Lesson 165 The Lord’s Plan

New corridors, new paths, are opening up for My chosen few. There is much work to be done. You must be prepared to operate in your gifts. My people are My hands and feet. They are My representatives on the earth. They do My bidding. My Plan will come about, all in good time. Be focused. Have your ears open for hearing and your eyes open for seeing. Be prepared to carry out My Plan. That is all for now, go in peace.

Introduction

In today’s lesson we will be talking about the Lord’s plans, plans that He has made for each one of us, not only individually but corporately, as well. He is calling His people into action. He is calling us to be His hands and feet, His representatives on the earth. But this is going to take work on our part. It is going to take focus and discipline. And we must be prepared to operate in the gifts He has given because they have a part in His plan. Basically, they have been given to us with a purpose and we must be prepared to use them in order to carry out the Lord’s plan.

Now when one speaks of the Lord’s plans, one might think of the prophet Jeremiah, and the message the Lord gave him to deliver to the people. It may even lead you to remember this verse from that very same book that said:

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’s plan for Jeremiah included him warning the people of their impending destruction and captivity. He was angry because they were worshiping false gods and burning sacrifices to them, however, even though the Israelites faced certain destruction and seventy years-worth of captivity, the Lord ultimately assured them that He would still bring them a future of hope as evidenced through the verse above.

Now the Prophet Jeremiah, he delivered the Lord’s message back in the day. He was a man who did the Lord’s bidding. We could say that the Lord had a plan for his life and he walked that path; but what you may not realize is that the Lord has prophets today too. They are just ordinary, everyday kind of guys, who are doing the Lord’s bidding,
just as Jeremiah did. Here, in fact, is one of the messages from the Lord, as delivered through one of His prophets of today. This message was given through Prophet Roy and it can be found in the article entitled “Uncharted Waters”. I have included these words because they go right along with today’s lesson. Here are the words the Lord gave Roy:

I and My Father are One, yet My Father remains My Father and I remain the Son. We are one in covenant. We are one in truth. We are one in desire and plan. We are one in purpose. I desire for you to come into covenant with Me. I desire you to come into one truth. I am that truth. I am God and I change not. Understand this beyond what you have understood. You must allow Me to change you. You must allow Me to change your ways and plans, for I am unchangeable. I am calling you to be My hands and feet. I am calling you to bear My Name in the earth according to My plan, My ways, My pattern of doing things. My ways are not your ways.

He likewise has a plan for you and it is a plan filled with His joy as evidenced through this....

02/10/14 - Breathe Me in deeply, experience My joy, My complete joy, I give My Bride. Blessings for My Beloved in abundance I pour out, you must receive. Always recognize where your blessings flow from. I would give My Bride everything because she pleases Me greatly. You each are so dear to Me. I will protect you because I love you but hard times are coming. You will have to be ready. Continue to follow instruction. My plan is laid out. I will give you piece by piece, receive each, and act on it, no time to waste. We have the victory.

The Lord’s plans have been made. He will lay them out for you. We just have to be ready and willing to follow the instructions He provides.

**Romans 8:28** And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

You have been called with a purpose. You have been given special gifts that you are to operate in. And yes, the Lord has a plan for you, but you must be prepared to see, hear and operate in it for today.

**New Paths**

In the introduction section of today’s lesson we learned that the Lord has a plan for each one of us. We have been called according to His purposes but as noted in “Uncharted Waters” we must allow Him to change our ways and our plans for He is unchangeable.
In last week’s lesson you may recall that the Lord said, you should walk in Jesus because Jesus is truth. He is the fulfillment. He is the completion. Truth is real. There is no falsehood within it and isn’t this Jesus? What we learned last week is that truth is unalterable or it becomes falsehood. Jesus walked perfectly in the Lord’s ways. He was the fulfillment, the completion of truth and we were encouraged to walk as He walked because He walked in the Lord’s ways. Today’s lesson reinforces that message in that it is teaching us to follow the ways of the Lord, just as Jesus did. The Lord had a plan and Jesus walked in that plan. He, too, has a plan that we are to walk in but we must exchange our ways for His. Accordingly, we must walk in the:

New corridors, new paths, (that) are opening up for My chosen few.

Therefore, one could say that the Lord is preparing the way for you. He wants to lead you to a newness of life in Him.

Romans 6:4 Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.

