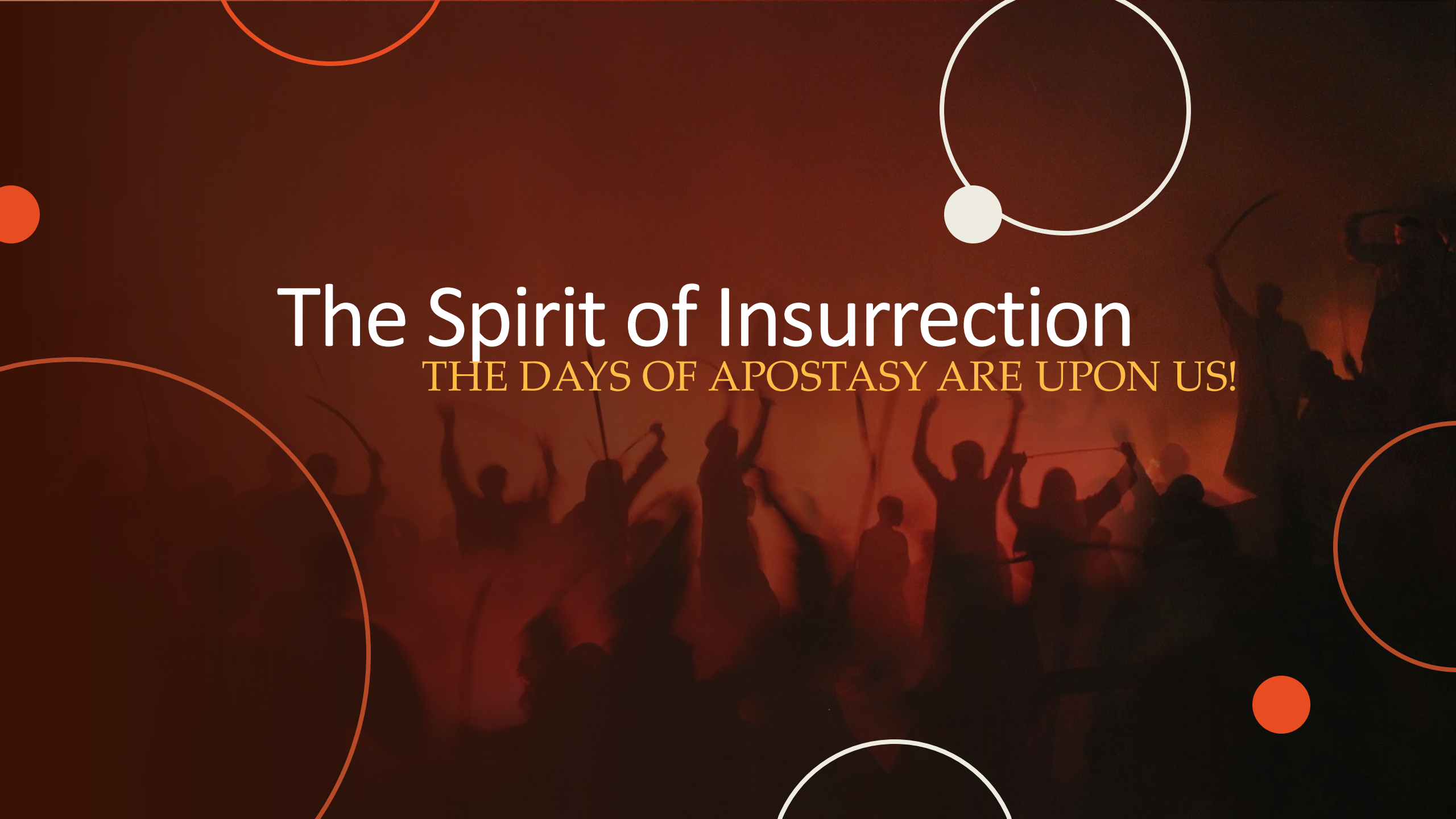


The Spirit of Insurrection

THE DAYS OF APOSTASY ARE UPON US!





One must take root below,
to bear fruit above. Some
are opting to sit this season
out; but it will seek you out
and demand a disciplined
response.



INSURRECTION (to rise)

An “insurrection,” by definition, is a “violent uprising against an authority or government.” A rising against civil or political authority; the open and active opposition of a number of persons to the execution of a law in a city or state. It is equivalent to sedition, which is conduct or speech inciting people to rebel, Insurrection expresses a revolt, or an attempt to overthrow the government, to establish a different one or to place the country under another jurisdiction; a rising in mass to oppose.




The spirit of insurrection flows quietly like an underground stream of lava. Insurrection can be in the bloodstream. There is a national mood we are contending with. It seeks to master the mind in order to manipulate, dominate and intimidate for the sake of power and control. Privilege and preeminence sits at its core.



Elitism and **entitlement** can cause a heart to be exalted above the marginalized and the disenfranchised. However, it will not change God's intentions and His preference to the suffering. God's futuristic focus is not to make America or any one nation great again, but to seek and to save the lost. Jesus came to set the captives free and destroy the works of the devil. God is always on the side of the oppressed. One can never ask an oppressor for their freedom—they must take it.

God's chosen people are and will always be Israel. We, the Gentiles, were engrafted in. Israel was chosen and blessed by God, not only for their own sake, but to be a blessing to all nations, for all time. God's plan for Israel stretched beyond their borders. He told Abram to get out of his country and from his kindred to a land that He would show him. He told him that He would bless him, and he would be a blessing. And in him all nations of the earth would be blessed. The true blessing of greatness flows through the Abrahamic covenant released through these very words in Genesis 12.





“We can’t lose our discerning critical thinking.” There must be an accurate, acute analysis applied to all information released through the media mountain. The apostle John stated in I John 2:27, “But the anointing which ye have received of him abideth in you, and ye need not that any man teach you: but as the same anointing teacheth you of all things, and is truth, and is no lie, and even as it hath taught you, ye shall abide in him.”



The Greek word for rebellion is **apostasíā** (ἀποστασίā). It can also mean revolt, defection, or departure. In religion, it can mean apostasy. It implies hardness of heart; of moisture (lubricant); a hard heart which lacks the oil of Holy Spirit and hence implies rebellion; someone refusing to be receptive (obedient) to God's in working of faith.





In this hour if you're not working to free the oppressed, you're not really the church. Many are called but few are chosen, and God has chosen His church and has crafted her prophetic inauguration speech. It goes something like this. He that hath an ear let him hear what the spirit is saying to the church. Therefore, speak I to them in parables: because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand.

1 Corinthians 1:27-29 KJV

[27] But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty; [28] And base things of the world, and things which are despised, hath God chosen, yea, and things which are not, to bring to nought things that are: [29] That no flesh should glory in his presence.

