

# MANIFESTING THE ABUNDANCE

## PART I

### A CALEB'S PROMISE MINISTRY TEACHING

It is poor stewardship for us, as Believers, to sit back and watch the enemy and the heathen amass the wealth to use against us. We should be amassing the wealth, not for our lust, but to be a blessing to others building training centers and healing centers, sending everyone to college, putting people in homes, funding missions, building companies to rise to the top of the spheres of influence in our world, showing compassion and kindness as Jesus taught and demonstrated.

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Many in the church will say, "that's just greed." No, it's not greed for a righteous person who can tell "greed" where to go. We're to fulfill our Kingdom assignment, and it takes money to do it. It's not greed, it's growth!

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#### **Galatians 4:1**

Now I say, That the heir, as long as he is a child, differeth nothing from a servant, though he be lord of all;

The Holy Spirit, writing through Paul, is teaching Believers if they're not mature in the Word of God, if they're not getting the Word in them, and understanding what God has for them, then they're not mature in spiritual matters. As long as a Believer is not mature, satan is going to keep them working for their inheritance. This is his trick – get a Believer to work for something they've already got. You can't work for an inheritance. You already have it!

TO BE BLESSED AND HAVE THE BLESSING OF GOD ON YOUR LIFE IS YOUR INHERITANCE

#### **Being Removed from Small Thinking**

#### **Genesis 12:1**

Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee:

In Genesis 12:1, God is moving Abram from one system to another system: from the System of Darkness, the Babylonian System, to the Kingdom of God. God is calling Abram out and telling Abram he is now to depend on God for everything; not on the world system he's living under with his father and family (all were idolaters).

In faith, Abram obeys God and departs from his father's land and from his family. He only made one mistake. He brought Lot with him. God instructed him to "Get thee...from thy kindred." We won't delve into it here, but you can see the trouble Lot was to Abraham and the end of Lot which was not of God's doing. God already knew that Abram was the only member of his father's family that would walk with God in faith and humility [complete trust in God]. This is spoken by God in Genesis 18:19.

### **Genesis 18:19**

For I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him, and they shall keep the way of the LORD, to do justice and judgment; that the LORD may bring upon Abraham that which He hath spoken of him.

Why did God call Abram out from his father's family? Because things in a Believer's environment are the biggest influences on a Believer's conscious and subconscious mind [soul]. Subconsciously, we've been trained to bounce our vision against our provision. We reduce the vision to our provision. We let provision regulate the vision, and satan is regulating the provision of the world. satan doesn't want a Believer achieving the vision God has given to them. So, he attacks the Believer immediately after God gives them a vision with condemnation, temptation, and deception.

Another great example of God moving a Believer so he could achieve God's big vision for him was Joseph. In Genesis 37, God gave Joseph dreams or visions. When he told his family, they reacted in anger at the first dream and then they wanted to kill him for the second dream. Notice how satan is trying to eliminate or shrink the vision. So, God had to move Joseph to Egypt to fulfill the dreams [vision] He had given to Joseph. Joseph's family and the people around him were thinking too small. In Egypt, Joseph was in a position where the only thing he could do was depend on his heavenly Father. Joseph also understood the Promise given to his great grandfather, Abraham. Did Joseph have ranch management experience? Did Joseph have experience running a prison? Did Joseph have an MBA from Wharton or Oxford and 20 years' experience as an executive leader running a multi-billion dollar enterprise? No. However, everywhere Joseph went, God promoted him and provided him the wisdom and knowledge to rise to the top [we shall be the head and not the tail; above only and not beneath; lenders and not borrowers; everything our hand touches shall prosper; there is no weapon formed against me, spiritual or physical, which shall prosper against me]. So much so, Joseph became the CEO of the world's largest economy at the time, Egypt, and led Egypt into many years of extremely profitable growth. Don't you have the same Promise given to Joseph and to his great grandfather, Abraham? Yes, you do.

GOD WANTS US TO THINK BIG. HE IS GOING TO PROVIDE FOR IT IF HE CAME UP WITH IT.