This concept, however, of the Lord preparing each of us for our journey with Him, this is not new. It has, in fact, been spoken of over numerous times in the past. For example:

Psalm 16:11 You will show me the path of life; In Your presence is fullness of joy; At Your right hand are pleasures forevermore.
Psalm 23:3 He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths of righteousness For His name's sake.
Proverbs 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.
Proverbs 4:11 I have taught you in the way of wisdom; I have led you in right paths.
Isaiah 2:3 Many people shall come and say, "Come, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, To the house of the God of Jacob; He will teach us His ways, And we shall walk in His paths." For out of Zion shall go forth the law, And the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.

So you can see that He takes an active part in our walk with Him. He will direct our path. Plans have been made. And through the current Rhema word He said:

01/26/14 - Those who wait upon Me shall be renewed; remind them; be renewed; allow Me, allow My plans, allow My timing; no jumping to conclusions; wait for My instructions; all of them; do not cut Me off; do not.
01/30/14 - It is my plan coming forth. I took on all your transgressions. I will continue to work on your behalf.

02/04/14 - You will see how great and mighty My plans are. Neglect not. Come, see, I have so much for you. Spend more time with Me. I set you on your path. Continue on.

The Lord will lead you down His path because He continues to work on your behalf. Therefore, neglect Him not. Spend more time with Him and follow His instructions as He guides you through His plan; as He opens up new corridors and new paths for you.

**January 6th God Calling** - You must pray. The way will open. God cares and His plans unfold. Just love and wait.

**January 29th God Calling** - "Never fear, whatever may happen. You are both being led."

"*Wait on the Lord.*" - Psalm 27:14

I am thy shield. Have no fear. You must know that "All is well." I will never let anyone do to you both, other than My Will for you. I can see the future. I can read men's hearts. I know better than you what you need. Trust me absolutely. You are not at the mercy of Fate, or buffeted about by others. **You are being led in a very definite way**, and others, who do not serve your purpose, are being moved out of your Path by Me.

Never fear, whatever may happen. You are both being led. Do not try to plan. I have planned. You are the builder, not the Architect. Go very quietly, very gently. All is for the very best for you. Trust me for all. Your very extremity will ensure My activity for you. **And having your foundation on the Rock - Christ, Faith in Him**, and "being rooted and grounded in Him," and having belief in My Divinity as your Corner Stone, it is yours to build, knowing all is well.

Literally, you have to depend on Me for everything - everything. It was out of the depths that David cried unto Me, and I heard his voice. All is well.

"*The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord.*" - Psalm 37:23

New corridors and new paths are being opened up for you. The Lord has a plan and He is calling it forth. What we are essentially saying is that, Jesus is preparing the way for you, leading you into a newness of life in Him. And it’s all occurring in His timing. We just have to follow His lead, His instruction, His guidance and all will be well.

**Work**

In the previous section we learned that the Lord is opening up new paths for us to walk in. We are finding a newness of life in Jesus by walking in His truth, His perfection, and by following His example of moving forward in the Lord’s plans. Basically, we learned that we are being led and we should not try to plan because the Lord said, I have
planned. But what we are about to learn here is that “walking” and/or “moving forward” both of these are action words which in turns means that:

There is much work to be done.

And it is work that we will be doing not only corporately but individually as well because as the Lord said in Romans 8, *all things work together for good*, therefore…

You must be prepared to operate in your gifts.

You may recall in the introduction section we said that you have been called with a purpose. You have been given special gifts that you are to operate in. And yes, the Lord has a plan for you, but you must be prepared to see, hear and operate in that plan today. And you can be assured that it is a plan that will involve the utilization of your own special gifts. This is because He gave them to you with a purpose. Purpose/Plan….Do we see a connection here?

In recent days the Lord has spoken to us of details. Well plans always have steps or details in them so let’s see what the Lord has said about this,

12/16/13 - Bells and whistles, I’s dotted and T’s crossed, Get it all done, don’t neglect the small details. Celebration takes place in heaven over each success. From chaos to order, from dark to light, move forward in the details. Move forward in obedience. Move forward in excellence. See My wondrous working power. See all that can be accomplished through your obedience, through your demonstrated faith. Progress, progress, progress.

01/05/14 - Be Still before Me and My hosts, the fiery furnace is nothing to what you will behold. Man has not seen yet. Show no dismay, see beyond, go beyond, stay in My footsteps, trust - vital vital. Use your gifts, ignore not, mantles, details, people, details.

01/18/14 - My message; firm focus on Me; on what I am doing; on what I say; take it all in; gather My details; details of understanding; more to ensue; grasp as I reveal.

01/25/14 - Keep focus on your God Jesus and I will direct. Details important. Opportunities taken. Must be walked out. Guidance required. Look to your God Jesus in all. Momentum keep it going.

