

Adam

It is the season, the kairos moment, the timing of God. The Lord is revealing and manifesting Himself in the earth. His glory is increasing and a voice in the earth is coming from a people who have been apprehended by their Father through His Son Jesus Christ. A fertile seed is growing in the earth of the true knowledge of the seed of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. The trumpet is sounding and gathering His elect from the north, south, east and the west. I can see the knowledge of God increasing in the earth. Zion is awakening!

It is time the body of Christ recognizes its true purpose and identity as offspring of the Most High God. We are not just members of a local church going to hear a nice message and warm the pew. No, that is not what God intended for you and me. He created us in His image and likeness to have dominion and to rule and reign as priests and kings. Sometimes it seems that the only reigning we do is in our own imaginations, dreaming of unfilled desires to satisfy the flesh instead of having the fullness of true life in the Spirit of God. God never intended for man to be controlled by anything or anyone but Him. We have gotten very far away from the Truth, following doctrines and traditions of men, and we have not bothered to search the Truth for ourselves. As the Word says because of lack of knowledge we are in captivity (Hosea 4:6).

Hebrews 2:8 tells us that God has put everything under man's feet. Now in putting everything in subjection to man, God left nothing outside of man's control. At present time we do not see all things subjected to man. We do not see what has been given and provided for us until we pursue Him in Truth of Who He is and who we are in Him.

Ephesians 1:18 *By having your eyes flooded with light, so that you can know and understand the hope to which He has called you, and how rich is His glorious inheritance in the saints.*

When our eyes are open in Him (Truth) we see all things clearly and we are constantly being changed, transformed from glory to glory (I Cor. 3:18). As we recognize our true authority we are no longer a slave to sin or any hindrance or bondage, but we live in freedom and liberty.

We are not to be under subjection, controlled by circumstances, opposition, sickness, depression or fear. Doesn't the word say in Hebrew 2:8 that all things are to be subject to man? Instead man is in subjection and bondage to them. We are to live in Christ who defeated every enemy and foe. The Lord Jesus Christ sits at the Father's right hand in the highest realm, which supersedes all dimensions and has won the victory over the world, 1st Adam, (physical), the law of the flesh and Satan. He has given us authority and dominion over all things. He triumphed over death, hell and the grave and we are to administrate His overcoming power of what He accomplished on the cross and execute it in the earth. As we come into agreement with His Spirit and the Word, not just in verbiage, but in Oneness, every law, every kingdom must come under total subject to Him. Then, greater is He in YOU than he (Satan) that is in the world!!! He has given us

the victory through the power of His death on Calvary to overcome all things in Him and dictate His authority in the earth.

Remember what Jesus taught His disciples to pray in Matthew 6:10: ***Thy kingdom come thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven.*** We must really see the heart of God and realize what His purpose for mankind has been from the beginning. God sent His Son to restore His seed in the earth and reinstate man's true identity which God had purposed before the foundation of the earth; the many member body of Christ, which is the corporate NEW CREATION MAN made in the image and likeness of God. Christ in you the HOPE OF GLORY. Gal. 4:6 God sent forth the Spirit of His Son (His Word) into our hearts!!! The Lord wants to have a family of His own, a temple, a sanctuary, a dwelling place for His Spirit, a Bride for His Son of a priesthood of sons and daughters representing Him in the earth. Jesus Christ was the pattern, example, THE SEED that would multiply and reproduce His character, His nature in the earth. He wants His people to have the dominion which Adam and Eve never attained because of their disobedience. God has never changed His mind; He is the same yesterday, today and forever!

MALE AND FEMALE AS ONE

Adam walked and lived in the Spirit, he had the mind of Christ, which was the Father's thoughts, will and purpose, but yet lived in the earth. Adam named all the animals, all the different kingdoms, the plant kingdom, the rock kingdom and etc. Can you imagine the mind he had to do this? Yes, the very mind of the Father, given to His offspring made in His image and likeness to rule and reign with all the attributes and blessing of a Son!!

