# GOD HAS A PLAN AND A PURPOSE By Jacquelyn Fedor

#### Genesis 11:6

6 And the Lord said, "Indeed the people are one and they all have one language (they are all thinking and talking about the same thing), and this is what they begin to do; now nothing that they propose to do (decide among themselves to accomplish) will be withheld from them. (Could not stop them! They were steadfastly united in purpose. We can see why God hates division.)

The Lord was of course talking about the sons of Noah in the above scripture whose plans were for evil, but the same principle holds true for those seeking the restoration of God's Kingdom today. In unity there is power and authority, in division weakness and defeat. The fact is, there would be nothing withheld from us either if we could unite as one body and be in sync with God's predestined plan for us!

Noah's sons however were unknowingly fulfilling Satan's plan as are those today gathered to accomplish things that are not Godly or Kingdom minded. Ephesians gives us a clue when we will be gathered into Christ and restored as well as when all this could take place.

# **Ephesians 1:9-10**

9 having made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He purposed in Himself, (God had a mental blueprint of all He created before He spoke the word that manifested it into being.)

10 that in the dispensation (dispensation means a time exempt of any law, not specific to any preset time) of the fullness of the times (the amount of time God allotted to Satan and man to see they cannot exist apart from Him) He might gather together in one all things (all that are in sync, in harmony with His will) in Christ, both which are in heaven and which are on earth—in Him. (Both realms will at this time be returned to God's kingdom and His people.)

Luke 12:32 assures us this is Father's desire.

32 "<u>Do not fear, little flock</u>, for it is <u>your Father's good pleasure</u> to <u>give</u> <u>you the kingdom</u>.

You see God originally created us to be united, in sync with the whole universe and this is where we should be trying to return to! Unity is a big part of the key to eternity, and restoration! This is why the enemy does his best to divide God's people through false doctrines, different denominations, anything he can do to block unity!

I Corinthians 1:10 Apostle Paul understood the problem years ago.

10 Now I plead with you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing (have the same truth, motivation, the same vision), and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment.

Wouldn't this actually be a wonderful environment to live in!

With the way the world thinks today though this is very hard to achieve. This is especially true in a group of people fresh out of the world and full of the world's knowledge, or perhaps still attached to it. Satan's pride and arrogance is reflected in his knowledge and this thinking is unfortunately the database for the mentality of all his people! It is a fact those close to the world or close to its people will develop the same mentality and they too will have to be the best, number one, at the top, just like their god! These do not move ahead because it is God's predestined plan for them, but are drawn by their own ambition.

You see, as we mentally replace the world's knowledge with the knowledge of God our perspectives, our traits, our outlook on life changes. To the degree we allow this change to take place the closer to being in harmony with the

rest of the Kingdom of God we become! It is God's knowledge that sets us free from the world's thinking and changes our walk to match God's will.

This is why II Thessalonians 2:10-12 says,

10 and with <u>all unrighteous deception</u> among those who <u>perish</u>, (why did they perish?) <u>because</u> <u>they did not receive the love of the truth</u>, <u>that</u> they <u>might be saved</u>.

11 And <u>for this reason</u> <u>God</u> will <u>send them strong delusion</u>, that <u>they</u> should <u>believe the lie</u> (the lie, you don't have to obey God's law, you are ok, same lie he told Eve),

12 <u>that they all</u> may be <u>condemned</u> who did <u>not believe</u> the <u>truth</u> but had <u>pleasure</u> in <u>unrighteousness</u>. (The Old King James Bible says "be damned", a little stronger than condemned!)

You see if we don't crave God's truth we will slip back into the world's thinking, it's ways. We were all raised in the world's knowledge and for sure it feels quite comfortable and easy to revert back to. The enemy's logic will absolutely make sense to a worldly trained mind.

Now let us look at Romans 15:5-6.

5 Now <u>may the God of patience</u> and <u>comfort grant you to be like-minded</u> toward one another (in unity), <u>according to Christ Jesus</u>, (He is the

"Word", the knowledge of God. So again I ask, how can we be like-minded with God or His people if we are still holding onto the world's intellect and knowledge?)

6 that you may with one mind and one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. (To see things from a worldly perspective will cause division with God Himself and offend His people every time and worse, cause us to walk contrary to God's will.)

So can we see being in sync with the Lord means becoming like Him, in His image, doing things His way. This means the more we absorb of God's knowledge, the closer to being in the image of truth we become. Since He is truth, the way and life, the more we are conformed to Him the less like the world we are. Our traits and perspectives will begin to reflect the will of God and His Kingdom!

Let me explain something else that for me gets even more exciting! You see, each time we truly understand a truth or concept it actually goes on us like a supernatural skin! We look different in the supernatural, lighter, brighter! This is the way we are slowly conformed to the Word, to Truth and become one flesh with Him, His kind, His species, like Him!

