

From the Pastor's Desk:

Recently I ministered at a conference and a revelation concerning THE WORD OF GOD was birthed that I had never seen before and I would like to share it with you. Jesus had been ministering to His disciples about A sower, sowing seed.

Mark 4:26-27 reads, "And he said, So is the kingdom of God, as if A MAN should cast seed into THE GROUND and should SLEEP, and rise night and day and the SEED should spring and grow up, HE KNOWETH NOT HOW".

Now, when I look at these scriptures, it is clear to me that I am that man who is sowing THE WORD of GOD into my heart. The next thing THE MAN does is SLEEP and the SEED springs forth on its own. What this says to me is that my job is to SIMPLY & CONSISTENTLY put THE WORD of GOD in my heart and God by His Spirit works on the seed and causes the seed to produce in my life.

Again while speaking about the Word of God, Jesus makes a statement in Mark 4:21-22 which says, "And he said unto them, Is a candle brought to be put under a bushel, or under a bed? and not to be set on a candlestick? For there is nothing hid, which shall not be manifested; neither was any thing kept secret, but that it should come abroad." In other words, Jesus was saying there is NO WAY we can take God's Word and hide it in our hearts and it will not produce! God's Word is an INCORRUPTIBLE SEED that CANNOT be forever hid and it will always produce when it is sown in GOOD GROUND. The question is not whether God's Word will produce but whether your heart is GOOD GROUND for the Word of God to produce?

Jesus told us "MAN SHALL NOT LIVE BY BREAD ALONE BUT BY EVERY WORD THAT PROCEEDETH OUT OF THE MOUTH OF GOD". With that thought in mind, I believe that we as Christians should get our daily intake of God's Word so that we can thrive in life and not simply exist. The Word of God is filled with EXCEEDING GREAT & PRECIOUS PROMISES that give us the ability to ESCAPE whatever the world brings our way according to 2 Peter 2:4! God has provided us through His Word with ALL that we need to be victorious but many times we will not take the time to pick up His Word and deposit it in our hearts.

The beauty of The Word of God is that it is SUPERNATURAL and it has a life of its own! It is filled with FAITH and therefore it is full of the power necessary to bring ITSELF to pass!! Can you think of anything else that can produce like that in your life? We have a tendency to go in many directions when we face challenges looking for a way out or looking for direction when the scriptures plainly say, The Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

1 Corinthians 10:13 says, "There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it". Are you wondering what to do? Are you walking through some dark places? I encourage you today. You are NEVER stuck and there is ALWAYS a way out. You simply have to search in the right place for the escape and God's Word is that way of escape. MAKE THE DEPOSIT today!

Abounding in Him,

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