All men in the first Adam are related by blood. Those born of the Last Adam who is the Lord of Heaven, are of the life giving Spirit. We are united by Spirit. The moment we understand that man in the beginning was created male and female and they were made in the image of God. When God formed the body of Adam from the dust of the ground, he was made in the image of God. God is Spirit- the image of God is the very nature of God.

In **Gen. 1:27**Amp. It says, God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Gen. 5:2Amp. He created them male and female and blessed them and **named them (both) Adam** (Man) at the time they were created.

Yet, separated as male and female in the garden, the two were as ONE flesh.

God made it very clear they were one creation in the image of God.

First the physical than the spirit.

The first consummation of a bride and bridegroom was physical (Adam and Eve) the last will be spiritual Christ (bridegroom and His Bride) Redeemed Church.

Before Adam yielded to his soul (Woman) self dependence, law of flesh, they lived in divine health and complete communion and union with God. They lived above sickness, fear, pain, sorrow and death.

The spirit of Man and his soul (female-Woman) was to be ruled and dominated and governed by and through the Spirit of God. In the garden they were both named Adam as ONE, but yet separate bodies as male and female symbolic of the completeness of God in all His attributes in Man.

In **Genesis 2:23** Amp. Adam said, this is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh, she shall be called Woman, (the womb man), the female. In the Word of God we have the church as being feminine the bride and the groom being masculine representing the Son, Jesus Christ. God created man in His likeness and image. Now He sees man is alone, so out of His creation, He takes and separates the masculine characteristics (procreative) from the feminine characteristics and brings forth the woman (womb of man) who conceives and nurtures the seed. To compliment each other, but yet be complete as they are one in God revealing the complete character and nature of God.

In Hebrew it explains what a woman is: Ish is the Hebrew name for man, Isha is the feminine form of Ish or Man. Adam said, This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of a man. **Gen. 2:23 Amp.**

Isa, Isha, Male, female, both Adam, both in the image of God. In old Latin the word for man is vir and the word for woman is vira which means a female man. The English word for woman also confirms this truth, for it is a contraction of the old Anglo-Saxon term womb-man. This is where woman came from.

God gave them joint authority as One of His universal government. Eve received all her blessings in Adam, as we receive all our blessings in Christ Jesus.

John 17:21 That they all may be One, as You, Father are in Me and I in You, that they also may be One in Us, so that the world may believe and be convinced that You have sent Me.

The church is quickened out of the resurrection of Christ, taken from His side, being His body, of His flesh, and of His Bones. He is the Head and she (church) is the body, making One New Creation man.

The New Creation Man- Christ in you the hope of glory. No longer lives in duality, no longer flesh ruling, but the Spirit. Christ came in the flesh to overcome the flesh of humanity and birth the New Man, after Himself, the Life giving Spirit of the incorruptible Seed. Man now has access into the Holy of Holies because of the shed blood of Jesus Christ who became the mediator, the go between that split the veil into and gave us entrance into the very presence of God within the veil. Heb, 6:19-20 Amp. He overcame death, hell and the grave, overcame the flesh through the power of His shed blood on Calvary being the perfect sacrifice became the Last Adam, the Christ life giving Spirit.

Eph. 4:15 By abolishing in His (own crucified) flesh the enmity (caused by) the Law (of the flesh) with its decrees and ordinances (which He annulled): that He form the two might create in Himself one New Man (One New quality of humanity out of the two).

The New Creation Man- Christ in you the hope of glory.

Eph. 4:13 Till we all come in the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, **unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ.**

Who is this perfect man?? Let see what the Word says?

Heb. 10:14 For by a single offering **He has forever completely cleansed and perfected those who are consecrated and made holy.**

Christ and His Bride, the Last Adam and the New Eve. Doesn't the Word say, He is coming for a church without spot or wrinkle washed in the blood of the Lamb?

No longer duality, no longer flesh ruling, but the Spirit, the Last Adam. Christ came in the flesh to overcome the flesh through the Spirit.

