

## *Patterns of Reason and Revelation*

### **I. Pattern – It Starts with a Mess**

#### ***A. In the Beginning – The Universe Created***

**Gen 1:1** In the beginning, God **created** the heavens and the earth.

*Heaven and earth have not existed from all eternity, but had a beginning – created by God. This sentence, ... is ... a declaration of the primeval act of God, by which the universe was called into being.<sup>1</sup>*

*BARAH is always used to indicate divine creation of that which had no existence before -*

#### ***B. Deep Darkness and the Spirit of God***

**Gen 1:2** The earth was **without form** and **void**, and **darkness** was over the **face of the deep**. And the **Spirit of God** was **hovering** over the **face of the waters**.

“All this around you, it was waste and emptiness.” It was created that way, it WAS not BECAME..

“Darkness, obscurity, the inability to see or focus, was over the TEHOM.” The great abyss was formless and lifeless, no hint of of purpose or potential.”

“Ruach Elohim fluttered like a eagle above its nestlings, vibrating, shaking the darkness. He is Lord and Giver of Life. He is changing the bottomless abyss of nothingness into liquid potential. Now the TEHOM is called MAYIM - waters, separating, quickening, preparing for the words which will follow.”

By ourselves, we see **Bottomless Pits**, Insolvable Problems, Total Confusion, Horrible Relationships, Communications.

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<sup>1</sup> Keil & Delitzsch

Once the Holy Spirit is involved, the **obscurity is rearranged**, He shakes the darkness, separates and arranges. It's not static, it's fluid.

Ruach Elohim flutters over the **WATERS, now full of possibilities**. He is Lord and Giver of Life.

## **II. Creative Word Structures Chaos into Paradise – *Calls Forth the Potential Hidden in the Mess***

### ***A. Calling Forth and Separating***

**Gen 1:3** **And God said**, "Let there be light," and there was light. **4** And God **saw** that the light was **good**. And God **separated** the light from the darkness.

### ***B. Light and Living Water***

If anyone thirsts, let him come to me.

**Water continuously absorbs energy** from the environment. **[slide 1]**

The energy restructures the water at a molecular level. The energy is released optically, chemically, electrically, or mechanically.

**[slide 2]**

**Water becomes the engine of life.** **[slide 3]**

"No one really understands water. It's embarrassing to admit it, but the stuff that covers two-thirds of our planet is still a mystery. Worse, the more we look, the more the problems accumulate: new techniques probing deeper into the molecular architecture of liquid water are throwing up more puzzles." – Ball, Philip (1999): H<sub>2</sub>O: A Biography of Water.

"Life is water dancing to the tune of solids." Without that dance, there could be no life. - Albert Szent-Gyorgi

Water - we drink it, cook with it; wash, fish and swim in it, (hopefully not all at the same time).

Droughts cause famines. Floods cause death and disease.

It makes up over over half of us. Without it, we die within a few

days. Liquid water is a solvent, a solute, a reactant, a catalyst and a

biomolecule, structuring proteins and cells and controlling our consciousness. H<sub>2</sub>O is the second most common molecule in the Universe (behind hydrogen, H<sub>2</sub>).

There is a hundred times as many water molecules in our bodies than **the sum of all the other molecules put together**. Life cannot continue without liquid water.

***The Holy Spirit changes the DEEP to the WATERS***

### **III. Limits of Reason & Power of Creative Word *Calls Forth the Potential Hidden in the Mess***

#### **A. Chaos & Deep Darkness**

1987 – East and West -

Scottsdale (cocoon & butter)

Hbg - Davey Jo (man in the fall)

#### **B. Confusion**

1988 – “You're the one”

Hired as associate. Founding Pastor left in difficulty.

***“I have set you here”***

Year of the 2 Jimmy's - Jezebels & Leviathan

Accusations from various pastors - Exhausting

#### **C. Limits of Reason as a Solution**

Why would I do this? Don't want to live in Harrisburg. Don't want to be a pastor. Haven't seen the checkbook.

***Temporary Resolution – Made sense to the people, didn't change the spirit***

#### **D. Potential of a Creative Word**

Pastor Wayne, Prophet Tim & Apostle Mike from Chicago

Letting me Have it.

***Darkness was over the face of the DEEP. It looked bad.***

*“Jesus, this is hard.” –*

*The Spirit of God was hovering (shaking, liquifying the DARKNESS) over the WATERS*

***“Rejoice and be glad.”***

***I recognized this***

**Matt 5:11** “Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.

**12 Rejoice\* and be glad‡**, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

\* be happy    ‡ jump for joy

I raised hand and interrupted Mike. I went to the opposite corner of the 37,000 ft<sup>2</sup> building (over 200 feet away), closed myself in a room, and began to shout, “Thank you, Jesus! Hallelujah! This is awesome! And speak in tongues, jumping up and down, and spinning around.”

As I did this, I felt the a supernatural come upon me and the “punched in the gut” feeling left.

I returned to the office and apostle Mike finished his dire warnings that unless I vacated the office, this ministry wouldn't exist within a year.

30 years ago! That **ACCUSATION never happened again!**

We've had many ups and downs over those 30 years, but more ups than downs.

What happened, was a **REVELATORY WORD** was spoken to me.

### ***E. Action Needed***

**Rejoice and Be Glad**, wasn't a suggestion, or a positive mental attitude reminder. It was a “Let there be light” creative word that brought life and started separating the darkness, bringing for good.

**Jas 1:19** Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person **be quick to hear**, slow to speak, slow to anger; **20** for [human] **anger...**

does not produce the righteousness of God. 21 ... receive with meekness the **implanted word**, which is **able to save your souls**. 22 But be **doers of the word**, ... 25 But the one who looks into the **perfect law... of liberty**, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a **doer who acts**, he **will be blessed in his doing**.

#### IV. RELEASE of REVELATION

*THIS IS HOW I FIGHT MY BATTLES*

# Holy Spirit, Come