Being able to recognize this difference becomes very important to us as the

end is getting closer. You see, false prophets are arising that sound good, accurate historically, make sense politically that are sent by the enemy to mislead mankind. But we are not fooled are we! Their skin is not bright. Their eyes do not shine with God's truth from within. In general we have the insight to comprehend their message and their actions all pertain to the natural, with carnal or soulish solutions. We know the answers are in the supernatural. We, according to the Word, call those things that are not as though they are knowing our victory comes from God's mountain, His city, His government that carnal eyes cannot see.

# **Hebrews 12:18, 22** shows us God's mountain.

18 For <u>you</u> have <u>not come</u> to the <u>mountain</u> that <u>may be touched</u> and that burned with fire, and to blackness and darkness and tempest,

22 <u>But you</u> have <u>come to Mount Zion</u> (a supernatural mountain) <u>and to the city</u> of <u>the living God</u> (a supernatural city), the <u>heavenly Jerusalem</u>, to an <u>innumerable company of angels</u>,

# **Revelation 21:2** describes this city.

2 Then I, John, <u>saw</u> the <u>holy city</u>, <u>New Jerusalem</u>, <u>coming down</u> out of <u>heaven</u> (designed in heaven, manifested to earth) from <u>God</u>, <u>prepared</u> as a <u>bride</u> adorned <u>for</u> her <u>husband</u>.

**Ephesians 4:11** shows us His government.

11 And <u>He Himself gave some</u> to be <u>apostles</u>, <u>some prophets</u>, <u>some evangelists</u>, and <u>some pastors</u> and <u>teachers</u>,

As we return to our study on skin, let us look at the Strongs Concordance a moment to better understand more clearly what I am trying to show God's people about recognizing the enemy, determining who we are dealing with.

<u>Skin</u> Hebrew <u>1320</u> basar baw-sawr' <u>from 1319</u>; <u>flesh</u> (from its freshness); by extension, <u>body</u>, <u>person</u>; also (by euphem.) the <u>pudenda of a man:--body</u>, (fat, lean) <u>flesh(-ed)</u>, <u>kin</u>, (man-)<u>kind</u>, + <u>nakedness</u>, <u>self</u>, <u>skin</u>.

Before Adam and Eve fell from God's grace they only knew God's thinking, had only His knowledge so they were light, bright and not ashamed for God to look on them. When they took in Satan's thinking, his twisted wisdom, their skin became dark, their eyes did not shine, the light of God's Word went out and they changed and were now ashamed to be seen. They tried to cover themselves as they saw their bodies were changed. With the evil wisdom that entered them they were now perfectly set up for <u>lust</u> of the <u>eye</u>, <u>lust of the</u> <u>flesh</u> to enter along with <u>pride</u> of <u>life</u>, the history of the Adamic race tells us the rest of the story. How sad!

Now let us look at <u>flesh</u>. Notice it is the same number as skin, but it shows us where knowledge is tied in.

Flesh Hebrew 1319 basar baw-sar' a primitive root; properly, to be fresh, i.e. full (rosy, (figuratively) cheerful); to announce (glad news):--messenger, preach, publish, shew forth, (bear, bring, carry, preach, good, tell good) tidings.

So those covered in the flesh of the Word of God are not at all like the Adamic race covered by Satan's knowledge! Can you see that? They look like his knowledge, dark, warped causing oppression and depression the opposite of God's knowledge, <u>fresh</u>, <u>cheerful</u>. Those that crave and eat God's truth truly have a completely different look.

Let us remember also, each species was created after its own kind in the beginning of creation and God said it was good! Well God is the same God. He is restoring His children to the kind He intended mankind to be according to His will and purpose, to once again be in His image. He is Truth, Light and let's not forget Love, but then Love is just natural for those that walk in Truth and the Light.

So we might ask ourselves, what do I look like, who am I in the image of?

Remember, God's knowledge will bring us back in sync with His Kingdom so we can be gathered into Christ when Father destroys this world! In Him there is safety, shelter and peace. So let us ask, who are my friends, where are my commitments? Do we understand our natural state is a visual manifestation of who we are in the supernatural? So again, who do we look like?

To understand God's knowledge a little deeper, understand it's not about the knowledge we have lightly heard or even knowledge we can recite, but it is what we intimately "know" and completely believe. This means there is no doubt, just a simple trust. You could say, to know that you know that you know. It is a personal rhema, or as the saying goes, the light comes on and you suddenly understand. This is how we become one flesh with the Word! John 6 shows us an even better understanding.

#### John 6:53-58

flesh (knowledge) of the Son of Man and drink His blood (the life of Christ is in His blood and in this way we become His kin), you have no life in you. (This is why God cautioned Adam and Eve they would die if they ate from the enemy's wisdom, they would no longer have the flesh and blood of God, or be in His image!)