Here in (**Eph. 5:23-26**) For the husband (masculine)(spirit) is the head of the wife (feminine)(soul) as Christ is the head of the church, **Himself being the Savior of the body.** As the soul (feminine) submits to spirit (masculine) as One, in unity submitting to the Spirit of God produces the character and nature of God complete in His fullness. (24) As the church (body-feminine) is subject to Christ, (Masculine-Spirit) so let wives (soul) also be subject in everything to their husbands (spirit) (25) Husbands love your wives just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her. Christ shed His blood and died to restore our true identity in Him. (26) **That He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of the water of the Word.**(27) **That He might present to Himself the church in all her glory having no spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that she should be holy and blameless.**

The church is to be a glorious bride, prepared and adorned for her husband! She is to be a conceiving chamber of the Most High God, a habitation, a dwelling place, a sanctuary, a temple for the Bridegroom- the Word and the Spirit. Christ in you the hope of glory! Why? So that the two, the Bride (church) feminine is consummated with the Son (masculine) Bridegroom, that they become ONE, to reproduce His offspring in the earth. That the knowledge of HIS GLORY WILL FILL THE EARTH! We see the same scenario individually and corporately. What is the purpose of marriage, yes to have offspring, made in the image and likeness of God? That has always been the heart of God to have a family of sons and daughters made in His image and likeness reproducing His character and nature in the earth.

The church must be married to the Son, the Word and the Spirit, Christ's body, the church must grow up into the head, grow into maturity being governed by and through the Spirit of Christ Jesus. (Eph. 4:15) We are to grow up in all aspects into Him, who is

the head, Christ, the Word and the Spirit. When the soul, the flesh and body is submitted to the thoughts and purposes of God there is unity, holiness, honor and power and the manifestation of God will prevail!! As husbands and wives are in submission and right standing with our Lord and Savior, we also will experience that love and peace with each other. As wives love their husbands with the heart of God and husbands love their wives as Christ loves the church we will manifest the love and character of the Lord in all areas of our life.

ADAM AND EVE'S DISOBEDIENCE

We must understand that God told them in Genesis 1:28 to be fruitful and multiply, to fill the earth, to subdue it and have dominion over it.

They never fulfilled their destiny. They did not subdue and have dominion.

After the fall, Adam and Eve only sustained. There is a difference between being sustained and inheriting. 'Sustain' means to bear, to uphold, to support, to keep from falling, to maintain and keep alive. 'Inherit' means to possess, to enjoy, to take possession by gift or divine appropriation, and to receive. We are heirs according to the promise. Gal. 3:29Amp. Because of their disobedience, Adam and Eve could not inherit what God had purposed for His children. I pray God will give you such clarity that you will find your true identity and be fulfilled in Him and Him alone.

Why would God say not to eat of the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil? The **knowledge** of good and evil is a condition of the nature of humanity and **man's carnal realm of reasoning which was the law of the flesh**.

Reasoning means: drawing a conclusion or making a logical judgment on bases of circumstantial evidence and prior conclusions rather than basis of reality, to form conclusions or judgments, thinking that is coherent and logical, analytical thinking, to analysis.

Knowledge is what conscience is, knowing good and evil, right or wrong, part of a super ego in psychoanalysis that judge's the ethical nature of one's actions and thoughts.

This realm keeps man in his carnal nature, the law of the flesh and not in the sphere of God's Spirit. Good and evil can only be evaluated in the physical and natural realm and do not produce life.

Adam and Eve did not have a conscience before the fall. Within man there was no concept of good and evil. God told them not to eat of the Tree of the Knowledge of good and evil or they would surely die, in other words they would be governed by what they submitted to. The Tree of the Knowledge of good and evil or the law of the flesh was a lower dimension from the law of the Spirit. The Tree of knowledge of good and evil or law of the flesh opened a door that produced death and a conscience of that dimension

which they did not experience as long as they walked according to the law of the Spirit that produced life.

