

Thursday, July 30, 2020

The Lord told me something that seems very simple, but is not so simple in application. It is very important.

He said it is very important where we place our trust. We are taught very early by the Spirit that the nature of man makes him untrustworthy. But this reality is not only conveyed as we look outwardly at humanity, but also inwardly at ourselves. We cannot trust mankind because of the fallen nature, and we also cannot trust our own heart because we have the same fallen nature. The only One we can trust is God. In life application, we must understand that inside of us, the only one we can trust is God in us – or the Holy Spirit. We must learn to discern His teaching and guidance through our spirit versus what our nature conveys, which is defiant to Him.

This is directly tied to sanctification.

Personal note: The Lord said, “you have experienced what you just wrote. You have come into oneness with God (which will continue to grow because of the infinite nature of God), and therefore you are no longer guided by your own nature, but rather you are led by God.”

This comes from being sanctified, and this brings peace. In contending with our nature throughout life on this earth, if we slip into control by our old nature, the Spirit removes our peace.

Friday, July 31, 2020

The Lord said, “you are entirely mine. It has been quite a journey, and you’ve stayed the course. Now when the anointing comes – the baptism – ensure that you be relentless in your pursuit of more of Me. Always remain relentless in your pursuit and desire for more of Me.”

Saturday, August 1, 2020

“Christ in me:” this is the culmination of everything the journey is about.

Very important note from the Lord – the importance of learning that while I have seemingly experienced the accomplishment of this phenomenon, the last number of months have been about teaching me that it is always continuing. The Lord said it is very important to always remember this

Paul’s words, “not having attained, but pressing on,” and continuing to press on such that he does not lose that which he has attained. Not lessons only -but experience.

Sunday, August 2, 2020

The Lord said He is going to use me to draw a very clear line, and people are going to choose a side.

He told me that I will be under fierce attack by essentially my own people.

Just as President Trump is a line of division, so will I be spiritually. I must stand bold against the opposition.

Monday, August 3, 2020

The Lord said that the Church is getting ready to undergo a radical transformation. It is going to follow the example He set with me, and I will lead them in transformation.

Tuesday, August 4, 2020

True faith is relational. “Any conceptual understanding of who God does not have life unless it is personal through relationship. God is relational. He made man relational. Any interaction between God and man that does not include personal relationship leaves man empty. The human experience revolves around man’s relationship to God.”

“Any pre-supposed relationship man has with God aside from the Holy Spirit is a decoy – a misconception.” Is not a genuine relationship.

The Lord also explained to me that it is difficult for man to understand genuine relationship because we are so flawed in our human relationships.

True godly relationship is all about the other person-service, commitment, devotion, etc. – completely trusting in the other person, along with complete trust in the reciprocation of things back.

With God, we can give Him everything and still know (trust) that we will receive back more than we gave.

Wednesday, August 5, 2020

The Lord said, “there is only one Gospel. Your responsibility is to share the truth and the Gospel I have taught you. You have no control over how much of it people receive and apply”

He told me – reminded me- that I will not pick them. He told me long ago that He will bring them to me. Some will be devout. Some will be outliers, some will fall away. None of this is within my control.

My call is to teach and lead the Army of God. He will bring them to me. Once again, there are not two Gospels. No matter the group, they are to receive the same teaching – the same standard. It is up to them how much they receive (and apply).

Morning Revelation

One of the hardest trials of becoming a disciple – a devout follower of Jesus – is that God will allow us to be taken to a place of heartbreak that is not just normal life delivered heartbreak. He will allow us to be taken to a place where everything in our world seems to indicate that God is not who we thought He was. It will break our heart like nothing ever experienced.

However, through this set of circumstances, if we are faithful, He will reveal to us that our view was wrong. He will show Himself to us in a different way, and we will learn that He is greater than we ever imagined. At the moment of heartbreak, this will seem impossible.

Thursday, August 6, 2020

“On that day.” The Lord said, few throughout History have actually experienced “on that day.” It is the day that we come into complete understanding of being absolutely identified with Jesus Christ.

He told me I am coming upon that day. Then He reminded me that it has been about 18 months since, “Christ in me,” and about six months of seeking my Father’s Heart.

That is not the end of the journey, but the beginning of a new journey.

The Lord told me the clarity He has been speaking of is actually through this identification with Him.

Friday, August 7, 2020

The abiding reality of a Christian life – me in Him and Him in me.

The Lord talked about an interaction I had yesterday. He told me that the things I believe do not seem radical to me because I have been slowly molded over time. However, to others the ideas come across often as radical. This will become evident with more and more people.

He told me not to try to be perfect in my wording. I am planting seeds. If they are pliable, the Spirit will work the truths into them.

He said that this outpouring will generally make people more pliable.

