



Lesson 96 Now is the Time for Us to be His Jewels.

Isaiah 45:18-19 *For thus says the LORD, who created the heavens, who is God, who formed the earth and made it, who has established it, who did not create it in vain, who formed it to be inhabited: "I AM the LORD, and there is no other. I have not spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth; I did not say to the seed of Jacob, 'Seek Me in vain; I, the LORD, speak righteousness, I declare things that are right.*

07/18/12 CT – **Be humble before Me. Yes, I AM Lord and Savior. Yes, I will return with a task at hand (to be accomplished, a task the Lord must do). Yes, it will be difficult but it is what is correct.**

Zephaniah 1:7-17 *Be silent in the presence of the Lord God; For the day of the Lord is at hand, For the Lord has prepared a sacrifice; He has invited His guests. "And it shall be, in the day of the Lord's sacrifice, that I will punish the princes and the king's children, And all such as are clothed with foreign apparel.*

*In the same day I will punish all those who leap over the threshold, who fill their masters' houses with violence and deceit. "And there shall be on that day," says the Lord, "The sound of a mournful cry from the Fish Gate, A wailing from the Second Quarter, And a loud crashing from the hills. Wail, you inhabitants of Maktesh! For all the merchant people are cut down, all those who handle money are cut off. "And it shall come to pass at that time that I will search Jerusalem with lamps, and **punish the men who are settled in complacency**, Who say in their heart, 'The Lord will not do good, Nor will He do evil.' Therefore their goods shall become booty, and their houses a desolation; they shall build houses, but not inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards, but not drink their wine."*

*The great day of the Lord is near; it is near and hastens quickly. The noise of the day of the Lord is bitter; there the mighty men shall cry out. That day is a day of wrath, a day of trouble and distress, a day of devastation and desolation, a day of darkness and gloominess, a day of clouds and thick darkness, a day of trumpet and alarm against the fortified cities and against the high towers. **"I will bring distress upon men, and they shall walk like blind men, because they have sinned against the Lord;***

With these words the Lord is assuring us that He will return. He will return with a job He must do. It will be a difficult job but it is what must be done. It is what is correct. But our God is a righteous God. He has made a way for those who are following after righteousness. He has made a way for those who are seeking after Him.

Following After Righteousness

Isaiah 51:1-2 *"Listen to Me, you who follow after righteousness, you who seek the LORD: Look to the rock from which you were hewn, and to the hole of the pit from which you were dug. Look to Abraham your father, and to Sarah who bore you; for I called him alone, and blessed him and increased him."*

Why do you think the Lord encourages us to look to Abraham? Why did the Lord bless him so? Well the answer lies here:

Genesis 26:4-5 *“And I will make your descendants multiply as the stars of heaven; I will give to your descendants all these lands; and in your seed **all the nations of the earth shall be blessed; because Abraham obeyed My voice and kept My charge, My commandments, My statutes, and My laws.**”*

This is what was special about Abraham he was obedient and we are to be like him. Yes, we are to be seeking after righteousness just as Abraham did.

07/15/12 SN – You have done well My child, You must continue on down the path of righteousness, Every step gets easier, You are learning.

The Keys

Thus far the Lord has encouraged us to be righteous. He has advised us to not become complacent. We are to listen for Him. We are to look to Him for our guidance.

07/13/12 BT – Listen to My small still voice (1 Kings 19:12). I AM here with you, always. Listen and hear what I say. I say to you, I AM the way. I AM the truth. I AM the light. It is not possible to make it through what is coming upon the earth and man without Me. You must abide in Me. Without Me you will not make it. You will perish. Please do not take this lightly. This is serious. It will be upon you sooner than you think. Get into My Secret Place. It takes time to make the keys. There is no time to waste.

So what are these keys that the Lord is talking about? Maybe we can begin our discovery of the keys through this:

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The Lord loves His people and always makes a way out for them; it is a surety. The problem is that sometimes we miss the protection that is available because of our own doctrines and personal ideas of faith, not knowing the ways and plans of the Lord.

