

Lesson 187 Eye Opening

Today's lesson is going to be kind of different, format-wise from that of others. It will be different because we are going to primarily focus on one specific flow book. The Lord put it in my mind for us to do this because He wants us to understand the importance of conducting periodic reviews of our flow books.

And the message He wants delivered today, is that this is something we all should do. It's not just important for me, but for all of us. For example on 08/30/14 the Lord said to another. He said,

Each will walk in excellence. Time and season. Cleansed stay clean. Look to your God Jesus for answers. Ask the question, see the answer. Narrow guidance found. Walk it out. What will be is now. Take the prize. Flowchart neglect not. Important details found in time spent. Value time, placement; priorities shown. Keep it going.

Yes, what the Lord is telling us here is that our flow books hold important details for us; details that could be forgotten over time had they not been recorded. Our flow books should in fact, hold the recordings of all that the Lord has given us, whether it came through a dream, a vision, a meeting wherever. On 08/29/14 He described flow books as:

Eye opening, My flow chart...

So from this we can gather that flow books/flow charts are important. For example when the prophet asked the Lord where he should start if he were going to present what he had learned to another, the Lord took him to the 8th Chapter of Romans:

Romans 8:1 *There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.*

What the Lord showed him is that:

It is because of the lack of understanding of how the Holy Spirit teaches and leads that we as Christians have been missing the corrections, teachings, and leadings of the Holy Spirit. It is fairly safe to say that because of this spot the

others exist. How is it that the Church could follow the Lord in these Last Days if she doesn't know how He teaches and leads?

And of course all that He teaches and leads are to be recorded in our flow books; hence their importance in regards to following the Lord has been established. And that is why it is so important to record everything as noted below:

01/18/13 - Rivers of living water flow down from My throne capture the flow; record all that is given, container be. Focus intently. Miss nothing, nothing without purpose.

And that is also why the Lord has continued over recent days to stress the importance of our flow books:

08/03/14 – Flow chart leading edge. Instruction for the here and now. You know what to do. Keep it going.

08/19/14 - Actions flow chart do. Daily. Delay hinders. Wait not. Do.

08/21/14 - Flow chart; many confirmations.

08/23/14 – Flow chart focus.

08/29/14 - flow chart, Go and receive My judgments

08/29/14 - Details it is in the details. Flow chart - container of details.

Therefore our flow books, our flow charts, they are very important. They are important because they provide guidance, instruction, confirmation, details and judgments. Remember the Lord said that they were eye opening. This is because they help us to grow in the Lord as we begin to see and move more clearly as noted through this:

12/08/12 - Container, vessel, pure and white, holding truth, holding mercy, holding justice and compassion. Judgments, there is all this in My judgments – truth, mercy, justice and compassion. I only want the best for My children. My will, following after My will, is best.

And to the two listeners He also stressed the importance of recording all that He gives: **January 1st God Calling Eventide** - Write for all things are now ready. The world is waiting for My Message of Love, and Hope, and Cheer. The very unrest of the spirit is a sign. The turning from the husk of religion is a sign. Man is no longer lulled by empty phrases and promises of a better life hereafter. He must know Me before he would wish to spend Eternity with Me.

How can man come to know the Lord if we do not record and review that which He gives? We cannot, therefore we will move forward as per His instruction reviewing this leading edge which for today's purposes will be approximately two months-worth of

writings. I have taken the liberty of dividing it into several elements or topics to make review flow more smoothly. These elements are as follows: Guidance, Cautions, To Do, Character, and Encouragements. Therefore let us begin this review (from this point forward in today's lesson all of the Lord's words have been pulled from one flow book).

Guidance

Psalm 32:8 *I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.*

The Lord wants to lead you. He knows you intimately, your thoughts, your yearnings. There is no guidance better than His.

- * Rely completely and totally on Me for all your guidance, not man but Me.
- * Seek My guidance on your questions.
- * Allow the Lord to lead you and no one else. Follow His guidance.

Our relationship with the Lord will be enhanced through our meeting with Him. Review of His messages cements this intimacy.

December 2nd God Calling - Draw nigh, shoes off thy feet, in silent awe and adoration. Draw nigh, as Moses drew nigh to the burning bush.