From the night:

The direction the Church typically gives toward salvation can be equated to directions given to a physical destination. We don’t give directions to a town, but to a place. Salvation in its simplest form may be the town, but it is not God’s desired destination. Reconciliation to Himself is the destination, and this is God’s desire. The Church must give better directions.

Morning Revelation:

There is an irony about a “works salvation.” We discuss and believe that our salvation is only by what Jesus did, which is completely true. But the reality is that the true good works are His also. He sanctifies

us. The only thing of value in us or done by us is through Jesus in us. Our part is cooperation with Him through His Spirit (faithfulness). He alone is the Perfecter.

Not only are we not allowed to take credit for it, as we progress along the journey, we have no desire to receive the glory – we want Him to receive all glory.

Sunday, August 9, 2020

“You are going to lead an Army that is going to take back control of this nation- because it is Mine. It belongs to Me -it a belongs to my Church (by My authority).”

The Lord said –“not by might – not by resistance – but spiritually. A spiritual revolution is coming.”

Revelation (Concerning Masks)

Masks are a form of subjection. The enemy is putting us in subjection. While reading an article yesterday, it came to me that Islam forces women to wear face coverings. It is dominance – subjection – a form of humiliation.

This battle (spiritual) is always against Jesus. Whether it looks like it or not (masks for instance). It is against the Church – the Church (people) of Jesus Christ.

We are sheep. We are either “slaves to sin” (Satan) or “bond servants to Jesus Christ” (Paul).

Monday, August 10, 2020

The Lord talked to me prominently about one word – **Obedience**

He said the move of the Spirit will bring repentance (understanding of the need). The two categories will be based on response to the recognition of the need for repentance. (Reference Scripture- John 6:66-“from this time many of His disciples turned back and no longer followed Him.)”

The ones that respond in repentance will begin to walk with Him – as with my journey. They will learn to hear the Spirit’s voice through being delivered from the sin that holds them bondage.

A difference for these followers is that I will be able to mentor them through my personal experience- the entire Church – namely the Army of God.

Just like in Paul’s time – only now in the 21st century there are millions more people.

Revelation

Relating to washing of feet ((Jesus words to Peter): **anything that is desirable to God in us or by us is from the Hands of Jesus.**

Tuesday, August 11, 2020

The Lord told me that He has taught me directly. He has been my Mentor. Certainly he has used others to encourage, teach, etc. (even through books), but He has been my Teacher.

He told me that He has made me into an example for the world – a living example of what I just wrote (see Revelation below). He told me I was created for this walk essentially alone with Him, and I have been nurtured for this from very early in my life. He said I am like Elijah, like Moses, like Abraham, and to some degree like Josiah.

He also talked a great deal about Paul – how he set Paul apart from the others. He told me – similar to me – what Paul needed to teach had to be a little different. He had to learn the relationship with Jesus through the Spirit – Paul did not have a physical relationship, as I don't. It is all spiritual. Now I am the embodiment of this example to the world today – as was Paul in His time.

Revelation (Two Dreams):

“Christ in me.” Our relationship with God grows as the nature of Jesus grows in me and merges with my soul. As my own nature dies and is separated from me, it is replaced with the nature of Jesus.

This begins at salvation when the Life of God (Jesus) is planted in me as it was the Virgin Mary. My spirit comes alive at that moment. It is the beginning of reconciliation which in its fullness is the formation of His nature within me and complete oneness with God.

Christ in me is the most fundamental New Testament and therefore Christian principle. The problem is we don't understand it without the Spirit bringing understanding, and then bringing us into the reality of it.

Wednesday, August 12, 2020

***Reference Chambers writing today-especially the last paragraph. Also reference Chambers writing on August 13 – very important.

The Lord said, “a child of God will be pressed. This is how the Spirit of God makes what I did real in their lives.”

This is the beauty of sanctification. Sanctification is a continuous cleansing of the old nature and all reliance upon it, and coming into reliance upon the new nature which provides (leads to) oneness with God.

“The concepts are not complex, but they are not understood by the natural man. They are only understood by the spiritual man as he matures.” They are spiritually discerned.

Reference the following Scriptures –very important:

Ephesians 2:10; 14-16: 2 Peter 1:1-21: James 2:19-20: Ephesians 6:12: **2 Corinthians 5:16-21** (Gospel of Reconciliation): Colossians 2:8-9;1:20: Matthew 5:30-48

Revelation

I believe there are some fundamental relationships that are simply not understood throughout the Church.

Through the Cross, Jesus has been given all authority on heaven and earth. Yet, he largely (not exclusively) intends to exercise that authority on earth through His people – through the Church (His Body). The authority He has been given, He grants to us. Everything that Jesus has done and made possible here on earth is brought into reality by the Holy Spirit. This occurs both macroscopically in the world and microscopically in our personal lives. He makes what Jesus did real in the world.