We must understand that God had a plan and protections for the righteous when He flooded the earth, as well as when He told Joseph to take Mary to Egypt for protection (Matthew 2:13). God had a plan **and protection** for Israel when He sent the death angel to the first born of the Egyptians.

The key to these types of protections is always obedience to **what God reveals as His plan.**

Okay, so we've learned that obedience is very important. I think it is one of the keys the Lord was talking about but I think that there are more. I guess we have to remember that the Lord said, It takes time to make the keys plural. So, it seems like that there are probably going to be more in addition to obedience. But up to this point, I think we have discovered, that the first and foremost key that we are to deal with is being obedient unto the Lord. Yes, this is what we have learned thus far. This, I think, is the first key.

07/12/12 CN - Come to Me and all My ways, Focus is your key, Obedience is your key, Keep your torch lit.

07/18/12 MVA - Obedience key. Quick obedience quick forward movement. Momentum gaining. Much is accomplished. Keep walking hand in hand with your God Jesus. Opportunities come with obedience. Stay obedient stay focused on your God Jesus.

So what exactly are these remaining keys that we are to make?

The second key or thing we must do, I believe, is to follow all the steps the Lord has laid out for us to in order to get into His Secret Place. We discussed the Secret Place last week in lesson 95, some of which I would like to repeat here because I believe it is that important.

Psalm 91

He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High Shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

The Lord gave the prophet a vision in the night concerning the Secret Place. You can find it on the THH website at <http://www.takehisheart.com/secretplaceofthemothigh.htm>

In the night I saw a fine vertical line come down from above. Immediately on the left side the words, "Lord, here I am" came down. The words were vertical. Before they reached the bottom, on the right side the vertical words, "Lord, here I am. What do you want me to do?" came down, also entering the picture. All the words reached the bottom and were there for an instant, almost like bouncing, and then they lifted back up out of sight vertically as they had come in. I knew in the vision the left side was the Secret Place and that God was giving a fine line difference of being there and not being there.

The person on the left simply stated, "Lord, here I am"; while the person on the right asked a question which thereby demand a response, "Lord, here I am. What do you want me to do?" Self got into it. This person is not being reverent. At first glance it seems like this person is merely seeking out the Lord. However, once we look closer we can see the subtle difference. This person is making the Lord answer them by asking a question. They are demanding a response.

Emerging from the scene, it was easy for me to see "self" in the words that were on the right. God has been dealing with us about "the Secret Place" & "self" (pride).

(Psalms 91:1)

He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High (possessor of heaven and earth) shall abide (sit) under the shadow of the Almighty.

This person does not have self, just as the person on the left side did not have self. This person is submitting to the Almighty. This person is "under" Him. This person is being reverent.

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The Lord said, "You cannot walk hand in hand with me as My bride and have "Self."

This has everything to do with what the Lord told us years ago when He brought us together, "I'm looking for obedience, not accomplishment."

You can see from this demonstration that abiding in the Secret Place involves first, giving up self and secondly, relying upon the Lord. So these are the second set of keys.

This week the Lord said this:

07/11/12 CT – Food for thought, all I have taught you is food for thought. Think on this. Review your flow chart, the website and the Bible, all provide food as does the God Calling book. Try to understand and relate to Me as both Lord and Savior and friend. My Bride will understand My heart, take peace and security in this.

07/16/12 DP - Take an account of all I have given, can you explain? Keep all tools and keys provided for necessary use. Building bigger picture, kingdom building, adding line upon line and precept upon precept. I AM revealing My desires to My beloved.

We will use all He has given us to help us down this path. We will use all He has given us to help us make the keys. This food will help us to completely rely on Him.

And now's a good time for us to stop and look closer at what the Lord has said about doing just that, about relying on Him.

Rely on the Lord

The definition of rely is to depend confidently, to put trust in. Isn't that what the Lord is asking us to do? He is asking us to confidently depend upon Him. He is asking us to put all our trust in Him. He is saying,

07/18/12 MVA - Always look to Me Jesus not self not world. I AM your guidance and instruction. Stay focused.

