

Exposure and Sharpening

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Good morning precious remnant from a very cold and wet Western Cape of South Africa. We have had four cold fronts following one after the other, and it has been very bitterly cold with high wind volumes, but I praise God for His protection and His shelter at this time.

Firstly I would like to bless and thank all of you who are praying for me, for my home, my family, my situation; I am so grateful. Thank you for those who blessed me with gifts and I just want to report back that my sister has offered to do the transcripts for me, so I no longer have to have the cost of that in my budget, and another precious sister has offered to cover the costs of the podcast site for the next year, so praise God for that. The Word can go out and anything He shares can be available to the remnant. I am really immensely grateful.

Now this morning I want to just share with you a few different prophetic impressions that I have had since I last made a podcast. We see on the world front that there is chaos in the nations, especially at a governmental level; we see it in the USA, we see it in France where conniving and machinations have stolen the election from those who looked to be going to

win it. In Britain we also have a bit of chaos with a surprise win in the voting, and there is change, change, change on many levels.

I want to say to those of you who are not on my Telegram channel, in this last week the Holy Spirit highlighted a post from the Dove Chronicles; I think it is number 3, it is called "Plug In Before Proceeding", so those who are not on the Telegram channel, please do go to my website and search that out. There is explanation of how to search on the website, and just put yourself in remembrance of what the Lord said in that message, because He is drawing a big line underneath it again, reminding His people; anchor yourself in the correct place in this season, because what is about to hit is going to shake even the most unshakeable.

So, I have had quite an interesting time since the last podcast. There have been certain impressions that have really stayed with me. The first picture I have seen is of a plumbline, and the scripture from Amos 7:7 says that *"the Lord extends a plumbline in the midst of His people, and He does not bypass them anymore."* There is a time when God winks at sin, he allows people to get away with things, even though they are called by His name, but Amos 7:7 says that we come to a point where He will not bypass and turn a blind eye to what has been going on in the ranks of those who name themselves by His name, so He stands on a wall built by a plumbline.

In Song of Songs chapter 8m the Bride says, *"I am a wall"*, so He is using that bridal wall as a foundation to stand upon, that wall has been built by a plumbline. It says in Amos 7:7;

"Thus He showed me: Behold the Lord stood upon a wall built by a plumbline with a plumbline in His hand. He said to me, Amos what do you see? And I said a plumbline, and the Lord said behold I am setting a plumbline as a standard in the midst of My people Israel, and I will not pass by or spare them anymore"

and He begins to speak of the judgements that He will carry out. So what is a plumbline used for? It is used in building to measure uprightness, and we must note that the plumbline is held by HIS hand and I have this sense that God is going to be using certain of His people, His remnant saints, as plumbines in situations. He is going to place you in the midst of situations that are not built uprightly, where there is unrighteousness and He is going to use your righteous life and the Word of God buried in your heart as a plumbline to measure what is surrounding you for uprightness. These will be complex situations, requiring the wisdom of God to rightly deal with all involved.

The Spirit of Wisdom is your portion, He is using you as a plumbline. Remember Solomon when he was asked to judge between the two women who both claimed that a single baby was their own. God gave him wisdom that bypassed the wisdom of men in order to say 'cut the baby in half and give half to each', because he knew in his heart that the true mother would want the preservation of the life of the child over her own comfort, and when one of the women cried out 'no, give it to the other woman' then he knew who the true mother was. That is the operation of the Spirit of Wisdom.

So God is going to be using certain of His remnant as plumbines in situations. A plumbline is held stationary in a situation, it is not dropped in and whipped out again, it is held stationary while the eye of the one holding the plumbline evaluates the building and construction, and the lives around it. God is going to rightly deal with all involved.

The second scripture that came to me was Luke 12:2. Something that Jesus said, let me read it to you:

"Nothing is covered up that will not be revealed or hidden that it will not be known. Whatever you have spoken in the darkness, shall be heard and listened to in the light and what you have whispered in people's ears behind closed doors will be proclaimed upon the housetops."

It is speaking of an uncovering of that which is hidden, both righteous and unrighteous. The way the Lord put His finger upon that scripture was interesting for me. The Friday before last, I walked outside my kitchen door and noted that the open drain next to my kitchen door was blocked up and sewerage has risen to the top, which meant that the sewerage pipe; the grey water, the unclean water, was blocked from just passing away and being carried where it needed to go. So I phoned the plumber and he said he was busy with someone else's geyser and he would come later. That was about 3.30pm. By 4.30pm, sewerage was starting to bubble up from the ground, the flowerbed next to the drain, and the whole of the paving by my backdoor, into the back corner under my washing-line was covered in a lake of unclean water. I phoned him & he said was still busy.

