## Places in Prayer - 3

#### Intro

### I. TIMES OF TURNING

Pondering the essentials, the things that produce and reproduce Eden, Heaven on Earth, a holy culture and civilization.

## A. Moments on Which History Pivots

Mary —> Let it be to me according to your word.

Human response to Divine Initiative that changed the World - seeds that became Western Civilization.

### **B. True North - Truly Human**

**Truth** outlives all the heresies, paganism, all the selfishness and anger of 2000 years.

Col. 1:27 The mystery hidden for ages and generations now revealed... *Christ in you, the hope of glory*.

## II. DIMENSIONS IN PRAYER

Acts 2:17 I will pour my Spirit on all flesh.

The spiritual dimension is now accessible to everyone.

John 14:2 NASB "In My Father's house are many dwelling places;...
al go to prepare a place\* for you. Slide 1

\* topos - a space or dimension; task, a role of activity and responsibility; position, rank of a person in a group; possibility, chance, opportunity

Places in the Spirit in which you've been given a task, responsibility, a position, a rank, and a possibility

### PRAYER PLACES

- **1. Secret Place** (Father) causes things to shift in the natural so everyone can see it. **Slides 2 & 3**
- Mt 6:6 But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to **your Father** who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret **will reward you**.
- 2. Council of the Lord (FRIEND) No adversary. In the OT, these were the prophets, in the NT this is for us all. <u>Slide 4</u>
  John 15:15 I no longer call you servants, I call you *friends*.
  Abraham stood before the Lord. ...Elijah ...
  A place in which we **stand** in authority to determin.
- **3. Courtroom of Heaven** (JUDGE) Decisions are made. The adversary is permitted in the courtroom. ἀντίδικος legal adversary. Looking for a legal means to deny individuals and nations of their destiny. <u>Slide 5</u>
- Luke 18:1 And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. 3 kept coming..., 'Give me justice against my adversary.' [Avenge & Protect me!]
- **4. Throne of Grace** (High Priest and Intercessor) A dimension into which we can **come boldly**. *Slide* 6
- Heb. 4:14 Since we have a **great High Priest** let us hold fast *our* confession.
- 16 Let us then <u>with confidence draw near</u> [ NKJ come boldly] to the **throne** of **grace**, that we may **obtain mercy** and **find grace** to help in time of need.
- Rest (Jesus Seated) A whisper can shift nations. Place of Rulership. WORK FROM REST <u>Slide 7</u>
- Psalm 110:1 The LORD says to my Lord: "**Sit** at my right hand, **until** I make your enemies your **footstool**."

6. Mount Zion (Our Place of Co-Rule) Slide 8

House of Prayer FOR THE Nations. GEORGIAN SHIFT

- Ps 110:2 The LORD sends forth **from Zion** your mighty scepter. Rule **in the midst** of your enemies!
- Is. 56:7 these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples (nations)."

Governmental prayer that releases God's authority over nations.

- 7. **Mysteries** He that speaks in an unknown tongue. What's written in the book is decoded through **glossolalia**. **Slide 9**
- 1Cor. 14:1 Pursue love, and earnestly desire the spiritual gifts, especially that you may prophesy.
- 2 For one who speaks in a tongue speaks not to men but to God; for no one understands him, but he utters mysteries in the Spirit.
- 3 On the other hand, the one who prophesies speaks to people for their **upbuilding** and **encouragement** and **consolation**.

Wimber - Build up, Stir up, Cheer up

- 4 The one who speaks in a tongue builds up himself, but the one who prophesies builds up the church.
- 5 Now I want you all to speak in tongues, but even more to prophesy. The one who prophesies is greater than the one who speaks in tongues, unless someone interprets, so that the church may be built up.
- 13 Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray that he may interpret. 14 For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. 15 What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my

spirit, but I will sing with my mind also. 16 ...bless... 17 ...give thanks...

# Unsealed Prophetic Insights - the seals are opened through process Necessary Human Co-laboring with God

Intercession pulls into reality all that Jesus died for.

**Books** of cities, states and nations **need to be opened**.

## 8. Trading Floors – powerful place of exchange Slide 10

We give something and get something. Both in the Holy Spirit and in the great rebellion.

- Isa 61:1NKJ "The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon Me,
  Because the LORD has anointed Me
  To preach good tidings to the poor;
  He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted,
  To proclaim liberty to the captives,
  And the opening of the prison to those who are bound;
- To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD, And the day of vengeance of our God; To comfort all who mourn,
- To **console** those who mourn in Zion,
  To give them (a crown of) **beauty** for **ashes**, *Slide 11*The oil of **joy** for **mourning**,
  The garment of **praise** for the spirit of **heaviness**;
  That they may be called trees of righteousness,
  The planting of the LORD, that He may be glorified."
- 4 And they shall **rebuild** the old ruins,
  They shall **raise up** the former desolations,
  And they shall **repair** the ruined cities,
  The desolations of many generations.
- But you shall be **named the priests** of the LORD, They shall call you the **servants of our God**.

10 I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, <u>Slide 12</u>
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.

### III. APPLICATIONS

## A. Timing is Everything —

It's deadly to get distracted in a kairos moment.

2Cor. 6:1 NIV As **God's fellow workers** we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain. 2 For he says, "In the **time of my favor** I heard you, and in the **day of salvation** I helped you." I tell you, **now** is the time of God's favor, now is the day of salvation.

### **IMAGE BEARER - PRIEST - KING in Everything we DO or SAY**

We stand as the **IMAGE** and LIKENESS of the Creator within the Temple of Creation. Restored in Christ, recreated as New Creation, we have more potential than we can understand.

Image or Idol?

A SURPASSING GLORY is SHINING IN OUR HEARTS!

**Behold, Become, Reflect, Transformation** into same glory **As Christ is, so are we in this world!** 

You are the Light of the world.

Keep yourself from idols.

2Cor. 5:16 From now on, therefore, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we once regarded Christ according to the flesh, we regard him thus no longer.

- 17 Therefore, if **anyone** is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.
- 18 All this is from **God**, who **through Christ reconciled us** to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation;.

No longer evaluate or categorize anyone according to the flesh.

We are full of Glory

- 2Cor. 3:8 And we all, with unveiled face, beholding (as in a mirror NKJ)<sup>1</sup> the glory of the Lord, are being transformed<sup>2</sup> into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.
- 2Cor. 4:6 For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

The Glory of God - a fully alive human!

### III. CONCLUSION

It's deadly to get distracted in a kairos moment.

- 1. PRAY FAST
- 2. VOTE

**EKKLESIA** of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven

### 3. STAY IN LOVE! NO NEGATIVITY!!

1Jn 4:16 NIV And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  κατοπτρίζομαι - to reflect light from a source, see indirectly by reflection, see oneself in a mirror

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> μεταμορφόω – to change form

him. 17 *In this way*, love is made complete among us so that we will have confidence on the day of judgment, because **in this world we are like him**.

3. OVERFLOW WITH HOPE! The Heart of Effective Prayer

Ro 15:13 NIV May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust (in believing) in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Prayer for Power of Holy Spirit JOY PEACE HOPE