

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 16th

THE GREAT DANGER OF "COMPROMISE"

Words of prophecy:

* *Beware of the "spirit of compromise". For there is NO compromise in My Kingdom.*

"compromise" - something midway between two or more different things *[in this case, a forsaking {or bending} of the Will of God in order to pacify {please} another]*; conceding to another principle *[in this case, the lies {agenda} of the Enemy]* for the sake of fulfilling one's "own" purpose;

...."Be of sober spirit, be on the alert. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. But resist him, firm in your faith [love and obedience]".... 1 Peter 5:8-9a NASB

...."For am I now seeking the favor of men, or of God? Or am I striving to please men? If I were still trying to please men, I would not be a bond-servant of Christ".... Galatians 1:10 NASB

...."Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded".... James 4:8 NASB

The great danger of "compromise" is that it allows the Enemy to move freely in the midst of those who have entered into that compromise *[of God's Will]*.

"compromise" - a settlement of differences by mutual concessions *[in this case, a putting aside of God's Word in order to facilitate an agenda {plan} that is not in*

the Will of God];

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

.... "Evil plans are an abomination to the LORD" Proverbs 15:26a NASB

Prayer of Proclamation:

Father, we thank You and praise You that You have raised us up a people who refuse to compromise Your Will/Word in any way - a people who refuse to settle for anything less than Your very "best" on every level. And we declare it DONE [*on an ongoing basis*] in Jesus' Name - to Your greatest Glory. Amen.