01/31/14 - Yes, there is a divine plan. I work all the details, the small as well as the large. I guide you. I commune with you. Listen to My voice. Pause and listen. I am moving in the earth. I AM making good out of even the bad. I work miracles every day. My angels move and interact with you upon My direction. Yes, that’s right, I AM involved. I AM
active. I AM at work, therefore, never fear for I AM is on the scene. I’m in charge – submit and receive peace. All is well.

02/01/14 - On target. Continue. Speak as you have spoken. Power in your words. Power and authority given by your God Jesus. I AM in the details. Look deeply see the depth. I AM showing revelation to each. Each must move forward in understanding. Understanding comes in time with your God Jesus.

By comparing spiritual to spiritual we have once again confirmed the facts. The Lord has a plan. He works in all the details, the small as well as the large. He is guiding you in this plan. You just have to follow the instruction and guidance of Your God Jesus. And you are to use the gifts He has given you as they can be considered as one of the details involved in His plan. Because, yes, He gave them to you with a purpose.

**Romans 12:4-8**  For as we have many members in one body, but all the members do not have the same function, so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another. Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness.

Therefore you must use your gifts. And when you do, do this, then you will experience something that is very wonderful, beyond compare even as noted in these passages:

**January 25th God Calling** - Seek to carry out all I say, and such understanding, insight, vision, and joy will be yours as shall pass indeed all understanding. The plans of God are very wonderful - beyond your highest hopes.

**Isaiah 58:11** And the Lord will guide you continually and satisfy your desire in scorched places and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters do not fail.

Thus far in this section the Lord has taught us that there is much work to be done and using our gifts is a part of this work. We discovered that the Lord gets into all the details of His plan, both large and small. He plans everything out and the gifts we have, they were given with a purpose (in other words they are a part of the details). His plan obviously is massive in scope. More than we could ever come to know or understand but of His Plan and of our work involved therein, He has said this:

01/24/14 - My perfect will and plan being brought forth in the earth/ I have My Jewels each of you magnificent in My sight.

01/26/14 - You don’t have to know or understand every part of My Plan, you just have to step out in faith and move forward with Me each and every day.
01/27/14 - Let Me prepare them, you guide them back to Me, this will cause My plan to be fulfilled.

02/01/14 - Blessings abound by continually staying within My will. Constant obedience necessary, it’s the little things that let the enemy in. Fear not each on path to perfection; nothing will stop My plan. I have ordained this since the beginning of time. I am calling it forth, now is the time. I will shake the nations foundation from beneath their feet they must be shaken awake. I have been ignored for too long and calamity is soon coming. I do not desire to destroy any; I laid down My life to save many, even all, but rejecting Me chooses death and so you shall reap. This must needs be, be prepared. Stay in covenant My Bride. Play not, serious times ahead.

02/02/14 - I AM here. There is much work to be done and I AM preparing you for it. Remain obedient in all things.

The Lord has a plan, we are to work in that plan and we are to utilize or operate in the gifts (the small details) that He has given with purpose....

**Ephesians 2:10** For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Hence, we have been prepared for good works. Earlier we noted that walking and moving, these are actions words that mean doing or being active in the Lord, i.e. actively following His Plan, therefore when the Lord says that we have been prepared for good works, then He is saying that, He has given us the gifts (the tools that we will need) and that we should be prepared to operate in them as they are one of the details of His Plan.

**Representative on the Earth**

Thus far in the lesson we have learned that the Lord has a plan for each of us and He is calling us to walk in His plan. We also read an excerpt from “Uncharted Waters” where we learned that part of His plan includes us changing as He is unchangeable. He is truth and perfection. He cannot be changed or altered, because a shift one way or the other would bring falsehood and imperfection into Him. Therefore, we are the ones who must change. We must follow His perfect guidance and instruction because there is work for us to do. Likewise, we must be prepared to operate in the gifts He has given, because they are a detail, a part, of His overall plan. In the next portion of today’s message the Lord provides additional information in regards to our working for Him. It came through these words:

My people are My hands and feet. They are My representatives on the earth. They do My bidding.
Now if we were to compare spiritual to spiritual, or one could say, if we were to compare today’s words with the words from “Uncharted Water” then we would see a similarity of message. For example,

In “Uncharted Waters” the Lord stated:

I am calling you to be My hands and feet. I am calling you to bear My Name in the earth according to My plan, My ways, My pattern of doing things.

And in today’s message:

My people are My hands and feet. They are My representatives on the earth. They do My bidding.