The knowledge of good and evil deals with external behavior: judging all things on the basis of whether they are good or evil. This can only produce death. Adam and Eve desired to be wise and be like God, but for the wrong reasons - to satisfy the carnal nature of their own desires. When Satan tempted Eve, whispered in her ear, "You won't surely die, you will be like God". It was the soul the mind, the will of the flesh that entertained the hissing and whispering of the Serpent. She (soul, flesh) enticed the (spirit) of Adam and partook of the Tree of Knowledge of good and evil and no longer were they subservient to the Spirit of God. Thus being expelled from the very presence and environment of God. In Gen. 3:20 We see Eve receiving her own name of identity and now instead of the spirit and the soul being in unity, governed by the Spirit of God, they were now separated and no longer in the environment of God.

The soulish realm, carnal nature had over shadowed the spirit of Adam and man fell short of the glory of God. Exchanging a life of the blessings of God, Whom was their provision, their protection and their pleasure; they now lived a life of self-reliance and separation from God. Thus, they lived in the consequences of their rebellion.

Adam (spirit) should have rose up and said no to Eve (soul, flesh) but instead he yielded and came into agreement with Eve (soul) instead of submitting to the life of the Spirit of God. Their rebellion opened the door to the law of flesh, a lower dimension, a lower law that would now rule them. They now were being ruled by their flesh (carnal nature) and body, instead of the Spirit ruling them. By yielding to the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil they were separated by the law that governed them. The consequence of their disobedience was separation from God, their freedom and the right to the Tree of Life and the power over death. Although they did not physically die right then, they died spiritually and no longer had dominion or access to the garden, God's divine environment and presence.

Man fell short of his goal; he was now limited. The word of God says in Romans 3:23 NAS. All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. Adam lost his true identity and all the benefits of the life God had ordained for him: His fullness and having dominion and authority over all things. Now, instead of man ruling and reigning over all these things, Adam was in bondage and in slavery to the very things that he was supposed to rule over. The thing he was to govern now governed him. Through Adam, man without the Spirit of God governing is now ruled by a lower dimension, a lower law, the law of flesh. Whatever law we submit to is the law that will operate and govern us.

Genesis 3:14 - *And the Lord God said to the serpent, Because you have done this, you are cursed above all animals and above every living thing of the field; upon your belly you shall go, and you shall eat dust all the days of your life.*

Adam was formed out of the dust of the ground; formed of the physical, carnal, earthly-sense realm, and became the rightful food for the serpent.

We know through science that snakes which slither on the ground do not eat dust. They eat frogs, insects, rats, birds, etc. These terms are symbolic and spiritual, just like the dove is not the Holy Spirit – it is *symbolic* of the Holy Spirit. The snake was symbolic of the Serpent, the Devil which is a spirit of darkness, evil and wickedness. In 2 Cor. 11:14 Satan himself masquerade as an angel of light.

So the first Adam – the fleshly, physical, carnal nature - is cursed and is declared by God to be dust. Dust (the carnal flesh of man) is the only realm in which Satan can exist and have dominion.

Psalm 103:14 - *For He knows our frame, He remembers and imprints [on His heart] that we are dust.*

2 Corinthians 4:4 - *For the god of this world has blinded the unbelievers' minds [that they should not discern the truth], preventing them from seeing the illuminating light of the Gospel of the glory of Christ, Who is the Image and Likeness of God.*

We see in this scripture that Satan is the god of this world to the unbeliever's mind, which is the soulish realm of man, the dust realm of the physical, natural nature of man, the 1st Adam. Notice it says to the unbeliever!!! God told Satan, the only place you have place is in the dust realm, the carnal nature of the 1st Adam. The dusty, carnal nature of man, his soulish realm of emotions, feelings, sight and desires, the lust of the eyes, the lust of the flesh and the pride of life. When we identify with our true nature the Last Adam, Christ, the life giving Spirit, which is Who God is and what He has said, then to the BELIEVER Satan is under our feet.

Romans 16:20Amp. And the God of peace will soon crush Satan under YOUR FEET!!!

We have had a major problem - we have been identifying with the wrong Adam! The 'image of God' was lost in the garden and that is what Jesus came to restore.

