



Rehearsing the Word

Sunday, May 12, 2024

Overall Theme:

Autumn initiated our time together with a tribute to mothers who have faithfully received the seed of Yahweh's vision and provided a safe place for the seed to manifest into a reality and nurture and cultivate the dream until it can function on its own. She cited Elizabeth's blessing over Mary in Luke 1:45, "Great favor rests upon you, for you have believed every word spoken to you from the LORD." Ultimately, mothers get to enjoy a partnership with their children as they develop and mature into full age. This is a picture of how Yahweh wants to relate to us as we grow and develop into mature sons and daughters of Yahweh.

I continued the message with the idea that there's a little mother inside all of us as we receive the seed-word and the seed-vision that Yahweh speaks to us and asks us to make a place for it in our lives. When Yahweh created the "world", He spoke from the heavens and the Spirit of the Godhead received the Word and "spoke" it from the earth, connecting the two realms together as ONE. Thus, the spiritual realm became natural once the two came together in agreement with Yahweh's will and desire. Today, your body is the temple of Holy Spirit and our highest responsibility is to hear, agree and declare Yahweh's Word from heaven and proclaim it in faith on the earth. Wednesday night we'll continue the revelation of how the number 7, which indicates the oath and faith vision of Yahweh, manifests into 12...the perfected order and government of the kingdom of heaven. Without 12, 7 continues to be a promise and dream and not a reality.

Stephanie concluded our time with some things she saw and felt in praise and worship a week ago. Yahweh is sending out "wave after wave" building His kingdom in the earth with an unrelenting force of His Word and Spirit. We, as Yahweh's people, receive this echo from heaven, wave after wave, and send it back to Him, completing the loop. The waves and echoes are getting stronger and louder indicating something on the horizon for which we need to prepare. Because we as individuals are inseparable from His purpose, we need to pay special attention and raise our awareness of His body, the body of Christ. We can foolishly think we can do something individually that really takes the weight and coordination of His body to accomplish. We need to lean into the body of Christ and put our weight into it and see the Earth move personally and on a worldwide scale.

Scriptures:

- Galatians 3:27
- Luke 1:45
- Revelation 21:5
- Mark 2:18-22 – "Homework"
- John 3:1-21 – Nicodemus entering His mother's womb for a second time.

Key Word & Quotes:

- All Words are seeds
- Brooding
- Great Favor
- Partnership
- 7 and 12
- Sanctification, consecration and preparedness
- Relenting force, wave after wave
- The gates of hell cannot withstand the relentless echoes and waves of Yahweh's Word
- Lean into the body of Christ...put your weight into it!

Discussion Questions:

1. Describe the Word or seed that you are "brooding" over presently. Is there a word from heaven shut up in your bones that you are presently "expecting"?
2. What word have you received that causes your baby to kick/dance within you like John the Baptist within Elizabeth (Luke 1:44)?
3. Are you convinced you operate in great favor like Mary (Luke 1:45)?
4. Just as the Spirit hovered over the face of the deep and a creation without form and void, what are you aware that the Spirit within your body, the temple of the Spirit, is communicating to you to speak and declare. Do you possess a hopeful expectation of a birthing in the earth?
5. Are you willing to subject yourself, by the prompting of the Spirit, to a process of preparedness for something eminent?
6. Explain the concept and process of sanctification, consecration and being set apart.
7. Are you experiencing the waves and echoes of Yahweh's relentless force within your spirit man? Do you feel the increase of the waves both in volume and weight?
8. How important is the body of Christ to you? Do you value the gathering of the members of the body to lean into something bigger than yourself? Read 1 Cor. 11 again and ask yourself if you are accurately discerning the body of Yahshua.
9. **CHILDREN:** Given Sunday was the day each year dedicated to the celebration of mothers, talk with your children about honor. Sometimes familiarity produces a disrespect in children toward their mothers. Discuss how important honor is to connecting heaven and earth together as ONE. Make every day Mother's Day by cultivating respect and spiritual value into your family culture.

Declarations and Appropriations:

Father, we bless the faithfulness and the relentless dedication of mothers in our homes and families. We declare a special favor from the LORD and empowering grace in the spirit, soul and body of every mother who tirelessly makes a rich deposit into their children. Father, transmit powerfully a vision of the Christ within every child and give each mother ingenious and innovative ways to grow and mature them. Furthermore, we appropriate the pastoring, mothering and nurturing anointing of Yahshua the Christ for all of us as you entrust your "children" to us in all the spheres of kingdom expression in our respective metrons. We declare the gates of hell and powers of death cannot withstand the waves and echoes of LIFE that are being released into the earth today. The kingdom of Christ through His body is ever-increasing and ever-expanding in our heart capacity and the reality of our living.