form of godliness) shall be gloriously set free and join forces with those already walking as My "sons and daughters in the earth"....

"A POWERFUL AND HEAVY ANOINTING OF TOTAL AND ABSOLUTE CONSECRATION"

...."Through the anointing abiding within My holy apostles and prophets I shall begin to "elevate" all those of My people who truly love Me to heights heretofore "unseen" by them and they shall begin to operate for the first time in the "fulness" of the authority that is theirs in Christ - the Anointed One and His Anointing. And they shall go forth in such power and glory that all those who cross their path shall be astounded. Those whose hearts are toward Me to "any" degree shall immediately come under a powerful and heavy anointing of total and absolute "consecration" and from this place they shall go forth - even as babes in Christ - to devastate every "stronghold" and "scheme" of Satan in their path and I shall literally multiply (expand) My Church at a rate that is, in this time, "incomprehensible" to even the most sanctified of My children!

"ANY WHO HAVE EVEN THE SMALLEST SEED OF THE DESIRE TO LOVE ME SHALL GAIN THE NECESSARY ENLIGHTENMENT"

Those who strive to "maintain" any degree of "religious" activity shall be forced to "flee" from the anointing of Truth and Righteousness upon My holy vessels but they shall know deep within themselves that something is very wrong. At first they will be deceived by the Evil One into thinking that it is what they have witnessed in those I have placed in their path that is wrong, but any who have even the smallest seed of the desire to love Me shall gain the necessary enlightenment and I shall lead them into their "proper" position within the local Church. And for the first time in their entire lives and ministries they shall be found to be serving Me in perfect righteousness, for they shall be freed of all bondage to the "religious spirits" who - up until the freed one's time of a deep and thorough repentance - had both controlled them and used them to persecute (hinder) My sent ones"....

EVERY CHRISTIAN NEEDS TO KNOW AND UNDERSTAND WHAT IT IS TO BE LOVED BY THE FATHER

In these days every Christian needs to know and understand what it is to be loved by the Father. Once one has a deep and abiding revelation of the Father's love for them they will NEVER have the "fear of man" again - as long as both that revelation and proper relationship with Him are maintained by the Spirit of Grace. One will never have a problem with unforgiveness and bitterness - or any "issues" that they may have had with their own earthly parents (or lack thereof) because they will have come to the full realization that the Heavenly Father, in reality, is their one, true Father - and that He has a "perfect" and abiding love towards them. Having a revelation of the Father's perfect love is the catalyst to one "abiding" in an absolute trust toward (faith in) Him.

...."Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not in vain in the Lord"....

1 Corinthians 15:58

The only way that one can fulfil self-desire and self-agenda is to operate in the ways of the world (selfishness and pride). The only way that one can fulfil the desire of the Father's heart is to take His perfect provision and total empowerment by the Holy Spirit. Again, absolutes! Satan is continually attempting to convince the child of God who is truly seeking to walk in faith - in one way or another - that

they are labouring in vain (futility). This is NEVER the case! There has been a perfect purpose in everything that we have gone through in the Father's dealings with us in the past and that shall continue in the future - for our God is a God of perfect purpose, and He knows exactly what is needed on our behalf in ANY given moment for us to ultimately fulfil our destiny in Christ. The Father can be trusted absolutely in ALL things - and so when one truly begins to come into a revelation of His absoluteness and His perfection it causes their faith to grow and become VERY strong. The spontaneous result of this tremendous spiritual strength causes one's dependence upon Him (true humility) to become absolute - and this is exactly the position that He desires each one of His children to enter into. For it is ONLY in this place of absolute trust that divine love is enabled to flow freely - between both the Father and His children, and between each of His children! It is also only in this place of absolute trust that one is truly able to enter into - and "flourish" - in the true work of the Kingdom.