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"The Introduction unto Step 4 about"

John 1: 1 -18 "The living / staying Word of God"

# 1. Introduction

First I want to recommend the book: **"Passion for Jesus**" from Mike Bickle – The founder of the organisation:

"International House of Prayer" – Kansas This because it's contents perfectly matches with this lesson: <u>Step 4</u>

# 1.1. Now a short review to Step 2 - Malachi 1 : 11 - 14 and 2 : 11-18.

About a God Who did prepare and invite to a table and about a people who didn't appreciate that. Mention this Creator of the universe provided this ability to enable those priests to have a deeper fellowship with Him but as in Revelation 2 - 3 by that church of Laodicea they where slip sliding away and by there way of live they where losing sight on His beautifully developed plan which caused His grieve towards these so called servants! A serious warning for us to: stay focused on Him and to be alert as the deceiver is nearby! Do re-study Step 2 about this which'll show His development in these!

# Some keye info's!

Just realise: it comes **after** Revelation 1; there it's all about the Being of our Lord Jesus so about Him Who desires a well prepared / beautiful and spotless bride at His side with the precious Lamb / Lion character whom is connected with the heart of the God in Revelation 4: 3 - Right in these hearts the Holy Spirit develops the true worshiper of God - this through the relationship with the living and creative Word and with the 7-fold Spirit of God see: 2 Timothy 1: 6 -7 and Isaiah. 11: 1- 3 and especially here  $\rightarrow$  verse 3 about: His beloved one in development by the relation with Most High !

About This <u>Step 4</u> - I'll mostly teach on aspects / samples and messages all concerning the precious and holy Word of the Lord so with this intro I do gladly announce the release of at least 3 more lessons <u>Step 6</u> - as these lessons are all strongly focused on the character of the Trinity in the Word I urge you to start preparing your hart so you'll be ready to study those lessons this with a good harts attitude - for now: be highly blessed and till <u>Step 4 a</u> ! You can reach me as usual by my fb-chat or by e - mail wish you lots of strength by studying this serial of Step 6 and for now God bless: In Him – <u>br Paulo !</u>

# 2. Step 4 b Several aspects of the Word of God John 1: 1 – 18

# 2.1. <u>A short reminder to</u>: Revelation: 1 - 3 & 19

Realise that Revelation 1 is right before 2 & 3 - In Revelation 1 we sow our Lord: the Lamb of God & the Lion of Judah as : "*The glorified Word*"! He the Son of God *Who* longs to be united with His bride about which is written more in: Ephesians 5 & Songs of Salomon 4: 12 & 6: 10 on whom we did share in our former <u>Step 4!</u> There we sow the 7 fold refining process of the Bride symbolized by the 7 candle - sticks this by means of a strong / intimate relation in praise & worship with our Lord **the** Most High - by developing a deeper hunger & thirst to those *Zoë* Words of God and a close connection with the Holy Spirit of God - read now about these processes please in:

Isaiah 50: 4 -10 & 11: 1 -3 → verse 3

# 2.2. The Word as a mirror of the soul

At the time being however we don't see spiritual things clearly jet - mention this: in the early days mirrors were created out of cupper and they often were damaged by screeches this due to daily circumstances; our souls yet in a process of renewal are - at the time - also not too bright and in an inferior condition and though His Word is serene and of highest quality we'll not be able jet to comprehend - discern & discover all the divine treasures hidden in It! We're actually squinting in a fog, peering through a mist - but it won't be long before the weather clears and the sun will shine brightly!

# We'll see then all as clearly as God sees us, knowing Him then directly just as He knows us James 1: 22-24: Don't fool yourself into a thinking that you are a listener when

#### you are jet perhaps anything but, letting the Word: go in one ear and out the other. Do exercise in **acting** on what you hear $\rightarrow$ 1 Corinthians 13: 12

Those who hear and don't act; are like those who glance in the mirror, walk away and two minutes later have no idea who they were, what they did look like. After repentance on this attitude they'll see and recognize Him - then free from that covering veil as shown in Isaiah 25: 6 - 7 they'll be served with powerful wines and exclusive dinners to prepare them for the last part of Revelation 19; Our Lord longs badly to be united with His bride but walking in between the 7 candle sticks He knows / is well aware that Revelation 2 & 3 will still have to be worked out in her first!