God called me out of my last job, which was highly compensated. God knew if I remained there, I would never fulfill the vision He has given to my wife and me. I would depend on my provision and my strength to accomplish the vision God has given to us and is continually revealing more and more. God is eliminating the distractions, the small people, and the naysayers in my life and renewing my mind daily with His Word. If we can do it on our own, it is not of God. God calls us to the impossible. He commands us to depend entirely upon Him.

### **What Does God Want to Do With Us?**

Believers are called by God to be a “ **blessing to others.**” This is established by the covenant God established with Abraham and his seed in Genesis 12:2-3. We are the “seed” through Jesus Christ, “the Seed,” as established by Galatians 3:29. As the “seed,” we have the same covenant, the same Promise, with God, our Father, as did Abraham.

### **Genesis 12:2-3**

<sup>2</sup>And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing:

<sup>3</sup>And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

**Galatians 3:29**

And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

**Romans 4:13**

For the promise, that he should be the heir of the world, was not to Abraham, or to his seed, through the law, but through the righteousness of faith.

Our Father declares He keeps His covenants and promises. Therefore, we know we have the same Promise given to Abraham. We are heirs of this world. The world belongs to us.

**Psalms 89:34**

My covenant will I not break, nor alter the thing that is gone out of my lips.

**Genesis 24:1**

And Abraham was old, and well stricken in age: and the LORD had blessed Abraham in all things.

**Genesis 24:35**

And the LORD hath blessed my master greatly; and he is become great: and He hath given him flocks, and herds, and silver, and gold, and menservants, and maidservants, and camels, and asses.

**NOTE:** God blessed Abraham in his:

Health (no record of sickness)

Preservation (died at 175 years of age)

Children

Protection

Promotion

Finances

The same way God blessed Abraham, **HE MUST BLESS ME!** I am Abraham's seed. God obligated Himself to me through the covenant Promise to Abraham and his seed. We, as Believers, are to believe and receive the blessing of our Father, allow Him to make our name great, and we are, in turn, to be a blessing to others through the abundance He supplies to us. The earth belongs to us as well as the inheritance [wealth] of the heathen [unsaved].

**Psalms 2:8**

Ask of Me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession.

**Psalms 105:44**

<sup>42</sup>For He remembered his holy promise, and Abraham His servant.

<sup>43</sup>And He brought forth His people with joy, and His chosen with gladness:

<sup>44</sup>And gave them the lands of the heathen: and they inherited the labor of the people;

**Job 27:16-17**

<sup>16</sup>Though he heap up silver as the dust, and prepare raiment as the clay;

<sup>17</sup>He may prepare [it], but the just shall put [it] on, and the innocent shall divide the silver.

### **Ecclesiastes 2:26**

For God giveth to a man that is good in His sight wisdom, and knowledge, and joy: but to the sinner He giveth travail, to gather and to heap up, that He may give to him that is good before God. This also is vanity and vexation of spirit.”

### **Proverbs 13:22**

A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children: and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for the just.

Have you asked for the inheritance of the heathen, the wealth of the sinner, and the possession of the earth?

### **Foundation for Operating in the Kingdom of God**

When God placed Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, He gave them three things and in the order of priority as listed below. These three things are the foundation of a Believer’s operation in the Kingdom of God:

- 1.) Fellowship
- 2.) Assignment
- 3.) Provision

God fellowshiped with Adam and Eve every day. He gave them the assignment of dressing and keeping the Garden, being fruitful, multiplying, replenishing the earth, subduing the earth, and having dominion over every living thing on the earth. God provided them absolutely everything they could possibly need. Adam and Eve didn’t have to “toil” or “labor” for anything.

Once sin entered into the earth, Adam and Eve lost:

- 1.) Their fellowship with God
- 2.) Their assignment from God
- 3.) Their provision from God

### **Genesis 3:17-19**

<sup>17</sup>And unto Adam He said, Because thou hast hearkened unto the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life:

<sup>18</sup>Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field;

<sup>19</sup>In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.

The “curse” is now upon satan and upon the earth. It works 24/7, and it brings in all the things opposed to God and His Word.