As time went by, water started to gush out of the bottom of the bathroom wall, which is also next to the drain that I was speaking of. From what I could see, the water was clean water, so I had blocked sewerage water and I now had clean water gushing out of my wall into the ground. It was churning up all the soil in the flowerbed and the lake got bigger and bigger, with a mixture of clean and unclean water. Eventually at 6pm I phoned the plumber and he said he was still busy, and asked, "Cn't you just turn the water mains off?" So I went to fetch to neighbour to help me. He turned the water off, and we began to investigate the situation. He said it seemed that the water gushing out of the wall was at the juncture where the inlet

pipe for clean water into my house bends upwards and ascends into the wall, but he could not reach the place where it was leaking from, and although the water was turned off at the mains, it kept on gushing. We finally worked out that the two geysers in the house were emptying out down this pipe into my back yard! So it was really a chaotic situation.

Eventually, I contacted another 24-hour plumber because it was late and dark, and finally a man called Washington came to investigate. He didn't bring a lamp, even though it was dark, so he was using his cellphone torch to investigate. He dug into the flowerbed, discovered that the copper pipe going into the house had two holes in it, and the sewerage pipe was also blocked. He fixed it, replaced the broken pipe and he had to jackhammer into the bathroom wall in order to reveal what was going on in hiddenness in the wall. He then said he would come back the next day and put the plaster back and fix the hole in the wall, and asked about the blocked sewerage, and he eventually got that unblocked as well, and left.

So the Lord immediately began to speak about everything hidden that will be revealed. Sewerage represents unrighteousness and uncleanness, and uncleanness is normally released from a house through sewerage pipes under the ground and never gets seen. At some point the uncleanness that is going on in secret is going to rise to the surface and be openly visible, in plain view. Everything hidden in the House of God, and later on in the nations, is going to be revealed.

So there were two separate situations going on here. First, hidden areas of sin and unrighteousness and uncleanness are going to be brought to the surface, and that which is brought to the light is judged by the light. The second thing is that hidden areas, where the flow of living water into the house has been punctured, and the water is being siphoned off, in other words weakening the supply of living water to the house, is going to be brought to light and put to rights. Areas where things are working, the thief is working in a hidden manner, to reduce and siphon off supply to the house.

Now, I have been paying that water bill; who knows how long the water has been leaking out of the copper pipe below ground level into the soil of the flowerbed, because it was a small leak to a point, but suddenly it became a great gushing flow, and it was openly evident that there was a leak. So when there is a hidden area where the thief is working in your life, to reduce and siphon off the supply of living water, you are paying the price for what is being siphoned off and stolen.

I also want to read another scripture to you, it is Isaiah 28:17, where the LORD says;

"I will make justice the measuring line and righteousness the plummet, and hail will sweep away the refuge of lies, and waters will overflow the hiding place."

That word 'overflow' means 'to gush'. Now I had waters gushing out of my wall, and it overflowed and revealed what had been covered up, and God says, about His people; the scripture before this, in verse 16, says He is laying in Zion a foundation stone, a corner stone, and of course it is talking about Jesus, the Christ. But the reason He does it is because in verse 15 people say this, and it is the rulers in Jerusalem, so in other words, church leaders:

"We have made a covenant with death and with Sheol we have an agreement. When the overflowing scourge passes through, it will not come to us. We have made lies our refuge and in falsehood we have taken shelter."

So those who are in a position of authority amongst God's people have been covering up what they have been doing and they are saying the judgement will not touch us because we have an agreement with death and Sheol, and God says, "Oh no, no, no, no! I am laying in Zion a foundation stone" and He makes justice the measuring line and righteousness the plummet. A plummet is a plumbline, so He is hanging a plumbline in the midst of His people, and He is going to sweep away the refuge of lies and expose everything hidden, of unrighteousness, uncleanness and lies. It says in verse 18-19,

"Your covenant with death will be annulled, and your agreement with Sheol shall not stand, and when the overwhelming scourge passes through, you will trodden down by it, as often as it passes through it will take you, for morning by morning it will pass through, by day and by night, and it will be utter terror to hear and comprehend the report and the message."

So God is saying, "Right, I'm sick of the uncleanness and unrighteousness that is going on amongst those who call themselves by My name!" (this is both the natural people, Israel, and His spiritual people who are grafted in), and He says He is putting a plumbline in their midst, and all coverup and lies are going to be exposed. He is going to rip the covers off the work of the thief, one way or another. This is the time we have entered, beloved - a plumbline in the midst of His people, and everything hidden being revealed.