I give you the loving intimacy of a friend, but I am God too, and the wonder of our intercourse, the miracle of your intimacy with Me, will mean the more to you, if sometimes you see the Majestic Figure of the Son of God.

This relationship is not only one with the intimacy of friendship but it is also one with the authority of our King. His guidance demonstrates these various elements of relationship:

- * Compare spiritual to spiritual, just as I have taught you. This is what helps you to eliminate the impurities. It's My guidance, My leading that you are following.
- * Listen for My still small voice, don't rush to judgment or to action. Just follow Me, step by step. I will make it clear as confusion is not of Me.
- * Keep reading. My message will be delivered through My words.
- * Your path has been laid out before you. Walk in this. Seek My guidance for direction.
- * Seek My guidance and direction, move in My Will. All is in My powers, My control, just step out in faith.
- * I will lead you along the way, stay on path.
- * Walk the path. Guidance comes to those who listen, allow My leading.

Psalm 118:8-9 *It is better to trust in the Lord than to put confidence in man. It is better to trust in the Lord than to put confidence in princes.*

This closes out the section on guidance.

Cautions

James 1:12 *Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.*

I decided to call this next section cautions because these are words of warning received from the Lord as noted below:

- * Just because another says it is so, that is not necessarily true – you move forward in My truth and My guiding alone.
- * Do not depend on man, depend on Me.
- * Don't be confused by the enemy, don't listen to poor substitutes or imitations of the one true God.

Allow the Lord to guide you and no other, for the other, could be the enemy in disguise.

1 Peter 5:8 *Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.*

- * Avoid the enemy's snares. They run deep.
- * Encumbrances - remove any that come in your way.
- * Obstacles may come in your path but don't allow them to take you away from the Lord. No turn them over to the Lord instead.
- * Don't allow distractions to take you off course. Follow in close. Remember the farther you are from the Lord, the easier it is for something to come between you.

In other words,

Romans 12:2 *Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.*

Our flow books will help us accomplish this. The Lord will use these to help us learn His will for our lives. He will use the flow book to keep us on path; away from a world that is very enticing, a world that comes at us from all directions pulling us away from the Lord. Therefore our flow books help us to stand strong and make sound decisions based on what the Lord has taught us through them. For example,

- * Don't accost your senses with too much sound today. Listen instead to My still small voice.
- * Move forward in Me. Don't trespass into iniquity. Walk righteously. Be holy for I AM holy. Don't serve church or man, serve Me. Follow My agenda. This is the plan, now move forward in it.
- * Death to self, be completely immersed in Me. Seek My will in all things. Disavow all else.
- * Die to self, this is for all to know, live and follow Me. Immerse yourself in Me.

Therefore as much as the world tries to entice us, self, captures us by keeping our focus off of the Lord and on other things like the past for example. But to this the Lord says:

- * Don't worry about what is behind you. Stay focused on today. Don't worry about the past or the future, today is enough to think about. Life is lived one day at a time. Don't get ahead of Me and don't fall behind. Stay in the moment.

Isaiah 43:18 *“Remember not the former things, nor consider the things of old.*

Philippians 3:13 *Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead,*

The Lord will use the flow book to bring your attention back to the place it needs to be. He will offer reminders of this:

- * There are things man cannot handle but My league must, and then there are things that I alone (handle). Man is not expected to do all things. Know your place, your position and walk in this.

Psalms 55:22 *Cast your burden on the Lord, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.*

1 Peter 5:7 *Casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.*

- * Time is of the essence, make good use of your time.

Ephesians 5:16 *Making the best use of the time, because the days are evil.*

If you look up the word caution in the thesaurus it will give you synonyms like advice, warning, counsel, conscientiousness, and alertness and isn't that what the Lord has done through His word, through his flow book? Does not the flow book contain counsel, advice and warnings? Does not the flow book help you to become more conscientious and alert if it is read and reviewed? I think this is so.

This closes out the section on cautions.