Realise He went a deep way to buy those friends of Him; His: "royal- priests" jet in development but still the mentioned processes have to be finished before she will be ready to partake in white linen on that marriage - meal and to follow Him the Living and Holy Word on those *"White Horses"* - the: Holy Spirit of God ! I kindly do advice you to pay also good attention to the parable of the house that was build on the Rock which is Jesus - the Word of God - Luke 6: 47 - 48. Read now please:

Isaiah 25 & 55 and mention: about these I'll teach in Step 6 d!

# **2.3.** The Word as a Hammer of the Lord!

Do read now please: Jeremiah 51: 20 - 24 about how God uses the Word as a Hammer - do mention here also the hammer-function with regard to corn and straw. He can do this in us - more or less - as well; depending unto our obedience - read please now also Hebrew 12: 1- 8 on this behalf -br Paulo !

# 2.4. The Word as a Sword

In Ephesians 6 / 2 Corinthians 10: 3 - 6 & Psalm 149; We see the Word of the Lord; functioning as a powerful Sword as a Weapon to deal with a demolishing and an entire massively corrupt culture; Here it functions as well as His powerful Tool to smash warped philosophies, tear down barriers erected against the Truth of God, fitting every loose thought and emotion and impulse into the structure of life shaped by Christ.

Our tools are ready at hand for clearing the ground of every obstruction and building lives of obedience into maturity. Realise that every negative thought leads to sin and that grownup sin leads to death! The Lord tests our authenticity by

hammer and by fire! So keep staying strong and be alert as our adversary is not sleeping! Read now also <u>Hebrew 4: 12</u>- about Its powerful abilities!

Now unto Lucas 24 about our friends going to Emmaus whom in their desolate condition where visited by the resurrected Lord on their way to their village! Here we see in our Lord Jesus that live giving subtle but oh so powerful Word in action: the Lord who takes them along in their thinking unto the treasures of *Light & Life* in His heart He knew all about Him that was prescribed in the O.T. by heart!

Realise: Our proclaiming - praying and singing / shouting of these Words makes the Word a powerful and sharp Weapon in us and will exchange us more and more to His image! Re - read now please about those particular *Holy Spirit* aspects in <u>Step 5 e</u> and realize much about the Holy Spirit there matches with the Word of God! However the Word of God has also very refining / subtle and protective aspects as per example:

"The living Water Resource & the Bread of Live which is our Lord"



I do earnestly recommend you to buy this Water as mentioned in <u>Isaiah 55</u> - let your droughts in site be emerged and let your heart and jet not transformed parts of your soul be filled more and more with it! It is from highest importance for you to practice this process and do remember here; we're not alone in this as the Holy Spirit is here: our wonderful Teacher & Friend! In <u>Zechariah 2: 5</u> the: "Word of God" Here: "His *Fire Walls* around and His *Glory* within" is the momentum to the exodus out of Babel  $\rightarrow$  (the mixture of: religion / infirmity & relation)! This to realize in us: a great / strong; effective equipment as shown in Songs of Salomon 4: 12 & 6: 10 - The result of an intimate life with Him - a very precious gift of the Most High – br Paulo

# 2.5. The Word with regard to the Rebirth!

The DNA of the Holy Trinity was implanted in us at the moment of our conversion / the new Spiritual Birth - also called: the rebirth of our inner man as mentioned in 2 Timothy 1: 6 - 7 / John 3: 5 - 7 & Ezekiel 36: 26! To be however totally transformed unto that 1 Peter1: 9 state; it was necessary that the Holy Spirit should adopt our blood paid / still damaged souls as well  $\rightarrow$  See here Romans 8: 15. (In Step 1 I did repeatedly refer to this item)!