This authority is granted through the formation of Jesus Christ in His people. Through the death to our nature, and the maturing of His nature within us, we actually become vessels of His authority. We must understand that we do not have this authority simply because we are Christians. This does not mean we are not saved. Being born-again and walking in His authority are two different things. We must mature.

In general, we have an immature Church today.

Jesus gave us some good news regarding the Church. “the gates of Hell will not prevail against Her.” We are going to see fulfillment of this as His Church comes alive.

Reference the following Scriptures –very important:

Matthew 28:18: Matthew 18:18: Matthew 16:18: Romans 11:25: Matthew 24:14:
John 20:19;14:12

Thursday, August 13, 2020

The Lord talked about leading His people. He gave me instructions, encouragement, direction, etc. He said, “you will lead, and they will follow.”

Friday, August 14, 2020

The Lord said, “we are going to see -and even currently are seeing, a great divide- between sheep and goats. He said, “you are going to teach people how to walk in the Spirit. The main way you will teach them is through the example of your life. The most powerful tools of instruction is a sanctified life.”

Saturday, August 15, 2020

The Lord said, “Sin is a byproduct of man’s nature. “ He said the obedience to the Spirit in the development of the new nature eliminates sin. Sinning or not sinning is the byproduct. We like to make it our focus.

Sunday, August 16, 2020

The Lord said that as we near this stage coming to a close (for a new beginning), it is important that I have a greater understanding of the overwhelming magnitude of God. This is combined with a

revelation of how small I am, and it is quite shocking to my finite human mind. However, in the midst of this, the real revelation is God's love – for His creation – for each and every one of us.

In this great disparity, He invites intimacy with mankind – how great a love – our mind cannot comprehend this.

The Lord said, "you are intimate with me!" No explanation required; no argument can contest. It is because of His love.

Revelation

There has been something happening within me the last couple of days. I have become so overwhelmed with how big God is – His enormity, while simultaneously very aware of my own insignificance (like a grain of sand), that it simply seems unimaginable that I can really have an intimate relationship with Him. It seems inconceivable.

Yet, as I seek Him, He encourages me. Two passages in Scripture really stick with me:

1. God's great care for His creation – the birds, the flowers, the stars, etc.
2. The Cross – always the Cross

Monday, August 17, 2020

The Lord talked to me about the Army of God. He said the Army will consist of those that respond to His call, and then remain faithful to the process led by the Spirit. It is in essence an invisible army, consisting of people in the physical world but links to an invisible Kingdom. Some I will know. Many I will not even know. I am the leader in the sense that I am out front. I am His example (my process started earlier).

Reference Chambers – and his reference to the rich young man. The Lord said this is the confrontation that is coming – to all of His people.

Tuesday, August 18, 2020

The Lord encouraged me personally.

Wednesday, August 19, 2020

The Lord explained to me that trusting my relationship to Him is actually steadfastly clinging to the oneness that I have with Him. He said I have been under a barrage of attack set out to separate that oneness. But as I have learned to trust my relationship to Him, I have learned that I must cling to the fact that I am one with Him.

This means I am, "filling up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ." I am suffering for His namesake. I am bearing His afflictions because I am one with Him. (Reference Chambers).

Thursday, August 20, 2020

From The Lord:

“This nation will fall when it is time for the Antichrist rise.”

“This nation will fall when it has served its purpose and not a moment sooner.”

“These next four years are going to see this nation be as strong as it is ever been.”

“It is not Antichrist’s time. It is the Church’s time. It is time for the Church to rise up and shine for all the world to see.”

“We are entering a very, very unique moment in History.”

Friday, August 21, 2020

The Lord recapped my journey-things He has taught me. In summary, He said, “you have allowed me to have My way with you.” He told me that He has made me an example for His Church. He is going to use me to reconcile His Church just as He has reconciled me to Himself.

Saturday, August 22, 2020

“You are the branch. The branches are a conduit for the vine. They have the same characteristics. You have been pruned. Now you will bear more fruit – the fruit of the vine.”

Revelation

“I indeed... But He.” We need a fundamental shift in attitude. Asking not what God can do for us, but ask what we can do for God!

Sunday, August 23, 2020

The Lord said Christians (the Church) over the years has endeavored to explain Scripture in light of what they see rather than endeavor to make their lives produce in the way to reflect what Scripture actually says. (Especially, this is relation to miracles – bearing fruit).

He has told me this previously, but he restated it today.

The Lord talked to me about the vine and the branches. He said the Spirit is the One that carries Jesus life from the vine to the branch. “Without Me, you can do nothing.” This is the answer to the question of the Church’s power today. Most everything that is being done is without Him.

He said the fruit is His fruit. The fruit of the vine – the same fruit that the vine produced while on earth (and even greater); think of it – where does the vine end and the branch begin? There is no distinction!

Monday, August 24, 2020

“It is all tied together. Man has separated many things that were never meant to be separated.”