Psalm 118:8 *It is better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in man.*

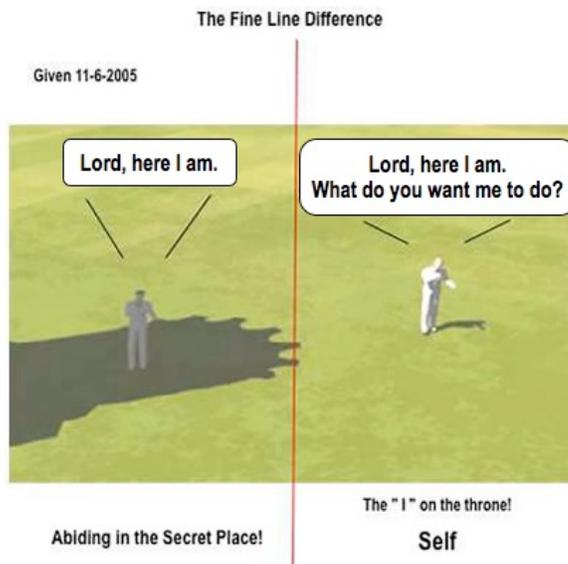
Proverbs 3:5 *Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.*

Isaiah 26:2-4 *Open the gates that the righteous nation which keeps the truth may enter in. You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on You, because he trusts in You. Trust in the LORD forever, for in YAH, the LORD, is everlasting strength.*

When Moses was speaking to the children of Israel he commanded their obedience. He taught them that they should rely upon the Lord their God.

Deuteronomy 4:1-7 *"Now, O Israel, listen to the statutes and the judgments which I teach you to observe, that you may live, and go in and possess the land which the LORD God of your fathers is giving you. You shall not add to the word which I command you, nor take from it, that you may keep the commandments of the LORD your God which I command you.*

Your eyes have seen what the LORD did a Baal Peor; for the LORD your God has destroyed from among you all the men who followed Baal of Peor. But you who held fast to



the LORD your God are alive today, every one of you. Surely I have taught you statutes and judgments, just as the LORD my God commanded me, that you should act according to them in the land which you go to possess.

Therefore be careful to observe them, for this is your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the people who will hear all these statutes, and say, 'Surely this great nations is a wise and understanding people.' For what great nation is there that has God so near to it, as the LORD our God is to us, **for whatever reason we may call upon Him?**

We can see from what the Lord has taught us here that relying on Him, calling on Him, is not only important for ourselves but it is equally important for others to see in us as well. Yes, our reliance upon Him is important because it provides a demonstration others will see.

Psalm 50:15 *Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me.*

Therefore we must be obedience unto what He is teaching us:

07/14/12 DP - Trust Me in all issues it is My desire to guide you.

07/16/12 MVA - My guidance yes Jesus. You have done well to seek My guidance. I Protect My Beloved from wrong choices. They need only ask and I will reveal. Direction and guidance must be followed to have benefit. I have a better plan yes Jesus. Protection abides in Me Jesus. Scope of work determined. Seek your God Jesus in all.

07/16/12 DP - Receive instruction, be quick to do, obedience opens doors unknown to man. Stay focused on task at hand all will be revealed in My timing. Obedience without self is well pleasing. Listen for all instruction I will give at will.

07/17/12 MVA – Revealer, I AM the revealer of all. Look to your God Jesus in all for all. The world has much pollution and mixture. Do not partake of the ways of the world. Be careful of false doctrines it may sound good but it is not of Me Jesus. You must focus totally on Me Jesus. I will reveal what needs be.

07/18/12 CT - Do not try to answer all the questions yourself. I AM here for you. I will be there to help you address your issues. Seek Me out. Come to Me. Is this not what those in marriage would do, call upon their husband? You must call on ME as well.

Psalm 55:16 *As for me, I will call upon God, and the LORD shall save me.*

The Lord has taught us how to keep a flow book. He has taught us how to study His word, by adding precept upon precept. And now He is beginning to teach us about having judgment meetings as well. (You can learn more about Judgment Meetings at this link <http://www.takehisheart.com/quickstartjudgementsmeeting.htm>)

Yes, we can definitely see His guidance in our lives. All this guidance will help us to become His jewels which is the next section we will look at.