To Do

Every flow book contains instruction from the Lord. Things He wants you to accomplish. They may be things that need to be walked out in the physical but it could also be something you need to think about or get straight in your head. In the bible it says,

Psalms 32:8 *I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.*

Proverbs 4:13 *Keep hold of instruction; do not let go; guard her, for she is your life.*

Proverbs 19:20 *Listen to advice and accept instruction, that you may gain wisdom in the future.*

Therefore the Lord instructs and advises that we may gain wisdom, as noted below:

- * Do something good for someone today. In fact this should be your goal for each day. Reach out to others. Help them to see Me actively at work through you.
- * Clear cut answers will come from your time spent with Me. Meet with Me often to gain wisdom, guidance, and understanding.
- * Learn My ways, live My ways. My ways are simple.
- * Keep this, nothing but the blood of Jesus, keep this at the forefront of your mind.
- * I've shown you what to do, now do it.
- * Keep in touch with like-minded friends. Fellowship is important.
- * Keep reading, keep growing, keep your focus on Me.
- * Draw closer, draw near to Me. Listen to My still small voice and dwell within My loving arms.
- * Heed My voice.
- * Speak with Me. I am always here for you. I AM seeking a closer relationship with you.

- * What does discipleship mean to you? Explore the many facets of disciples and discipleship. Scour the leading edge. Pull it all together and see, then follow My leading. Discipleship is eternal and it is ethereal too! Work hard to be call My disciple. Explore the many facets of discipleship.
- * Keep reading and keep your focus on Me.
- * See Me clearer and then teach of Me through example.
- * Stay in the moment focused on Me, thinking about Me always.
- * Set your feet, on solid ground, do not be swayed from the path of the Lord. Follow in closely, do not let a gap develop. Engage in all the activities that bring you closer to Me.
- * Read, study, pray and meditate.
- * Make Jesus the Lord of your life. There should be no other.
- * Meet with Me, listen for My still small voice.

And there are three verses from the bible that I think help us understand why we want to walk out the instructions of the Lord and they are as follows:

John 3:16 *“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.*

Acts 3:19 *Repent therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out...*

Colossians 3:20 *Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.*

What I believe we can take from these passages is that the Lord wants to save His children. He wants to blot out sin, this will please Him, but we must obey our Father, we must keep our focus on Him if this is to happen. Therefore all guidance, all instruction, is given for a purpose in Him.

Character

When speaking of character in relationship to our walk with the Lord, I think, this leads us to thinking of becoming refined. This is the fourth element listed in today’s lesson. The Lord gave the prophet a dream regarding refinement. It went like this:

Aug. 14, 2000, a scene in the night. (Condensed)

I was sitting at a banqueting table in front of a stage with a pulpit on it. A man had stood in the pulpit and had suggested that people are not robbing God by not tithing, for various reasons, and that it is all tied to the right attitude of heart towards God, etc. Then he returned to the banqueting table where I was sitting... My attention was brought back to the platform by two huge men, one white and

one black, stepping to the pulpit side by side. Both men were asked, "What do we do now?" Both said they didn't know and the black man (representing lack of knowledge) said he didn't know, two or three times. Finally both left the pulpit. Then another large man, **dressed in silver and immaculate in nature, whose skin was silver**, with a head dress **of (cloth looking) silver crowns** entered the stage and went to the pulpit. I watched intently as he began to speak. He said, "**I know what to do; we will put on a show. Haven't you heard of combining healing and the law?**" Some people were now entering the stage in costumes and I **knew they were going to do a show demonstrating that healing and the law go together**. As I was emerging from this scene the Holy Spirit gave me the scripture (Matthew 9:5) where Jesus said, "**For whether is easier, to say, thy sins be forgiven thee; or to say, Arise, and walk?**" Awakened, I remembered that to sin is to break the law. I was also thinking that under the New Covenant He would write His laws and statutes on our hearts.

I knew from the scene and past experiences that the Holy Spirit was going to use the Flow Chart and events in the physical to paint a picture for us concerning tithing, healing, the law, and being refined as silver. I had no idea how or what was going to happen. I had no idea that at one point I would be completely blown away by what the Lord showed me.