The Lord talked metaphorically about an ice cream sundae. The signs, wonders, and miracles are meant to be the topping – the garnish – even presentation. This is not to say they are insignificant. In fact, it is quite the opposite. They are the most significant attraction to those that see them. However, they are not meant to stand alone. They are the finish on the rest of the preparation.

Revelation

Three basic parts to prayer

1. Our relationship to Jesus
2. According to God’s will-asking for “good things.”
3. “In my name.” In (through) My Nature (in you).

Chambers writes, “there is no use praying unless we are living as children of God.”

The Lord added during our solitude time, “or to put another way – without me you can do nothing.”

Tuesday, August 25, 2020

The Lord said, you are a living example of Me. I have spent seven years making you into what you just wrote, (see Revelation below), and what you just read from Chambers. You cannot imagine the impact of one living this life in union with Me.”

Revelation

I never noticed before Jesus strong reference (in Scripture) to the miracles as validation of Who He is (while here on earth). In my quiet time, the word validation came. This is very important. John 15, Jesus says He will testify of Me (referring to the Spirit).

The Spirit testifies of Jesus to us. He makes everything that Jesus did for us real through application in our lives. We become living testimonies of Jesus. This is our testimony (reference Revelation-“the blood of the Lamb and the word of our testimony”).

The miracles He wants to perform through us are part of this testimony – part of the Gospel. I have believed that when I receive power, it will be validation of my journey, but it is more than that. It is validation of who Jesus is – just as it was when He was physically here. His Church is to be His validation – today- to the world. Miracles are part of the Gospel of Jesus. The Church has failed in this regard. “Greater things you shall do, “-validation of who Jesus is – through us – still by Him.

We are to be representatives of Him – not in being like Him – not look-alikes – that makes us impostors. The Gospel means we are His vessels – “temples of the Holy Spirit.”

Wednesday, August 26, 2020

“You are exactly where I want you – now wait – patiently – trusting completely in Me. “

Thursday, August 27, 2020

**Reference Chambers – walking in the light. (See Matthew 6:23)

The Lord told me it is healthy to maintain a cautious attitude toward our relationship. Paul understood how fragile the relationship is. “I press on in order not to lose that which I have attained.” The Lord said it is fragile because there is always a battle with our own nature which is defiant toward God.

Revelation

Perhaps one of my greatest concerns is that I don’t want to have any misconceptions about my relationship to the Lord, or what I know about Him. I’m always cautious about my own heart (even skeptical).

This is directly tied to my mission in life. I want others – everyone- to know the Lord the way I know Him. I just want to always be sure that I know Him the way I think I do.

Quiet time – the Spirit reassured me. The Spirit does not allow any misconceptions. This is why fruit is so important. The Spirit’s work toward the nature of Jesus is obvious and undeniable. The fruit is our assurance of Him at work in us, and when the Spirit is at work in us, He allows no misconceptions.

He reminded me of Paul – “follow me, I am following Jesus.” He said it is the assurance that brings the mark of being authoritative. It comes from Him. It is marked by humility (fruit).

Friday, August 28, 2020

“You are my example and you are their target. “If I am for you, who can be against you. I have overcome the world.”

Saturday, August 29, 2020

“When you share something with another, it carries with it the authority of experience. You have pressed on steadfastly through the weariness that you have endured.”

“The Spirit has made known to you what is Mine.”

“Your authority to lead My Church comes from Me (the blood of the Lamb) and your experience (the word of your testimony).”

“There is an undefinable – unquantifiable element in the human condition that responds to authority based on experience. It goes to the fundamental principles I gave you very early-purity, sincerity, transparency.”

The Lord said He will make me as he desires me to be, and it will be clearly visible for all to see.

Quiet Time

Reference John 16-“take what is mine, and make it known to you.” Make it yours?

Chambers writes,

“When my strength runs dry and my vision is blinded, will I endure this trial of my faith victoriously, or will I turn back in defeat?”

“Every time my theology becomes clear to my own mind, I encounter something that contradicts it.”

“Faith must be tested, because it can only become your intimate possession through conflict.”

Sunday, August 30, 2020

The Lord talked to me about the necessity to be attentive to our relationship in the stage that is coming. He talked about keeping me in obscurity – even to myself. He told me that a means of protecting us is by not revealing to us the work He does through us. To protect us – our journey, He keeps us somewhat oblivious to the work He does through us.

However, as He brings me from obscurity, this will not be completely possible. This is the next step. I must guard our relationship faithfully as I see Him working through me. Obviously, my solitude time is critical, but I must be constantly guarding our relationship.

Monday, August 31, 2020

The Lord said, “what I ask of you is that you continually press on toward the highest possible standard. You must remember that you are a human being. The writings of Chambers are the highest standard (my utmost) we are called to aspire toward. “

He told me that as a human being, I will lose focus. I will be entrapped by my circumstances and I will get distracted by the cares of the world, but I must press on toward the goal of “my utmost for His highest.”