We are always trying to fix old Adam, trying to get to God another way, instead of walking and living in the finished work of Christ. The Lord is summoning His children to arise and **shake off the dust** of the first Adam (the physical, natural, carnal nature) and arise into the Last Adam of the incorruptible seed of our true identity.

Isaiah 52:2 NAS **Shake yourself from the dust; arise up**, O captive Jerusalem; Loose yourself from the chains around your neck, O captive daughter of Zion.

We are joint heirs with Christ, learning to appropriate what He finished at the cross. We are complete in Him and our redemption has been paid in full. God loved us so much He sent His Son that we would have total access into the inheritance of our true identity. Now we must learn to walk in and identify with our true nature. We are made in His image and likeness, destined by Him to have dominion and authority in the earth. Satan was defeated at the cross and the natural-physical man, law of the flesh, 1st Adam no longer has the power to govern us. The first Adam only has power in our lives

only when we give him place as we allow our mind to dictate thoughts that are negative and against the Word of God. We must declare and discipline ourselves in the Word until the Word becomes a reality. The word says, the only place we are alienated from God is in our minds. Col. 1:21

The real issue that determines our victory or defeat is: “Are we living according to the flesh or Spirit?”

ADAM vs. CHRIST

I Corinthians 15:21 - *It was through a man that death (came into the world), also it is through a Man that resurrection of the dead (has come).*

Remember the death that Adam died was separation from God because of sin. The ‘image of Adam’ is the carnal-minded man of sin who depends on self rather than God. Resurrection is walking in the image of Christ which is our true identity of the Last Adam, the life giving Spirit. Reckoning our old image, old nature, 1st Adam has been put to death and we are a new creature in Christ Jesus !!! 2 Cor. 5:17NAS

Christ in you, the hope of glory, is your true identity. Col. 1:27NAS In Christ, we are made in His image and likeness, to manifest His character and nature.

1 Corinthians 15:49 - *Just as we have borne the image of the man of dust, (Adam nature) we shall also bear the image (of the Man) of heaven. (Christ nature)*

Romans 5:14 - *Adam was a type of the One Who was to come [in reverse, the former destructive, the Latter saving].*

Adam was a type (pattern, example, form, copy) of the One Who was to come. The former (first Adam), the physical and carnal nature, produces destruction, destroys life, and blinds us from the truth of who we really are. This natural thinking keeps us in a realm that is unable to produce the blessings that God intended for His children. The latter (last Adam), Christ, the life-giving Spirit saves and resurrects us into our true identity.

The first Adam was a living being, an individual personality. The last Adam, which is Christ, is the life-giving Spirit. We are to pattern ourselves after Christ and follow His example. He is the firstborn of many brethren.

Romans 8:29 - *For those whom He foreknew, He also destined from the beginning to be molded (conformed) into the image of His Son, that He might become the firstborn among many brethren.*

It can't get much clearer than this: those whom He destined from the beginning are to be molded (conformed) into His image and likeness, according to the pattern (type) of Himself as the firstborn Seed. Christ with and among His brethren.

We have been begotten of the same seed as Christ. The Word says that Christ was begotten of the Father and we have been begotten of Christ!

I John 5:1, I Peter 1:23Amp. We have been born of the same seed. Satan's purpose is to blind us so we do not find out our true identity and recognize what we possess in Christ.

Which Adam are you living after? The first Adam is the man of **dust**. This is the realm of the earthy, carnal mind. The last Adam (Christ) is our pattern, our example. The first Adam was after the physical and the last Adam is after the Spirit.

John 3:6 - What is born of [from] the flesh is flesh [of the physical is physical]; and what is born of the Spirit is Spirit.

1 Corinthians 15:48-49 - Now those who are made of the dust are like him who was first made of the dust (earthly-minded); and as is [the Man] from heaven, so also [are those] who are of heaven (heavenly-minded).

(49) And just as we have borne the image [of the man] of dust, so shall we and so let us also bear the image [of the Man] of heaven.

Who rules in your life? Your flesh? Your emotions, feelings, desires or intellect? Or does God's Spirit rule and govern you?