What we can take from this (in relationship to today's lesson) is that the Lord will use the flow book to help us become refined. He will help us through passages like these that address the nature of our character. They may deal with our relationship with Him:

- * **Keep Me first and I will straighten your path and smooth the rough edges. Trust in Me, not man.**
- * **Have faith in Me. Nothing is impossible for Me.**
- * **A complete union/fusion with Me. This should be your goal. Want what I want.**
- * **It does not always have to be formal when you speak with Me, for remember, I am not only your King, your Lord and Savior, but I am also your friend. I like it when you share times of fellowship with Me as well. I like it when you bring your petitions, your concerns before Me as your friend. Our time together does not always have to be formal. Share your heart with Me, just as I shared my heart, with my Father in the garden.**
- * **Make Me the Lord of your day, your hour, your every minute. Follow Me in paths of righteousness. Self must die. Humility is the first rung on the ladder. For remember, the meek shall inherit the earth.**

They may deal with our relationship to others:

- * Don't be swift to act or speak. Be humble. Be passionate. Be involved. There is great reward in this.
- * Be supportive... Lift them all up with positivity and love. Be a nurturer. Be an encourager. Nothing negative only positive. If someone is focused on the negative – speak the positive and continue following only Me.
- * Be compassionate and understanding, be loving and pure at heart, be filled with mercy and be willing to lend a helping hand. Put others before yourself. Check in on those I have put in your path.
- * Do not condemn the person, condemn the act. Do not join in (with bad behavior) be separate from it. What has light to do with darkness? Be the person I would have you be, love them all in spite of their shortcomings, love them all as I created each one of them, see them as I do – for their possibilities. Be the rudder that steers all in the right direction.
- * Offer comfort and rest to those who enter your home. There is something special there that can be felt. Be kind, be generous, be loving. Offer rest to the weary. Let them speak from their heart, you listen. So many souls need to have someone to bear their hearts to, someone they can trust. Be that person for My children.
- * Be cordial, be loving, be all that you were made to be. Don't slough off your responsibilities in this regard. Be a good hostess. Be welcoming, be a walking example of Me. Don't gossip.

Or they may simple deal with the nature of our own personal character:

- * Move forward in My example.
- * Celebrate life and all that this means.
- * Be energized, don't be complacent. Be joyful, happy in Me.
- * Stand upright in Me. Walk in My ways. Truth, love, compassion and humility. These are traits of My people.
- * Move forward in My love.
- * Each new day given is a day of opportunity to be your best in Me. A day to be compassionate yet cheerful, a day of hope and joy. Be humble, don't rattle on speaking many words just to hear yourself talk.
- * Be mine, move forward in right choices. I gave you the ability to make sound judgments and decisions. I would not have you as an ignorant soul unable to know right from wrong.
- * Be good, follow My example, in other words, live a good life. Live it every day and know that I am with you along the way. Mistakes can be costly but so long as you learn from them, then all is not lost.
- * Always be the first to do the right thing, take the high road.

- * Take advantage of today's opportunities to be your best in Me. Don't walk in the traditions of men, but walk in My ways. Keep My Spirit within you. Be safe in My ways. There is nothing commonplace in it. Be your best self now. Be inspired by your God Jesus. Walk with love for the God of your salvation. He made the way.
- * Be humble.
- * Mind your words.
- * Be diligent, be committed, seek My truth in all things. I have a purpose in it all.

Simple stating it, the flow book will teach us how to become our best. The Holy Spirit will use the Flow Chart to paint a picture for us concerning becoming refined as silver. This is what we are learning today. In the bible it says:

1 John 2:1-6 *My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the whole world. Now by this we know that we know Him, if we keep His commandments. He who says, "I know Him," and does not keep His commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him. But whoever keeps His word, truly the love of God is perfected in him. By this we know that we are in Him. He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He walked.*

The Lord will use your flow book to perfect and refine you if you are obedient unto Him. Review is necessary to keep us mindful of His word.

Encouragements

The final element in today's lesson is encouragement, or you could also categorize it as inspiration, reassurance, backing with advice and counsel thrown in. The Lord encourages us through the knowledge that He is always with us. He has the plan and the ability to carry it out.

- * All is not in your power and control. I alone am God. There is nothing impossible for Me.
- * My leagues are there to help you. You are never alone, don't forget this.
- * Man cannot understand all the workings of My Kingdom, yet that does not make it any less real. Move forward in faith even though you don't have all the answers, nonetheless move forward in Me and My Ways.
- * The answers will come when the time is right.

- * Each is on a road that leads them closer to Me. This is happening individually but I have a plan for you as a group as well. Forge ahead. Each has been chosen for a purpose. All is progressing just as I knew it would. Keep stepping out in faith.
- * Look to Me My people. I AM calling you to Myself.
- * Keep your faith in Me alone.
- * Wait and see. I AM working all things out. You will see My Plan come to fruition.
- * Worry not, I have good things in store for you. Do not doubt, you were chosen before you were born. I have guided your life thus far and I will continue to guide your life. I say again, worry not. Think of Me always and everything will go well.