Tuesday, September 1, 2020

The Lord told me that I must always remember that my purpose on this earth is to be Holy. Whether I ever seem to accomplish anything or do any work for His Kingdom, my success for this life lies in being Holy. He said this holiness will always reflect His Holiness to others. It will do its own work. (1 Peter 1:16)

This is why it is important to keep our eyes on Jesus – He is perfect and Holy. As he forms in me, it is His Holiness that forms in me.

The Lord said this is a focus issue. Do not let anything distract me from the simple purpose that I am to be “Holy, as He is Holy.”

Revelation

Reference John MacArthur Bible commentary on John (second volume).

The theology presented by MacArthur relating to Scripture is true and correct, but is unnecessarily limiting. It is too presumptuous about man’s ability to understand. It is limiting to the Spirit. The Spirit does not use Scripture as a textbook (per se). He teaches all Christians just as he taught/inspired the apostles. Then, as He led them to write the Words, He leads us in reference to the Words of Scripture.

The utility of Scripture is far beyond our comprehension. It is alive (as the Spirit brings it alive) and limitless and infinite.

The fundamental problem is that there is a line of distinction unnecessarily drawn between the apostles and all Christians that were not apostles or did not live in the apostolic period. I don’t believe any distinction exists.

The Word of God is complete, and nothing need be added. However, man’s understanding of it is far from complete – no matter the education. It is spiritually revealed. The Bible, while perfect and infallible, is a book given to us by God that the Spirit uses as He teaches us about God. We have unnecessarily placed the Spirit into a box of “our own understanding of Scripture.” Although the box may grow as our understanding grows; but we have erred when we have placed Him in any box. We have done so with good intentions as to not “add to Scripture or take away from Scripture.” However it is nevertheless a box.

The Spirit wants us to know God –period. This is what Jesus did for us. The Spirit wants to make everything that Jesus has done for us real to us by applying it in our real-life – our everyday life. He uses Scripture to validate what He Himself teaches us. This is a huge difference.

The problem is with the understanding of Scripture as “the complete revelation of God to man.” The problem is not that this is incorrect, but the way we typically view this creates a problem. We view this in finite terms. Two words came to me this morning that summarizes this: conclusive and exhaustive. The example given me is that of an encyclopedia. I can learn all that is in a set of encyclopedias if I read them and study them thoroughly because it is a finite amount of information. This is absolutely not true of the Bible because it is the only book in human History that is “living.” It is from the Mind of God which is infinite, and because it is living, the Bible is infinite.

While it is Historical, it cannot be viewed as only Historical because it must be applied today. This is true both macroscopically – toward the events of mankind, and microscopically – toward the events of my personal life.

All of this understanding is **ONLY** possible through the Holy Spirit's revelation.

We have endeavored to understand what the Bible says. This largely can be done intellectually. However, we must understand what it is saying today, and every day. This cannot be understood intellectually.

This understanding is only spiritually discerned which means the Holy Spirit reveals it to our spirit directly-REVELATION.

Jesus said in verse 13-“ tell you what is yet to come.”

He also said in that same verse, “he will guide you into all truth.”

This applies to every Christian.

Perhaps the most incredible part of a journey with the Spirit is how He uses Scripture. He expects us to “test the spirits” (1John 4:1), and He uses Scripture for the testing. He essentially validates everything He teaches us with Scripture.

In this way, the Bible is never diminished. In fact, the opposite is true – it magnifies in importance to us because it is alive and applied constantly.

Wednesday, September 2, 2020

The Lord told me I have given myself completely to Him, to do with as He wishes. He said this is very precious.

He is using me completely as He desires. He told me the turmoil, grief, distress that I feel is truly not for anything for me. Rather, it is on behalf of His Church. He has shared with me the condition of His Church, and His desire for His Church, and it seems that they could not be farther apart. This is the source of my grief.

The Lord told me to continue to be cautious not to be drawn away. The enemy will use the noblest of causes and motives to lure us out of step with Jesus. Resist.

The Lord told me to continue to allow Him to completely have His way with me.

The Lord told me the condition of the Church seems impossible to reconcile, but it is not through human means that it will happen. He said, “with God, all things are possible.” Do not despair.

Thursday, September 3, 2020

The Lord talked to me about writing on my website. Perhaps I'm being a bottleneck.

He told me that I must not try to assess the value of what He gives me as it relates to others, or assess any value the website presents to others. It may not be as insignificant of benefit to others as I think.

Friday, September 4, 2020

The following came to me: “perceived through the power of the Holy Spirit who Jesus really was.”

Saturday, September 5, 2020

The Lord told me that waiting on Him is actually, “watching with Him.” (Reference Chambers). He told me that waiting on the Lord is the only way to receive the best that the Lord has for us.