God was Adam’s provider. Once Adam sinned, he was separated from his provider. The burden of provision is now upon man’s shoulders. And, provision rules man’s thoughts – not fellowship and assignment. God never intended for the burden to be on man’s shoulders.

## **The Good News – THE GOSPEL**

Praise God, Jesus Christ came to put us back in our assignment, to prioritize the assignment ahead of provision once we have fellowship with Him. Jesus, during His three and one-half year ministry, re-introduced the Kingdom of God into the earth through His teaching, and He demonstrated it through signs and wonders. He restored to man that which God had given to Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, and Adam and Eve lost. Jesus taught us to fellowship with the Father, to focus on our assignment, and He will bring the provision. As a Believer, we are freed from the “curse” and no longer have to toil, labor, experience pain and sorrow. Folks, this is the Good News – this is what is known as “**THE GOSPEL.**” And it’s all made possible by the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ.

Jesus gives Believers a clear understanding of the Kingdom of God and how it operates in Matthew 6:19-34. Let’s study these verses together.

### **Matthew 6:19-21**

<sup>19</sup> Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal:

<sup>20</sup> But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal:

<sup>21</sup> For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

**NOTE:** In Matthew 6:19-21, Jesus is NOT saying if one has property, investments, savings accounts, etc., this is a bad thing. This is what many churches wrongly teach – that wealth is evil, immoral, and inconsistent with God’s Word. Nothing could be further from the truth. Jesus is saying Believers have to realize there are two systems: natural (Babylonian System) and spiritual (Kingdom of God). He is teaching Believers there is a thief in the world by the name of satan, and he steals, kills, and destroys (John 10:10). If a Believer is accumulating for the wrong reason, the thief will have access to what is accumulated. If a Believer is accumulating for the right reason (be a blessing to others), God protects the accumulation from the thief. Jesus is contrasting the two systems. The Babylonian System is inferior to the Kingdom of God. The two systems operate almost completely opposite of each other.

### **Matthew 6:24**

No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon [money, wealth].

**NOTE:** Matthew 6:24 is straightforward. A Believer cannot straddle the fence between the love of the natural and the love of the spiritual. He is lukewarm and Christ said He will spew you out of His mouth (Revelation 3:16). Wherever God assigns you, He will provide more than enough abundance for the assignment.

### **Matthew 6:25**

Therefore I say unto you, Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment?

**NOTE:** Jesus is teaching us “not to be running after things; He’s going to make things come to us.” He is comparing two systems: the system of this world, which is built on labor, and the Kingdom of God, which is built on what you believe.

### **Matthew 6:26**

Behold the fowls of the air: for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are ye not much better than they?

**NOTE:** Matthew 6:26 is about “provision.” Provision is the third in order of priority of the things God gave to Adam and Jesus to present day Believers. Fellowship with God and your assignment are more important than provision. Just as this verse says, God will provide more than enough abundance to perform and complete your assignment.

### **Matthew 6:31-32**

<sup>31</sup> Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed?

<sup>32</sup> (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek:) for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things.

**NOTE:** Jesus is telling us – COMMANDING US – we are not to be concerned with provision like the unsaved [gentiles, heathen], but we are to seek fellowship and assignment, pursue after them, and God will provide an overabundance of supply.

### **Matthew 6:33**

But seek ye first The Kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

**NOTE:** The keystone verse of Jesus’ teaching about The Kingdom of God and how it operates is Matthew 6:33. The verse is broken down to show what part of the verse represents the three things our Father originally gave to Adam and Eve, then Jesus reintroduces to the new covenant Believers.

- 1.) “Seek ye first The Kingdom of God” – Fellowship
- 2.) “and His righteousness” – Assignment
- 3.) “and all these things shall be added unto you.” – Provision

Jesus is not telling us to “look” for a “Kingdom of God,” but to seek how God’s Kingdom operates – seek God’s way of doing things. Jesus is teaching and bringing Believers to understand how to move from the system of the world to the system or government of the Kingdom of God.