These messages are very similar aren’t they? They both essentially say that the Lord’s people will be acting as His agent or minister following His instruction, His way of doing things, at His direction. He said that we are His hands and feet, His representative. A good example of you being seen as a representative of the Lord comes through the correct pattern for delivering the tithe. You may, in fact, remember this from the THH website where it says:

If you were a servant, a liaison to a King, how would you act and handle His business? If you were told by the King to deliver a car, or money to someone for him, what would you say when you delivered it? You would say, "The King sent this to you" or, "The King said to give this to you." If you just gave it, you would get the credit and not the King. Jesus gave to the poor all the time and when a disciple delivered this wealth to a widow, the poor, or the oppressed, they would say, "The Lord said to give this to you." They gave the Lord's wealth in His name because they believed He was a King.

Another way of looking at what the Lord is teaching us here (completely separate from the tithe) would be for us to think of the Lord saying something like this to us. He would be saying something like: “I will be using you and your gifts as a part of My Plan. You will represent Me on the earth.” And once again through these remarks we can see purpose and detail can’t we? It reminds me of another verse from the book of Jeremiah that says:

**Jeremiah 1:5** “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”
What the Lord is teaching us here is that He has had a purpose for you since the beginning of time just as He did Jeremiah. He knew you before you were formed in the womb. His plan is complete and you have a purpose within that Plan, therefore, He is calling you as His representative, to do His bidding on the earth.

02/12/13 - Be My Representative. Be Mine.
03/13/13 - Learn of Me, walk in My ways flawless, legal representative you are, you are chosen for the cause, let nothing stop your determination, for this purpose were you created, fulfill all I have for you to do, take great pride in your service to Me.
08/29/13 - Speak to My people, let them know I love them and care. Let them feel My love through you. You are to be My representative. Be selfless, help those in need, taking no thought for yourself; in this I would be well pleased.
11/17/13 - You are My representative in the earth. Display Me well. Let the world see and marvel.
01/17/14 - Much coming to pass, remember that each moment you are with Me and you are My representative, therefore, you must be conscious of your words and your actions as they have power. Put thought into them. Show them My heart. In this I will be well pleased.

As I read these words where the Lord is telling us to be conscious of our words and actions because they have power, as I read of Him telling us to let His people know that He loves them and cares them, as I read this, it reminded me of the time when Jesus served His disciples.

The setting for this story is the upper room where Jesus and His disciple had just had their feast of Passover. When the supper had ended, and Jesus knew that Judas was about to betray him, He rose after supper and He laid his outer garments to the side, and then He girded Himself with a towel. After which Jesus proceeded to wash His disciple’s feet and once He had finished He asked them if they understood what He had done. He said to them,

**John 13:13-17** You call me Teacher and Lord, and you say well, for so I am. If then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another’s feet. For I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done to you. Most assuredly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master; nor is he who is sent greater than he who sent him. If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them.

Jesus taught us a lesson through this act of service to His disciples. He not only taught us to serve others but He also taught us to follow His example. And the example He left us is that He always followed the will of His Father in heaven. He never stepped out of
the Father’s plan. The King of Kings even went so far as to wash the feet of the disciples. We, likewise, are to follow the will of the Father and that is why He said,

My people are My hands and feet. They are My representatives on the earth. They do My bidding.

What we are talking about here is being obedient unto the Father, following His instruction and living within His will; this is the best way we can represent Him.

His Plan

In the last section of this lesson we talked about living within the Father’s will and being His representative on the earth. But we also talked about acting as the Lord’s hands and feet delivering the service, all the while, recognizing Him as the author of the aforementioned plan of which He also stated:

My Plan will come about, all in good time. Be focused. Have your ears open for hearing and your eyes open for seeing. Be prepared to carry out My Plan.

As we have already established that it is the Lord’s plan that we are to follow, our next step would be for us to figure out where He is leading us, so that we can carry out His plan. In the bible, it tells us that our steps have been ordered and established by the Lord.

Psalms 37:23 The steps of a man are established by the Lord, when he delights in his way;

Psalm 40:2 He also brought me up out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established My steps.

This means that He is going to guide us along the way but we must be careful to discern the perfect will of God.

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.

Consequently, we must not allow the world to distract us. We must instead renew our mind in the Lord. But how is our mind renewed? And how do we learn to discern the will of the Lord? Our mind is renewed and we learn to discern His will by following the guidance of His Holy Spirit. But we are also renewed as we study and become obedient unto the word He gives. Essentially one could say that we are restored as we learn to
live in the presence of the Lord, acknowledging Him in our lives. The Psalmist understood that it was the Lord alone who restores.