Sunday, September 6, 2020

The Lord talked to me about the river of living water that flows from us.(John 7:38). He said there is a direct correlation between our focus on Him, and the flow of this river. He told me everything in this world (especially Satan) works to divert that focus.

He said He has been teaching me about focus for more than four years now – especially relating to the Church and how she is out of focus. But He has also been teaching me how to keep my focus on Him in the massive confusion that works to divert that focus. The invisible flowing river is directly tied to that focus.

Monday, September 7, 2020

Reference Scriptures: John 7:38; 4:14

Rivers of living water flowing from Him. This is what the Lord talked about, and related it to my travels throughout the nation. He said, “Yes, one is enough.”

He then talked about Paul, and me following the example of Paul.

Tuesday, September 8, 2020

The Lord had some very strong words for His Church today. He said the church is dormant. He made it clear that she is spiritually dormant. In some cases Christians are taking a stand in the physical realm – based on the Constitution or other guiding factors – but that is still the physical realm. Our power – and our fight – is in the spiritual realm. We are attempting to make a physical stand (if we take a stand at all) in a spiritual battle.

Jesus made it clear (He told me this emphatically-repeated times today), “I have overcome the world.” The enemy has no power against the Church that stands in the Name, (power and nature) of Jesus Christ.

What we must clearly understand is that this power and authority for us does not necessarily come simply through uttering His Name. It comes through giving Him complete control of our lives.

The Church must begin to exercise her authority in the spiritual realm – the very authority of our Lord.

Wednesday, September 9, 2020

The Lord encouraged me.

Revelation

The Lord gave me a word as a description of much of what we see. The word is animosity (anger, disdain). We see great animosity toward one another in this nation. However, we see a great deal of it within the Church. We see it between denominations. We are seeing the culture of anger (even within the church) where we accept that it is okay to despise the enemy, and then we make our own determination of who the enemy is. We have largely drawn the line that the enemy is anyone that does not agree with me or something that I have determined to be important.

A huge problem is that most of this is being done by our own standards rather than being led by God through His Spirit.

A key indicator when the Spirit leads the direction is that- just as Jesus said, we will love even our enemies -as He wants us to understand that our battle is not with flesh and blood.

Thursday, September 10, 2020

The Lord expanded on Chambers writing. In summary, He focused on living a sanctified life in obscurity such that the holiness comes out when we are in the open view. He said the Church today is being exposed in this regard.

From the Night

“Things are not as they appear-as they seem.”

Friday, September 11, 2020

“It takes God Almighty incarnate in us to do the most menial duty (task) as it ought to be done.”

“If we do not steadily minister in everyday opportunities, we will do nothing when the crisis comes”
(Which means do nothing His way. If we do something, it will be our own way). This is the Church at this hour.

Examples:

“I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done to you.” (John 13:15)

Paul; “I am following Jesus.” The Lord told me that in such fashion I am His example.

Saturday, September 12, 2020

We owe the Lord an blemished Bride – clothed in His righteousness.

There is a divide over the Spirit – reconciliation is relationship – only through the Spirit. We are not to emulate Jesus – we are literally to have His Nature.

“The power is to come through the relationship.”

The Lord told me we are to be fanatical, radical.

A separation of the true Church of Jesus from the established Church is coming!

Sunday, September 13, 2020

“Scripture, because it is the living Word, cannot be contained within the understanding of man.”

A problem is presented:

Scripture is – as God is – infinite. Man is finite. Is Scripture the revelation of God or the complete revelation of God?

While Scripture can be the complete revelation of God, no man can completely understand and comprehend.

Oneness with God is our pursuit (Reference the last paragraph of Chambers writing). This means growing to know Him better. For this to happen, He must reveal Himself to us – personally. He uses Scripture to validate what he is teaching us personally. He does not want us to only know Him through Scripture – that becomes a compartment. He wants to reveal Himself to us personally. The Bible was given to us by God – it is not God.

Most of the church today does not have this understanding.

The Holy Spirit is personal. The Gospel is a Gospel of reconciliation. Men seek knowledge from other men that know more. This is okay, but only the Spirit brings revelation, which is much deeper than mere knowledge.

Revelation

We must set our hearts on seeking Jesus- this means making a decision to surrender our will.

Question (for consideration)

Could it be that God began this last chapter of man with the outpouring of the Spirit at the turn-of-the-century (1900's) because the Spirit had largely been absent?

However, we did not respond to Him as God desired. We pursued His power (gifts) in the charismatic movement, rather than the relationship.

Monday, September 14, 2020

The Lord essentially told me that man has made an idol out of the Bible. Many devout Christians have elevated the Bible to replace the Holy Spirit as the guiding being of their lives.

The Lord told me that it is by the Holy Spirit that man discerns the will of God –PERIOD. (See Chambers).