### **Understanding the Sabbath**

Ok, so what does the Sabbath have to do with God calling us out from the world, from God calling us to be a blessing to others? Everything! The Sabbath is another terribly misunderstood truth of God’s Word. Let’s see what God really has to say about the Sabbath.

Sabbath is a Hebrew word which means “to cease, desist, rest.”

Let’s go to the genesis of the Sabbath. In Genesis God created everything man would need in the first six days. God’s last act on the sixth day of creation was to make man. God created all of the provision man would need before he created man. Now, all man had to do was step over into the seventh day – the Sabbath – and REST!

### **Genesis 2:2-3**

<sup>2</sup>And on the seventh day God ended His work which He had made; and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had made.

<sup>3</sup>And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it: because that in it He had rested from all His work which God created and made.

God's will for man was to step from the last day of creation, of work, into the seventh day, the blessed and sanctified day of rest.

The Sabbath of the Law was a "type" or a "shadow" of the better, New Covenant Sabbath which is "rest, no toil, no sorrow, no pain, no labor, no curse." This is what Jesus taught and demonstrated during His earthly ministry.

**NOTE:** God didn't call the seventh day the Sabbath until it was given to the Children of Israel as part of the Law given to Moses.

Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph all understood God's will for the Sabbath. God had to institute it as Law for the Children of Israel after He delivered them from Egypt. Why? Because the Children of Israel had been under 430 years of the System of Darkness and their minds had to be renewed to the Kingdom of God which Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph had understood. Pharaoh had been their God for 430 years. He provided them food, work, houses, religion, etc. However, it all came at a cost, was very substandard, and led to misery and death. It was nothing at all like God would provide to the Children at no cost to them. In the wilderness, God had to renew the minds of the Children through His mighty acts and His supply to them. They had become dependent on the world's system. In the wilderness, they were to get an understanding they were on a new system where God had already provided for them.

#### **Exodus 16:4-5**

<sup>4</sup>Then said the LORD unto Moses, Behold, I will rain bread from heaven for you; and the people shall go out and gather a certain rate every day, that I may prove them, whether they will walk in My law, or no.  
<sup>5</sup>And it shall come to pass, that on the sixth day they shall prepare that which they bring in; and it shall be twice as much as they gather daily.

**NOTE:** God told Moses to have the Children gather enough bread each day; no extra. God would provide the next day. And, if you ran out the previous day, God would make sure there was plenty the next day. God didn't want the Children hoarding. He wanted to teach them to depend on Him for the provision. If the Children hoarded, the extra would be filled with worms the next day. In addition, God had them gather twice as much on the sixth day, so they could rest the seventh day. God is renewing their minds by taking them off the world's system and teaching them the Kingdom system.

One key point in Exodus 16:4 is the instruction from God to "gather." It is vitally important to note, it is "gather," not "work." This same instruction was given by Jesus after feeding the 5000 and 4000 men. Jesus instructed the disciples to "gather" together the remaining fragments. They didn't have to work for the provision or for the overflow. They only "gathered."

God is revealing Himself to the Children of Israel as "El Shaddai," "the God of More Than Enough." Jesus also taught this to us during His earthly ministry.

Let's see what Jesus had to say about the Sabbath during His earthly ministry:

#### **Mark 2:27**

And He said unto them, The sabbath was made for man, and not man for the sabbath:

Jesus, our Father in the flesh, the one who created all things, including the Sabbath, is teaching us the Sabbath, "the rest," is made for man. When Adam sinned, he was placed back into the sixth day of toiling, struggling, laboring, worrying, fearing, etc. Jesus came to bring us back into the blessed and sanctified Sabbath – our "assignment" is put back in the right order of priority.

WE ARE ABLE TO REST BECAUSE GOD HAS ALREADY DONE EVERYTHING FOR US.

**Matthew 11:28-29**

<sup>28</sup>Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

<sup>29</sup>Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls.

**Jeremiah 10:23**

O LORD, I know that the way of man is not in himself: it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps.