Galatians 4:22-24 - For it is written that Abraham had two sons, one by the bondmaid and one by the free woman. (23) But whereas the child of the slave woman was born according to the flesh and had an ordinary birth, the son of the free woman was born in fulfillment of the promise. (24) Now all this is an allegory; these [two women] represent two covenants.

The two sons, one of the bond woman and one of the free women, represent two covenants - bondage and freedom. The first Adam represents the carnal nature of man and produces slavery, bondage and death - symbolic of Hagar who birthed Ishmael. The last Adam - the life giving Spirit - is the fulfillment of promise, the author of freedom and the dispenser of the new covenant that produces life - symbolic of Sarah, the free woman who birthed Isaac.

Galatians 4:31 - So, brethren, we [who are born again] are not children of a slave woman [the natural], but of the free [the supernatural].

For too long we have identified with lack and failure, (the physical, natural realm, the first Adam) and not the last Adam (a life giving Spirit). Through trials and tribulations we see what we are depending on and trusting in. We find out very quickly that we do not have the ability to control or dictate our lives. That is why we must understand the transition from the first Adam to the Last Adam, from Jacob to Israel. Jacob was created, but Israel was formed.

Gal.4:19Amp. My little children, for whom I am again suffering birth pangs until Christ is completely and permanently formed (molded) within you.

Romans 12:2 Be not conformed to this **world** (see Chap. Satan) but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Where is the problem? Yes, the mind! When I came into the understanding of the first Adam, the soulish realm of my emotions, feelings, senses, and intellect, I realized I had been trying to fix my old nature. The harder I tried the worst it got. Then the Lord opened my understanding. He showed me what He completed and accomplished on the cross, I am complete in Him and I began my real transformation! I pray it will be so with you. For we must no longer live according to the dictates of our flesh but according to the Spirit. My soul, desires, feelings and emotions, intellect must be submitted to and in agreement with the Word. This is precisely why Christ died: so that we would no longer be controlled by or dependent upon self but the Last Adam, the Christ life giving Spirit. He overcame the flesh that we would have direct access and Oneness in Him by and through His Spirit.

All men in the first Adam are related by a natural blood line. Those born of the last Adam (Christ), who is the Lord of heaven, are related by His life-giving Spirit.

CHRIST IN US

To have been born from above (heavenly, spirit realm) is not a future hope, it is a present reality. Christ in you is the hope of glory! Jesus ascended up far above all principalities and powers and might and dominion and every name that is named. Praise God because He sent His Son to die on Calvary for us, we do not have to live in the lower dimension of the law of the flesh; we have been redeemed by the blood of the Lamb. Now we have total access back into the very presence of God. Christ Jesus has delivered us from the law of sin and death and invites us to walk in His marvelous light, His Spirit and His Life. In Christ we are no longer living a life of duality and mixture, governed by our physical realm and catering to our carnal nature. What the Word (Seed, Jesus) says we are now rules and has dominion and preeminence in us. Christ now lives in us as we live and move and have our being in Him! This hope of glory is a confident expectation of living and moving in His character and nature. We can then fulfill our purpose - to be dispensers of His NEW covenant! **We become the dispensers of the New Covenant of the Bread and the Blood, the Word and the Spirit!** Three bear witness: the blood, the water and the spirit. When He died we died; when He was buried we were buried; when He arose we arose to a new life. **Romans 6:4-5**

Jesus Christ shed His **blood** for our salvation—completeness in Him, spirit, soul and body.

We are baptized in **water**- we are a living testimony that our flesh no longer rules us, reckoning the old nature, the 1st Adam died. We are now living the life of the New Creation Man in the Last Adam, Christ, life giving Spirit.

We are baptized **in the Holy Spirit** which is being enveloped in God's character and nature. The Holy Spirit is the earnestness; the foretaste of things to come that will reveal our adoption as God's manifested Sons. Romans 8:23 Amp. Acts. 2:4 They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages (tongues) as the Spirit gave them the expression (language). Acts 2:4 Amp. The baptism of the Holy Spirit is the earnest beginning of being completely submerged in Christ Jesus that we are enveloped in and with the 7 Spirits of the Spirit of **God, Isaiah 11:2**

As we are clothed with Christ, understanding who He is in us, (Christ in me the hope of glory -Colossians 1:26-27), we will arise in His fullness and character to manifest Him!