His Jewels

This week the Lord also spoke to us about jewels. As we learn about these jewels we will see how they are connected to all the rest He has spoken of this week. So let's see what we can discover about jewels.

First, a jewel is a person or thing that is treasured, esteemed, or indispensable.

The Lord also mentions jewels in the bible. Here is some of what He has said in regards to jewels.

Exodus 19:5 *Now therefore, if you will indeed obey My voice and keep My covenant, then you shall be a special treasure to Me above all people; for all the earth is Mine.*

But these people who are a special treasure, a jewel, to the Lord are described even further in the following verses:

Malachi 3:16-18 *Then those who feared the LORD spoke to one another, and the LORD listened and heard them; so a book of remembrance was written before Him for those who fear the LORD and who meditate on His name. "They shall be mine," says the LORD of hosts, "**On the day that I make them My jewels.** And I will spare them as a man spares his own son who serves him." Then you shall again discern between the righteous and the wicked, between the one who serves God and the one who does not serve Him.*

Zechariah 9:16 *The LORD their God will save them in that day, as the flock of His people. For they shall be like the jewels of a crown, lifted like a banner over His land.*

These people think of the Lord. They meditate on Him. And they listen to His voice. They will be His. They will learn the difference between good and evil, righteousness and wickedness. They will be His jewels.

In the book of Revelations the Lamb's wife is described as a jewel.

Revelations 21:9-12 *Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls filled with the seven last plagues came to me and talked with me, saying, "Come, I will show you the bride, the Lamb's wife." And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great and high mountain, and showed me the great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God, having the glory of God. Her light was like a most precious stone, like a jasper stone, clear as crystal. Also she had a great and high wall with twelve gates, and twelve angels at the gates, and names written on them, which are the names of the twelve tribes of the children of Israel...*

Now is the time, the Lord is now calling us to be His jewel. But how will we become this treasure, this jewel? Well, in the words He gave this week, He is asking us to shine for Him. He is asking us to be the person He wants us to be. Remember, our reliance upon Him will be a demonstration.

07/17/12 CT – Jewels, be my jewel. Shine for me! Be the person I want you to be. Prepare yourself now. Do those things I have instructed you to do. Arrange your time better. Make better use of it. Sense my presence. Be available. Structure, have structure, like early to bed, early to rise. Read your flow chart to remember all I have said recently.

Summation

Isaiah 61:10 *I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, My soul shall be joyful in my God; for He has clothed me with the garments of salvation, He has covered me with the robe of righteousness, As a bridegroom decks himself with ornaments, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.*

And the Lord added this:

07/13/12 FJ- When you seek me I am here.

07/14/12 SN - Be humble, Focus on Me, This is not as hard as it seems, You are learning, All is well. Remember to listen, Knowledge is key.

07/17/12 BT – I AM King of Kings and Lord of Lords. All the earth will bow down before Me. Hope springs eternal in Me. Find Me and find joy, peace, and love everlasting; stay close, stay attentive. Learn My ways, make them your ways. My Plan is victory. Victory is in Me.

07/17/12 BN – Do not fret My child, For as I have said many times no one is perfect, Your heart and attitude are what I cherish, If they are in the right place...your obedience and actions will follow, Let Me into your heart so I may fill it with light, The anxieties and pressures.

07/18/12 MVA - Beautiful. Not all is correction. Much to accomplish in a short time. With limited time comes limited focus. That is why much correction. With much refinement comes much correction. Much must fit in a small window of time. Preparation almost complete. Many things are on horizon. Placements must be made locations set. Much guidance and instruction to be received and acted upon. Obedience key. Quick obedience quick forward movement. Momentum gaining. Much is accomplished. Keep walking hand in hand with your God Jesus.

Now is the time for us to be His jewels. Now is the time for us to be covered with a robe of righteousness. Now is the time for us to shine for Him. Now is the time for us to be the person He wants us to be. Now is the time to prepare.

May the Lord Bless and Keep You,
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