The “rest” Jesus speaks of in Matthew 11:28-29 is the same Sabbath rest God blessed and sanctified in Genesis 2. The “yoke” spoken of by Jesus in verse 29 is the Believer submitting himself to Christ, where true rest comes from serving Him, not ourselves (Matthew 10:38-39; Mark 8:34-37; Luke 9:23-25). Jeremiah 10:23 tells us man needs to be yoked to Jesus Christ so Christ can direct our steps.

Everything Jesus did was to preserve the Sabbath. Jesus is contrasting the two systems: System of Darkness and the Kingdom of God.

**System of Darkness [the World]**

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**Kingdom of God**

Below  
Physical  
Thief (satan)  
Time  
Space (boundary)

Above  
Spiritual  
Inheritance  
Eternal  
Boundless

THE SABBATH IS A COVENANT, A CONTRACT BETWEEN GOD AND BELIEVERS

**Hebrews 4:9-11**

<sup>9</sup>There remaineth therefore a rest to the people of God.

<sup>10</sup>For he that is entered into His rest, he also hath ceased from his own works, as God did from His.

<sup>11</sup>Let us labor therefore to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief.

**NOTE:** Notice it says “a rest to the people of God.” This rest is not for the heathen. They are under the curse. Believers who don’t operate in faith of God’s Word open themselves up to the curse. They are not under the curse, but they can be affected by it if they allow it into their lives. God does the work, the labor and toil, for us **IF WE TRUST IN OUR FATHER.**

**John 14:10**

Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of Myself: but the Father that dwelleth in Me, He doeth the works.

GOD GIVES US THE INHERITANCE. WE DON’T LABOR OR TOIL FOR IT.  
TO LABOR OR TOIL IS THE WAY OF THE WORLD – THE WAY OF EGYPT.  
GOD PROVIDES US THE LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY.

The Children of Israel didn’t believe that God had already provided the Promised Land and **REST** to them along with all the goodness and richness of the land. Instead, when the 12 spies returned, they listened to the 10 spies who gave an evil report – a report contrary to what God had already promised them.



### **Exodus 3:8**

And I am come down to deliver them out of the hand of the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land unto a good land and a large, unto a land flowing with milk and honey; unto the place of the Canaanites, and the Hittites, and the Amorites, and the Perizzites, and the Hivites, and the Jebusites.

### **Deuteronomy 6:10-11**

<sup>10</sup>And it shall be, when the LORD thy God shall have brought thee into the land which he swore unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildedst not,  
<sup>11</sup>And houses full of all good things, which thou filledst not, and wells digged, which thou diggedst not, vineyards and olive trees, which thou plantedst not; when thou shalt have eaten and be full;

### **Numbers 14:1-4**

<sup>1</sup>And all the congregation lifted up their voice, and cried; and the people wept that night.  
<sup>2</sup>And all the children of Israel murmured against Moses and against Aaron: and the whole congregation said unto them, Would God that we had died in the land of Egypt! or would God we had died in this wilderness!  
<sup>3</sup>And wherefore hath the LORD brought us unto this land, to fall by the sword, that our wives and our children should be a prey? were it not better for us to return into Egypt?  
<sup>4</sup>And they said one to another, Let us make a captain, and let us return into Egypt.

The sadness of the testimony of the Children of Israel is a whole generation of adults, less Joshua and Caleb and their families, and all the children under 20 years of age when they left Egypt, dying in the wilderness, and never entering into the REST and abundance God had already given to them before the foundation of the world. Instead, they lived far below God's best for them under an inferior system and died much earlier than God had planned for them. Sadly, the majority of today's Believers live exactly the same way.

<p>THE MAJORITY OF TODAY'S BELIEVERS FALL FAR SHORT OF GOD'S BEST FOR THEM BECAUSE THEY ARE IGNORANT OF GOD'S WORD OR WILFULLY DISOBEDIENT. BOTH ARE PERSONAL CHOICES MADE BY THE BELIEVER.</p>
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### **How We Operate in the Sabbath**

Jesus Christ came to this earth and to the cross to do the following:

- 1.) Teach and demonstrate the Kingdom of God and how to operate in it [teachings and signs and wonders].
- 2.) To restore the Sabbath [position, power, authority, and rest originally given to the first Adam].
- 3.) To remove the curse [forgiveness of all sin, permanent removal of the curse from Believers].