2 Corinthians 5:17 - *"Therefore if any man be in Christ he is a new creature old things have passed away and all things become new."*

All creation has been groaning, in travail for God's dominion and authority to cover the earth with the knowledge of His glory. How is the knowledge of His glory going to cover the earth? This will happen through a people who are adorned and enveloped with the Christ, life giving Spirit manifesting His character and nature in the earth!

John 17:22 - *I have given them the glory that they may be one as we are one.*

The Lord is rising up a people today that will subdue and have dominion **in** the earth. In Daniel 12:1-3 it says, at that time Michael shall arise, the great prince who defends and has charge of your people. Michael means WHO IS LIKE OUR GOD!!! There is an army of overcomers in the earth WHO IS LIKE OUR GOD that shall arise to bring deliverance to those who are asleep in the **dust (1st Adam, physical carnal nature)** of the earth and many shall awake. And it says that those who are wise shall turn many to righteousness and shall give forth light!! These overcomers are no longer controlled by their flesh, but the life giving Spirit, the Christ within them now rules and reigns and Satan is under their feet. They have recognized that Satan's power and influence was destroyed at the cross. These people are no longer controlled by the physical-carnal realm, but instead by the Spirit. This was God's intention from the beginning: for man to live in the heavens, (Spirit realm, Life of God) and manifest His dominion and character on the earth. Through His Spirit we have been regenerated, born again of the incorruptible seed. The Word says we sit with Him in the heavenly sphere which is the Spirit realm above the world, above our carnal nature, and above principalities and powers.

Hebrews 2:10b - *For Whose sake and by whom all things have their existence, in bringing many sons into glory, should make the Pioneer of their salvation perfect through suffering.*

Bringing many sons into the very character and nature of the Christ within doesn't happen overnight. Through trials, tribulations and suffering we come into maturity (Col. 1:28, Acts 14:22). This process of growing in Him helps us to recognize our desires and motives and compare them to the true character of Christ. When we are tested we see

what spirit rules us: self or God's Spirit. The Word says that we will prosper as our soul prospers.

(3 John 2). As our soul, emotions, feelings and intellect are subjected and submitted to the Word; we are developed in Christ and grow up in the headship of Christ. Eph 4:15Amp. The Word does not say we are going to get the mind of Christ, it says we have the mind of Christ!!

In Galatians 4:19 Paul was speaking and said, "My little children, for whom I am again suffering birth pangs until Christ is completely and permanently formed (molded) within you". What is the purpose of Christ being formed completely and permanently within us? God's purpose is to have a people who will be dispensers of the New Covenant of the Living Word and Spirit. Mankind has just become side tracked, deceived and blinded from God's original plan. Praise God, people of God are hearing Truth and recognizing that we have been asleep in the dust realm, of the 1st Adam, not appropriating and living in our true identity of the Christ within.

God has a people who are shaking off the dust, the carnal nature, and rising into the very image and likeness of God that He intended for mankind from the beginning. Man is rising up in the last Adam, Christ, the Life-Giving Spirit, and identifying with the true nature of the incorruptible seed.

One of the greatest lessons I learned when I was first invited to minister to some of the officials of the government of Ukraine. The Lord spoke to me and it made such an impact in my life. He said, "Do not submit to their environment but dictate My atmosphere". Twelve officials gave their heart to Jesus Christ that day because I chose to submit to the authority of the Kingdom of God that superseded all power and principalities and fear of hierarchy of man. That day the kingdom of darkness submitted to the kingdom of God and God transformed them by His Word and changed their atmosphere. Greater is He that is in you then he that is in the world!

Atmosphere means air or climate in a specific place, a dominant intellectual or emotional environment or attitude surrounding, influence.

According to our likeness, according to our identification, according to our influence we have dominion and authority!!!