These sentiments have been brought to light in the bible as well.

Deuteronomy 31:6 *“Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you.”*

Jeremiah 29:11 *For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.*

The Lord therefore wants to encourage you. He wants you to be aware that He has made a way for you, just as He explained to the two listeners:

January 3rd God Calling - You must be renewed, remade. Christ, Christ, Christ. Everything must rest on Me. Force is born of rest. Only Love is a conquering force. Be not afraid, I will help you.

Be channels both of you. My Spirit shall flow through and My Spirit shall, in flowing through, sweep away all the bitter past.

Take heart. God loves, God helps, God fights, God wins. You shall see. You shall know. The way will open. All My Love has ever planned, all My Love has ever thought, you shall see each day unfold. Only be taught. Just like a child. A child never questions plans. It accepts gladly.

Each day that we meet with the Lord is a day that He guides and directs our footsteps. His plan has been made. Each step is laid out. And then these steps must be bound or held secure in the Lord’s receptacles (our flow books) that we may be able to learn from them, that His encouragement may take root in us as we read and review them. In the bible it says:

Psalms 37:4 *Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.*

Proverbs 30:5 *Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.*

And here are a few more examples of His *words* of encouragement that we might *take refuge in*:

- * You are safe in My loving arms, stay close to Me and My leading and all will go well with you.
- * He's always there. He will guide you along the way. You never have to find your way alone as He will guide you every step of the way.
- * Depend on The Lord, He will lead the way.
- * Have total faith in Me. All is going to plan.
- * Believing in what you cannot see or prove is faith. Faith is a requirement. It is a cornerstone. It is foundational.
- * Hold fast to what you know is true.
- * Oh how I love each of you. If you could only see My depths. Know that I love you and I have great plans for each of you. Look to Me every day, sit quietly with Me.
- * Look to Me for your provision. I have blessed you and I will continue to do so.
- * Family is a jewel to be cherished; praise God for provision in this regard.
- * Wisdom comes to those who seek it.
- * There shall come a time when every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus is Lord.

I think a fitting close for this section on encouragement would come from this passage in Romans that essentially says that we gain hope through the encouragement we receive from the word of the Lord. It reads like this:

Romans 15:4 *For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.*

Summation

For today's lesson the Lord had us conduct a review of a flow book. He wanted to stress the importance of these types of review. What He taught us is that flow books are important because they provide guidance, instruction, confirmation, details and judgments. They encourage us but they caution us too!

You may recall from the lesson that the Lord said that flow books or flow charts are **eye opening**. We learned that He made this analogy because they help us to grow in the Lord or you could say that they help us to begin to see and move more clearly.

We initially focused on the fact that the Lord does **not** want us to **neglect** the **Flowchart**. He in fact wants us to study the leading edge as noted below:

08/11/14 - **I AM with you always. Comforter. My guidance and instruction. Seek first and you will find. The perfect guidance and instruction of your God Jesus. Continue focus leading edge. Actions do.**

08/17/14 - **Keep focus leading edge. Daily instructions. Town center. See and believe.**

08/18/14 - **Leading edge focus. Get it done.**

And sometimes He gets very specific about the purpose of this, for example:

08/06/14 - **What does discipleship mean to you? Explore the many facets of disciples and discipleship. Scour the leading edge. Pull it all together and see, then follow My leading.**

The Lord therefore uses the flow book to point us in the right direction and yes it could be described as a picture of discipleship that is painted on its pages. The Lord added this, He said,

08/06/14 - **See the picture. Leading edge keep focus.**

For remember it is,

08/03/14 - **Flowchart leading edge. Instruction for the here and now. You know what to do.**

And finally in the bible we have been taught that:

2 Timothy 3:16-17 *All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.*

Like scripture, the Rhema word, contained within our flow book, this has been given to us for teaching, reproof, correction and training. It has been given to us for encouragement and character building too! Cautions may come, guidance will be given, and there will be actions to be done but it is all given for our benefit and refinement. It is a gift from God that is to be embraced and reviewed.

May the Lord Bless You in This,
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