So, what is this rest? Does it mean we don't work and set on our rears waiting for God to have FedEx or UPS deliver us stacks of cash? Of course not. Yes, we work, but we work on an entirely different level, praise God!! We don't chase provision, it chases us [Deuteronomy 28:2]. Jesus taught and demonstrated to us the laws and principles of the Kingdom of God and how we operate them.

A few examples from the New Testament:

- 1.) Luke 5:1-10 – Peter and the draught of fishes.
- 2.) John 6:1-13 – The 5000 men fed with five loaves of bread and two fishes.
- 3.) Matthew 15:29-38 – The 4000 men fed with seven loaves of bread and a few fishes.

- 4.) Matthew 17:24-27 – Jesus instructing Peter to catch a fish and take money from the fishes mouth to pay the tribute [temple tax].  
5.) John 2:7-10 - Jesus turning water into wine.

### **Proverbs 10:22**

The blessing of the LORD, **IT** maketh rich, and He addeth no sorrow with it.

NOTE: It is the “Blessing” of our Father that maketh us rich. Not another man, our job, our position, our title, our career track, our investments, our possessions, etc. satan has tricked us into believing what we can have in life is connected to our job, how much we make, what we have, if we have a degree or not, if we come from the right side of the tracks, etc. Jesus taught just the opposite when He said, “Blessed are the poor in spirit, because theirs is the Kingdom of God.” What Jesus was truly teaching is the moment a person is born again, they can begin operating in the Kingdom system. They’re blessed because they’re in God’s Kingdom, and they have the ability to tap into an inheritance that is not tied to their ability, their background, or their job. Jesus was disconnecting the job from what you can have because He has already supplied your inheritance. Your job has NOTHING to do with your inheritance. Your THINKING does! Your job is your assignment.

Believers are so mindful of provision, the world view, that it clouds their mind as to what their assignment is, and many of the gifts and talents God has given them are wasted. Many are missing God’s master plan for their lives. That’s why many Believers can’t wait to retire because they are tired of running after provision.

### **I Corinthians 2:9-10**

<sup>9</sup>But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him.

<sup>10</sup>But God hath revealed them unto us by His Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God.

GOD DOESN'T EXPECT US TO GOVERN OUR LIVES THROUGH TRIAL AND ERROR.

Knowledge = Hebrew word “Daath” – knowledge gained through the experience of the senses – the five, natural senses. Once Adam ate of the fruit of the tree, he became LIMITED by the knowledge. He went from faith and all-knowing to the limits of the physical world – through the five senses. Adam was supposed to operate from the knowledge that came through revelation. And that revelation was to come through the Holy Spirit in him, and into his mind.

When we only evaluate things through our five physical senses, we go through “trial and error.” We’re expected to know things by the Holy Spirit; not to live our lives or govern this earth by “trial and error.” Jesus never operated in trial and error. He never made a mistake. And He said we can do everything He did and greater things (John 14:12). Not knowing brings toil, labor, stress, heavy burdens, etc. But, we can know all things because we have the mind of Christ (I Corinthians 2:16) and the Holy Spirit in us (1 John 2:20). We have His Word which teaches us all things, makes us perfect, and thoroughly furnishes us unto all good works (II Timothy 3:17).

WE NEED TO GET INTO GOD’S WORD AND KNOW SOME THINGS. WE  
NEED TO START ACTING, THINKING, AND FUNCTIONING LIKE A CHILD OF  
THE KINGDOM – LIKE CHRIST.  
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God restored to man the completeness of him resting in God's provision through Jesus Christ and His death and resurrection. Now, we, as Believers, are in the Sabbath, the rest of God. Jesus taught and demonstrated the laws of the Kingdom of God and how we are to operate in these laws to the benefit of ourselves and others. So now, He taught us how to meet our need and wants without painful toil, without trial and error. Jesus taught this through the Law of Sowing and Reaping – seedtime and harvest. We'll cover this in our next lesson, part two of Manifesting the Abundance.