Then last Thursday I was in a worship session with friends, and I had a flash vision of a sword blade being pressed against a rotating sharpening stone or grindstone, and sparks and bits of metal were flying. I had the impression that those who are being made into the sword of a mighty man, when the sword is completely forged, are going to be placed in situations where there is a constant pressing that causes sharpness and readiness for battle. It brings about

the ability to rightly divide and to cut in two between truth and lies, between that which is of the soul and that which is of the spirit.

A grinding stone represents a person; we are living stones, so a grinding stone is still a stone, it is a stone that is not smooth, it is gritty, it is hard and rough, and people who are making up the sword of the Lord are going to be pressed into situations where there is continual dealing with another stone that names itself by the Name of the Lord but its heart is hard and unyielding. A grinding stone never could become soft but God is using that stone, that one who is masquerading as a member of the Body of Christ, that one who is named by the Name of the Lord, as a grinding and sharpening stone to sharpen those who make up the sword of the Lord. It is unpleasant and it is a continual pressing and pressure, and interaction with that grinding stone, but it is in the hand of the Lord that has brought it about. This person is unyielding, there is no repentance in this person. God is going to use someone in your life to sharpen you. It is not one quick exposure and then it is over, it is a forcing together for a SHARPENING SEASON. You are stone, steel is strong, but God is using the situation to remove minute bits of metal on the cutting edge of the sword, to sharpen you and make you of quick understanding. There are areas in your life where you are not as sharp as you should be, and the grinding stone grinds away and removes this by the continual buffeting.

Do you remember Paul spoke of a thorn in the flesh that had been given to him to buffet him? It is that kind of situation and Paul says it is so that pride would not be part of his makeup. This grinding stone or sharpening stone is depicting an interaction, and a sword is sharpened in readiness for battle.

The second part of that flash vision I saw was the handle of the sword, with the blade pointed down. The handle was jewelled, beautifully crafted, and then a Hand came, gripped it firmly, and placed that very sharp sword in the scabard and it was hidden in readiness for sudden unveiling, and successful unveiling when it is put to use against the enemy on the battle field. So this is all a depiction of what will be the portion of those who are being made into the sword of a mighty Man for this incredibly ferocious battle with the powers of darkness that lie just ahead.

You might feel that you have your fur rubbed all the wrong way, that you are just continually in this interaction with one or more people that are just not behaving in a Christ-like manner, hard, unyielding, grating upon your soul, but God is pressing you together with that person or those people in order to sharpen you. Yield to the pressure of the Hand that holds the sword of the Lord, yield to the pressure of the mighty Man who is making you His weapon of war. This is the final preparation for those who are being made into a weapon of war, before they are sheathed, placed into hiddenness, and kept as the Lord's hidden weapon for the time of sudden unveiling.

So precious ones, I do pray that there have been things of confirmation or inspiration in the different impressions I have shared. I also want to remind you, for those of you who are building up a store of past posts or good food for the time when we will not be able to access it online, that my podcasts from 2022 and 2023 are now uploaded onto my website, on the Media page, in zip files. I would suggest you get a flashdrive or a memory stick and load them onto that, in order to be able to access it when you are away from the internet. I think I will perhaps also do the first 6 months of 2024 in a similar zip file for you to be able to have that when you are not near any internet contact point.

I do pray for you and for the remnant worldwide on a daily basis, and what I am really praying is that you would be brought under the shelter of His wing, His wing of provision and protection, and that He would speak to you in visions and dreams, counsel you, with His eye upon you, and direct your paths and make them straight. I am praying that in those cities that are appointed judgement because of their wickedness, if there is a righteous remnant in that city, that the Lord would send angels to thrust His righteous remnant out of that city and bring them to places of safety, that the Father himself would see to the protection and the sheltering of the remnant.

I had one instance where friends I know live in Texas, where they are building an endtime refuge under the Lord's instruction, and as we know Hurricane Beryl has made a right-angle turn and is now hammering Texas; that is geo-engineering and weather manipulation. You will find that Texas is often hammered because its leadership stands up to the sitting government and its unrighteousness, so that state of the USA is often hammered. I have prayed for my friends, and I contacted them and said, "I am praying for your protection, that when the enemy comes in like a flood, the Lord would raise up a standard in His righteous remnant, as He protects you". I got an email from her this morning, to say they prayed and prepared and God protected them, and the hurricane did not touch their property.

So be confident in the protection and the power of the Lord of hosts, even though there are demonic storms barreling in upon you, even though the floods are lifting up their voice, know that God Almighty is still on the throne and able to protect you, and either move you or protect you in place supernaturally if He should so desire to do so.

May the Lord bless you and keep you, make His face to shine upon you, provide your every need, fill your hearts with peace and joy in His presence, until I share with you again.

God bless you.