

## THE VISION OF THE OLD "HAND PLOW"

### VISION:

I saw an old "hand plow" *[the type farmers used to guide behind a horse]* and it wasn't hooked up to anything. This made it impossible to push. Also, the person standing behind the plow was looking back over their shoulder. This caused the plow to veer to the right and the left rather than go in the "straight line" that was intended.

*The Father spoke to me and said:*

The "hand plow" is representative of the the initial "heart-determination" of one of My children to fulfil the "fullness" of their destiny in Christ *[all that I created them to accomplish]* from the place of a heart "wholly given" *[Luke 10:27]*. It is also representative of the "cultivating" *[through faithfulness and diligence]* of one's life and destiny in the Kingdom.

The fact that the plow wasn't "hooked up to anything" *[which made it "impossible" to push]* is representative of the spiritual reality that it is My Grace *[Power]* - and My Grace alone *[John 15:5]* - that will lead My children into their true "Kingdom-position", and empower them to carry out "in full" the true Kingdom-service that I have called them to in this final hour.

The person standing behind the plow "looking back over their shoulder" is representative of those of My children who have maintained an "element" *[ground]* of fear in their life and ministry and, thus, they have "unconsciously" *[although they should have been conscious of it]* "maintained" "control" of their life and ministry through an almost continual reliance upon their "own" strength and understanding - a "continual reliance" that has caused them to keep their eyes on the "things below" *[the things that are seen and discerned by the five physical senses]* rather than keeping their eyes "fixed" *[focused]* on My Word *[Will]*.

The fact that their "looking back" caused the plow to "veer to the right and the left" is representative of the "wilderness cycle" and the "broad path" *[that leads to destruction]* that is the spontaneous fruit of a "sustained" unbelief and hardness of heart *[Matthew 7:13; Hebrews 3:7-19]*.

The "straight line" is representative of My *[Sabbath]* "rest" *[the place wherein one has ceased striving {in their own strength} from "doing their own pleasure" and speaking their own words]* *[Isaiah 58:13-14]* and the "narrow path" of perfect obedience in the Kingdom *[the place wherein one continually seeks My Will above ALL else - and maintains the heart-attitude of seeking to be "righteously motivated" in ALL things]*.

**"cultivate"** - to promote or improve the growth of something by diligent labor and attention; to develop through training; refine;

**"sustain"** - to keep up or keep going, as an action or process;

...."Jesus said to him, 'No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back [to the things behind] is fit for the kingdom of God" .... Luke 9:62 The Amplified Translation

...."Trust in the LORD and do good; Dwell in the land [the Kingdom] and cultivate faithfulness".... Psalms 37:3 NASB