1 Corinthians 15:47-48 - The first man [was] from out of earth, made of dust (earthly-minded); the second Man [is] the Lord from out of heaven.

(48) Now those who are made of the dust are like him who was first made of the dust (earthly-minded); and as is [the Man] from heaven, so also [are those] who are of heaven (heavenly-minded).

We either operate in the physical, carnal, earthly-minded dust realm of the first Adam, or we operate out of the true nature of our inheritance in the incorruptible seed. By His seed

which is the Word, we are born again, regenerated in order that we might express in our bodies the Last Adam which is Christ, the life giving Spirit.

A CHALLENGE

In **Isaiah 52:1-3** GOD is saying to **shake yourself from the dust!**

Shake yourself from your carnal nature, the soulish realm of your emotions and feelings. Instead, manifest the character and nature of your true identity!

Arise, O captive daughter of Zion! Loose thyself from the bands of thy neck. Arise in Christ's nature! So now we have more clarity on this scripture. God is saying arise, shake, overthrow, flee, depart, throw away, drive off **and loose yourself from the dust**, (carnality, flesh nature, soulish realm, emotions and feelings) that is controlling you. Christ is our inheritance! He is everything you need! It is in Him, not in religion, not in ministry, not in gifts, not in doing, but being in Him. 2 Cor. 5:17Amp. Christ in you the hope of glory. Col.1:27Christ in you the hope of His manifested presence. Christ took our sin so that through his death the veil of flesh, carnality and the law were destroyed. He triumphed over sin, death, hell and the grave so that they have no more power over us.

Ephesians 2:14 - For He is [Himself] our peace (our bond of unity and harmony). He has made us both [Jew and Gentile] one [body], and has broken down (destroyed, abolished) the hostile dividing wall between us.

Hebrews 6:19-20 Jesus was our forerunner entered beyond the veil into the very presence of God for us, so that we would have access back into the original state that He purposed for man in the beginning. Let us also bear the image of heaven - the spirit realm - the realm that produces life and resurrection power!

Romans 8:1 - Therefore, [there is] now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, who live [and] walk not after the dictates of the flesh, but after the dictates of the Spirit.

There is now no condemnation for those who walk according to the Spirit.

It is our own carnal mind that condemns us, because we are evaluating ourselves according to the system and rituals of the world, and we have not lined up and identified with who the Lord says we are. Through the authority of the Word and the victory of the cross by the shed blood of Calvary, Christ triumphed over death, hell and the grave. As we appropriate the Word and stand in the accomplishment of Christ's finished work, we understand that we are complete in Him. We can now rise up in Him and His fullness, being enveloped by His Spirit. He will cause us to grow into all things in Him.

Hebrews 4:3b He said although (His) works had been completed and prepared (and waiting for all who would believe) from the foundation of the world.

He has completed and prepared us, He is waiting for us to believe!

Gal. 4:6 God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into our hearts!!!

John 3:34Amp. For since He Whom God has sent speaks the Words of God, God does not give Him His Spirit sparingly or by measure but boundless is the gift of God makes of His Spirit.

The Spirit without measure - the complete fullness - rested upon Jesus. He is our pattern! He was our forerunner and He went beyond the veil into the Holy of Holies. Christ is a High priest after the order of Melchizedek, an order after Spirit. A High Priest has to have a priesthood! Heb. 6:19-20

This priesthood is a people who are no longer controlled by the carnal, Adamic nature. They are not swayed by their soul or by reasoning, intellect, feelings and emotions. They believe what the Word says they are. In Him all things are possible because Christ lives within us.

We are becoming dispensers of the New Covenant - the Living Word and the Spirit! God never told us to build His Church. He said He would build the church and He told us to make disciples of all nations. We are that habitation - a dwelling place to reproduce His seed in the earth. Just as Christ, who is our pattern and example, did for us, we are to be an example for others. Christ died to multiply His Seed in the earth. Yes, we are the offspring of His character and nature in the earth. We are made in His image and likeness? The disposition of our mind and heart is coming into agreement with who He is. The WORD is overcoming flesh!

Thy kingdom come thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven!!