The Lord told me that it is not a message diminishing the Bible that I must convey, but rather a message elevating the Holy Spirit. The Spirit Himself will ensure the Bible has the proper place in our life. He told me that as Jesus is lifted up, so the Spirit is lifted up. Jesus cannot be lifted up without the Spirit – the Spirit testifies of Jesus. Any lifting up of Jesus without the Spirit is intellectual at best.

This understanding is critical to the Church.

Revelation

It seems to me that we need to see the shift in John chapter 17 between verse 19 in verse 20 as an inclusion rather than a differentiation. There is a transition between His earthly disciples and future disciples. (I remember the Lord told me a couple of weeks ago –“man has separated that which was never meant to be separated.”

Solitude Note September 22, 2020

“If I said it to my disciples (as recorded in the Bible), and you are a disciple today, then it applies to you.

Reference Matthew 23:8-10-“ you have one Teacher.”

See Chambers today.

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

The Lord told me that no matter how much we read – my writings or any others, without being in relationship with Him, it is essentially worthless (spiritual value).

We must be in relationship with Him. We must set our hearts on this above all else, and steadfastly determine that we will pursue growth to this relationship with Jesus no matter what the cost.

Revelation

“On that day; in My Name” - this began in the night, and really expanded this morning.

On that day is a point down the road after our rebirth (reference August 8 solitude). We don't often see our journey that way. We believe we have arrived, and everything Jesus did for us is complete at salvation. This is simply not true. The Holy Spirit, through the process of sanctification, makes everything that Jesus did for us real in our lives.

Jesus was telling us that on that day (when we become one with Him) we can ask anything in His name (or through His nature that has now been formed in us).

This is a statement to His disciples. However, it is His earthly disciples that walked with Him (physically), and His future disciples that would later “walk with Him” spiritually. John 17:21 “that all of them may be one.” He also stated to Thomas, “Blessed are you that you believe because you have seen, but even more-so for those that believe that have not seen.” Jesus taught us discipleship – both from those that walked with Him physically, and those that would walk with Him throughout the Church age through the guidance of His Spirit.

The tragedy of the Church age is that so few have walked the journey of true discipleship.

To this point, one of the most prominent problems is our understanding of the journey. There is a common misconception within the universal Church about the journey with Jesus, and works in general.

From the very beginning (as we see from the New Testament writers) there has been a very divisive debate between those believing in salvation by faith alone, and those supporting works for salvation. Paul addressed this on numerous occasions, and made it very clear that we are saved by faith alone through grace alone. Our salvation is absolutely and completely a product of God's Spirit and Jesus' work on the Cross.

However, here is where the problem develops. Somehow the Church has determined that the works from that point forward are up to the person that was saved. This could not be farther from the truth. The works are His as well- all of them. We must understand that anything of value to God is produced by God. Jesus stated plainly, “without Me you can do nothing.” He was not saying we could literally do nothing as far as the world is concerned and as it relates to our own evaluation. He was saying we can

do nothing according to God's standards and evaluation. His ways are not our ways. This is what Jesus was showing us through washing the disciples feet. We must receive from Him.

What we have on our own has no value.

This is sanctification – receiving through death to our nature what Jesus has, rather than continuing with what we have in our own natural man.

In summary not only is salvation by faith in Jesus alone, the entirety of our lives after being born again is by faith in Jesus alone.

For application we must understand what this means. It means we are to be in constant cooperation with and obedience to the Holy Spirit. We are to be “walking in the light.”

The irony is that our walk of Christianity is exactly the same as our rebirth. True salvation is always prompted by the Holy Spirit through conviction. It then requires a response by us – which is repentance. Repentance is turning from our way (the way of my own nature) and following God's way (the way led by Jesus nature being formed in us).

The journey is a continuation of our salvation. This is why Paul tells us to work out our own salvation. We do this by setting our hearts on seeking God, fixing our eyes on Jesus, and obediently cooperating with the Holy Spirit who dwells within us and directs us.

This is Christianity.

One day, we will become one with Him, just as Paul did. Paul said, “it is no longer I that live, but Christ in me.” He also said, “the world is dead to me and I get to the world.”

“In that day,... Whatever you ask in my name.” This is what it truly means to be in an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ.

Reference Scriptures: John 16:23; John 14:13-14; John 15:7; John 15:16; James 1; 1 John 3:22; 1 John 5:15; Matthew 7:8

Wednesday, September 16, 2020

The Lord said, “there are certain things that God is going to do independently of man's involvement, and there are certain things His Church is expected to do.”

“You will receive clarity (and understanding) not only on your role, but on the role of the Church..”

“You will receive this very soon. In the meantime, while you wait, remain steadfast, remain faithful, and keep pressing on. Be watchful.”

Thursday, September 17, 2020

The Lord talked about the difficulty of overcoming one's nature. He told me there are so many things that can deter one's journey. He said this is why it is so important to "set our hearts on seeking the Lord" and then guarding our hearts accordingly.