- 54 Whoever eats My flesh (glad tidings, good news) and drinks My blood (His life is in the blood) has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day.
- 55 For My flesh is food indeed, and My blood is drink indeed. (As a side note: Remember how He, at the end of the ordeal on the cross, drank the sour wine? This was symbolic of Adam's blood mixed with angel blood. He took it to the grave with Him and left it there. As the soldier pierced him in His side living waters, symbolic of truth and the blood, the new wine was given for all as we enter into the blood covenant!)
- 56 <u>He who eats</u> <u>My flesh</u> (feasts on the Word) and <u>drinks</u> <u>My blood</u> <u>abides</u> in <u>Me</u> (we live through Him), and <u>I in him</u> (He lives through us).
- 57 <u>As the living Father sent Me</u>, and I <u>live because of the Father</u> (He was not only begotten of the Father, but raised from the grave by Him), <u>so he</u> who <u>feeds on Me</u> will <u>live because of Me</u> (truth leads us to death at baptism and rebirth through truth, Christ. The Word makes us a new and different kind and one flesh with Him).
- 58 This is the bread which came down from heaven—not as your fathers ate the manna, and are dead (old manna does not bring life). He who eats this bread (the knowledge for this age, which is His flesh, and the Word is the Bread of Life) will live forever."

John 6:48 explains further.

48 I (Jesus) am the bread of life (the knowledge, the Word).

So, the bread represents the flesh of the Word who is Christ. This is how we become one with Him, a part of Him and in His image!

I Corinthians 10:17 makes this clear.

17 For we, though many (all those that love God's knowledge), are one bread and one body (the body of Christ); for we all partake of that one bread. (God's knowledge!)

Remember in the first paragraph of this article it spoke of unity? It also said if we were one in purpose and intent nothing could stop us or be withheld from us! Well, this is how we will succeed, be restored, start the beginning of the new earth, by being one in Him!

Become one blood, His incorruptible, immortal life is in the blood! Be flesh, one knowledge that forms a supernatural skin, one without blemish of Satan's knowledge, wrinkle of division or flaw. We become children of Light because the Word, God's knowledge is the light of man!

Psalm 119:130 shows us King David understood.

130 The <u>entrance</u> of <u>Your words</u> gives <u>light</u>; it gives <u>understanding</u> to the <u>simple</u>.

John 1:4 His life (the Word) is our light.

4 <u>In Him</u> was <u>life</u>, and <u>the life</u> was the <u>light of men</u>.

#### John 12:36

36 While you have the light (while knowledge is still being offered, there will be an end when Father has had enough of this world), believe in the light (believe the Word), that you may become sons of light." These things Jesus spoke, and departed, and was hidden from them. (There is a message in this sentence, did you see it?)

### Acts 17:28

28 for <u>in Him we live and move</u> and <u>have our being</u>, as also some of your own poets have said, 'For <u>we are also **His offspring**</u>.'

What exactly does it mean to be His offspring? As He had a very important part in Father's predestined plan for humanity, so His children do also!

God loves the earth and all creation on it. Humanity is a part of His creation.

Like there are horses, donkeys, zebras, all are equine, but they are three different kinds of equine. So it is with humanity since the fall. There is Adam, all those not born again. Then there are those that are born again, but not Spirit filled. There is yet another kind of humanity, those that are Spirit filled, but did not develop a love for truth so they did not spiritually grow to metamorphose into a new kind. Thankfully there are those that do hunger for today's eighth day end time knowledge. It is this kind that will be restored to His image and manifest as the children of God, a new and different kind. You see, it will be this new species, ones in Christ's image that will be chosen to build the new earth. They are the living stones that the Lord is using to rebuild His house, the tabernacle of David. We see them mentioned in Romans 8.

# **Romans 8:19-21**

- 19 For the <u>earnest expectation</u> of the <u>creation eagerly waits</u> for the <u>revealing</u> of <u>the sons of God</u>.
- 20 For the <u>creation</u> was <u>subjected</u> to <u>futility</u>, <u>not willingly</u>, <u>but because</u> of <u>Him</u> who <u>subjected it in hope</u>;
- 21 because the <u>creation itself</u> also will be <u>delivered</u> from <u>the bondage of corruption</u> into the <u>glorious liberty of the children of God</u>.

In closing, from the mountain of the Lord's house and His city mentioned before, the law and knowledge will go out earth-wide. It will then be possible for all of humanity to be brought back in sync, become His kind, unite in the same knowledge and purpose if they develop a love for Truth. In the end all creation, man, land, animals, birds, fish, creepy crawly things will be in harmony and gathered into Christ. It's God's predestined will, purpose and plan and so it will be!

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