Psalm 80:3 *Restore us, O God; Cause Your face to shine, And we shall be saved!*

And the Prophet Isaiah speaks of our Lord as well:

Isaiah 49:6 *Indeed He says, ‘It is too small a thing that You should be My servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and to restore the preserved ones of Israel; I will also give you as a light to the Gentiles, that you should be My salvation to the ends of the earth.’*

We are restored through our Lord Jesus Christ. For it is only through His leading that we will ever come to know His divine plan.

01/31/14 - Yes, there is a divine plan. I work all the details, the small as well as the large. I guide you. I commune with you. Listen to My voice. Pause and listen. I am moving in the earth. I AM making good out of even the bad. I work miracles every day. My angels move and interact with you upon My direction. Yes, that’s right, I AM involved. I AM active. I AM at work, therefore, never fear for I AM is on the scene. I’m in charge – submit and receive peace. All is well.

02/06/14 - I will reveal My plan / I have orchestrated the pieces / I have called it forth / Mighty, Mighty, Mighty / written with the finger of God.

02/07/14 - Wait on Me. Man does not have the understanding necessary to make plans. Line upon line, that is how My instructions flow. You must wait for Me to give the next command. I must wait on you to carry out the last command. The less time I wait, the sharper the tool. How long do you make Me wait? Complete your task quickly and correctly. Do not interject self. I keep things simple one step at a time. Do not over complicate. Settle in. Let’s get to work.

02/08/14 - I am moving as never before/ My plan is unfolding little by little being carried out through My Beloved, this pleases Me greatly/ Continue forward momentum, much greatness is coming for My Bride Beloved.

02/09/14 - Simple plan, Keep being patient.

The Lord plan has been made. He will reveal it to you. And He will guide you along the path. You just have to pause and listen. Meet with Him and you will see that He works miracles every day. We just have to learn to be patient and wait on Him. His instructions will flow. He gives them one step at a time. Just this week He said that He is moving like never before, His plan is unfolding little by little and it will be carried out by His Beloved. Therefore, we must continue on in our forward momentum,
remembering, that His Plan will come about, all in good time. Be focused. Have your ears open for hearing and your eyes open for seeing. Yes, we must be prepared to carry out His Plan.

Summation

In today’s lesson we learned about the Lord’s plans, plans that He has made for each one of us, not only individually but corporately, as well. We learned that He is calling His people into action. He is calling us to be His hands and feet, His representatives on the earth. But what we learned is that this is going to take work on our part. It is going to take focus and discipline. We must also be prepared to operate in the gifts He has given because they were given as a part of His plan. Basically, He had a purpose for giving them and we must be prepared to use them in order to carry out the Lord’s plan.

Today’s lesson reinforced the message that Jesus walked perfectly in the Lord’s ways. He was the fulfillment, the completion of truth and we are encouraged to walk as He walked because He walked in the Lord’s ways. Therefore, we too are to walk in the Lord’s ways. The Lord had a plan and Jesus walked in that plan. He also has a plan that you are to walk in; but you must exchange your old ways for His. In today’s message the Lord said:

New corridors, new paths, are opening up for My chosen few. There is much work to be done. You must be prepared to operate in your gifts. My people are My hands and feet. They are My representatives on the earth. They do My bidding. My Plan will come about, all in good time. Be focused. Have your ears open for hearing and your eyes open for seeing. Be prepared to carry out My Plan.

Most plans have steps that have to be walked out in order for the plan to reach completion. The Lord’s plan is no different. We each have a purpose in the overall scheme of His Plan. Hence the need for focus, and having eyes and ears open that we might be prepared to carry out His Plan. The Lord said that it was going to take work and that we must be prepared to operate in our gifts since we are His representatives on the earth. We have been called to do His bidding and He is opening up new paths, new corridors that this might come pass. Remember, however, that he said, that it was a Simple plan. He won’t give you anything you can’t handle.

01/10/14 – Stay faithful in Me so much to be done/ My Bride must work no one else can do your job for you I have chosen you to accomplish your tasks/ Would I have chosen you if you were not able to accomplish?/ Then know you are well able to handle all that I set before you to do.

The Lord’s plans are perfection, it is as the bible says:
1 Corinthians 2:9 But, as it is written, “What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him”.

The Lord has prepared a path just for you. He is opening new doors, new paths for you to walk down as His representative, He has given you gifts that will help you on this journey, yes, His plans are so awesome that we can’t even begin to imagine what all they might be. We just need to listen and be obedient unto Him. May the Lord bless you as you move forward in this.

Blessings,
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