When we have done this, and we come to a crossroads that pulls us away from His path, through the Spirit's guidance we will immediately know we have chosen poorly. If it is sin, we will know we have sinned through His conviction. If it is simply a decision made through confusion that is based on our own nature rather than God's nature, clarity will come immediately. If we have guarded our heart in support of seeking God – no matter what, - we will respond to follow the Spirit's leading back to our journey.

It is God's Hand constantly upon us that we must always respond to and be obedient.

Friday, September 18, 2020

It is absolutely critical that we understand and believe that God is extensively involved in the affairs of men today, (macroscopically), and in the affairs of man intimately (microscopically).

Saturday, September 19, 2020

The Lord said I am getting ready to experience a shift in the "temptation" presented to me.

The temptation is the attack on the life of Jesus in me. Up to this point, it has been largely through trial that the attack has come. The Lord told me I have learned to recognize the test and press on in the midst of trial.

He reminded me of a warning I received from Him sometime back that my greatest enemy is not difficulty, but success. He told me that my "temptation" is getting ready to make that shift. The battle against Christ in me will come largely through success. (A few weeks ago in my evening solitude, The Lord told me I will have victories wherever I go.)

The Lord then brought David to my attention. David waited many years and went through much testing before actually becoming King. It was after His success that His greatest misstep occurred.

The Lord told me to always be mindful of this. Paul said, "I press on such that I don't lose that which I have attained."

The Lord told me to be attentive to my solitude time with Him.

Revelation

Scripture Reference John 6:66; See Chambers

There seems to be a very important dividing line in how we see God interacting with men today. Over the years, many have falsely claimed that God has expressed Himself to them personally in some form of physical manifestation. The corporate Church by and large has determined that God does not express Himself personally in this manner – because of these false claims. God gave revelation to the apostles, they recorded what was conveyed, and the Bible is record of that revelation. Nothing more is to be expected in that regard.

For this reason, Christians today greatly limit their expectations of God's interaction with them personally. Most may acknowledge that God is sovereign, and even that He is active in the world, but not in personal manifestation. With this being the case, expectations of such interactions have almost disappeared, and therefore they are not even pursued. The product of this attitude is essentially a elimination of a personal intimate relationship with God, even though this was a huge part of Jesus work on the Cross.

For the relationship to exist, we must pursue it. This is not an intellectual relationship, but rather is a spiritual relationship.

We must understand that because God is sovereign, He is not limited in His activity in the affairs of man, no matter what we do. When our expectations and therefore actions toward Him limit His activity, it does so in our lives only. He is not limited; He is only limited in us (by His own choice to honor our free will).

This essentially stagnates the growth of the Life of God in us. This is the Church we see in America (and throughout the Western world) today.

The Lord revealed to me that for this to change, we must have a change in attitude toward His interaction with man.

I have shared that the Lord speaks to me in my solitude time with Him. It is not important that you believe this to be true. You are expected through guidance of the Spirit to discern truth for yourself. In fact it is not important that anyone believes any prophecy or prophetic voice conveyed outside of the Bible.

However it is important – vastly important – that you believe it possible for God to convey Himself through Revelation today as He demonstrates in the Bible. If a person believes this, and sets his or her heart on pursuit of God in this manner, He will reveal Himself personally to them.

This is the gospel of reconciliation. It is about intimacy with God – personally.

Sunday, September 20, 2020

The Lord said, "God's view of the Church is that the Life of God – through His Son (by the work of the Holy Spirit) is literally formed or being formed in every member."

Chambers writes-" if the Spirit of God has transformed you within, you will exhibit divine characteristics in your life, not just good human characteristics. God's life in us expresses itself as God's life, not a human life trying to be godly."

The Lord said, "the signs, wonders, and miracles are part of this. They are an expression (an outpouring) of that Life within us. They are not the pursuit – the pursuit is that Life within."

Revelation

There is an irony relating to the Bible: The Bible is God's gift to man and in detail describes God's sovereign and extensive activity in the affairs of man. Somehow, we have largely used the Bible as the reason to explain how God is not active in the affairs of man today as He was in the Bible. If we incorrectly understand the Bible as the complete revelation –meaning that we see it as conclusive as written without understanding that we cannot understand it without His Spirit, it can become a hindrance to our relationship with Him. While it is true that it is conclusive as written, it can never be completely understood by man. It is complete revelation by God, but we cannot understand it without Him. Therefore, as we are finite, we can never completely understand the revelation.

Monday, September 21, 2020

The Lord told me that we must understand that His people are completely His. And he told me that many understand that He has a purpose, and they seek to fulfill that purpose. However, they don't understand that they are completely His, and the entirety of their lives is to be devoted to His purpose.

Mankind is for God – completely. The redeemed are those that have acknowledged that they understand this. However, it is an arduous journey to become one that is suitable for His purpose. The journey really begins with understanding that we are completely His.