Be aware of this: Everything that is good has been created by the:" *Word of God*" and nothing - "**not one good thing**" - came into being without Him!  $\rightarrow$  John 1: 1 - 8! This Scripture is strongly linked unto Genesis 1: 1 - 2 showing the divine and creative power hidden in this very precious Treasure of the divine living *Zoë* Words in His inner Being! In former <u>Steps</u> we already sow much about those powerful creative abilities of the: *"Holy Word of our Lord"*! Particularly in <u>Step 1 a</u> & <u>b / Step 3 a & c I</u> did share on this Issue - so please do repeat those parts involved as also shown in Revelation 19 about the:

"Living Word" on His "White Horse" followed by His sanctified "Army"!

Herewith we did finish <u>Step 6 a</u>. In next step: <u>Step 6 b</u> I will share more about some aspects of the *Word* of the *Lord*  $\rightarrow$  For now success with studying this lesson - please pay extra attention to the Bible verses added. You can reach me and by fb - chat. - br. <u>Paulo</u>!

# 3. Step 4 c The Word as creative our Light-source

# John 1:

His divine DNA created in us

In <u>Step 4 b</u> we spoke about us as Christians being a reflection of the Light & Live of Jesus - you can read about this in John 1: 1 - 8, Genesis 1:1 - 2 & James 1: 1 - 8 . Here some more about this item of renewal in: John 3: 5 - 7 & 2 Timothy 1: 6 - 7! So our relationship with the Holy Spirit & with the living Word of God did create in us a new heart & a new spirit with **His** divine DNA. - Ezekiel 36: 26; read now please also about this process in our Lord Jesus's life in:

#### Isaiah 50: 4 - 10; Luke 8: 18; John 3: 29 & Hebrew 5: 7 - 10

In the OT we can read about: *"The Table of Leaves"* on which the *"Breads of His Presence"*; this Table with its 2 piles of 12 leaves symbolises the Word of our Lord: *"God's altar for us"* In Psalm 22 you can find the ultimate: *Sacrifice unto the Father* - Jesus did prepare this by His ultimate Sacrifice there the Holy Tables from: Psalm 23, Revelation 3: 20 & 19: 6 - 8; and the ultimate meal at the wedding of the Lamb! For this event our Lord Jesus did pay a very high price - read now about this in:

Isaiah 53, Philippians.2: 5 - 8 & 1 Peter 2: 1 - 12

Now back to some more aspects of the Zoë - Word of the Lord!

# 3.1. The Word as a Fire

In Jeremiah 23: 9 here against the chill of heart of the priests and in Zechariah 2: 5 as the equipment needed to be able to get away from that sucking Babel: the mix of religion / infirmity and relationship  $\rightarrow$ here the Word is shown as a *Fire* and also as a breaking through *Force* of glory to liberate them from that yoke of Babel! About that fire full Word:

Do you remember our lesson about those Emmaus disciples - they did recognize that their hearts were burning by those warm Words of the Lord Jesus  $\rightarrow$  Words that were fruits and results of the relationship that the Lord Jesus kept with his ABBA and with the Holy Spirit!

In Revelation 1 we sow our Lord Jesus with His eyes like fire! In these eyes compassion and fire did go together as the reflection of Jesus - now - glorified spirit and soul: I do remember that moment that I looked into those eyes; there in that <u>bath of my water - baptism</u>! He looked at me with His awesome love and compassion: "A glories & heavenly experience" of which I hope will stay with me all of my life!

I do also remember many times that the Lord did touch me deeply inside this with His: "Words of fire & great significance"

# 3.2. The Word as the incorruptible Seed

In Luke 8: 4 - 8 & 11 - 15 we can read about the different attitudes of hearts in which the Seed is planted / sowed - for us a serious warning is implied here which will cause us to listen to His voice, so that there'll be no chance that the Word will be robbed from us or floods away by ignorance; So: stay awake and be alert! Relationship with the Word through the Holy Spirit will transform us into His salting *Salt* & His *Light* that shines clearly in the world: a precious result of our love - relation with the Trinity!

# This process sets the following free in us:

- a holy fire within you
- a re silience
- a dedication to the Lamb
- a holy yearning to God
- a compassion for each other
- a compassion for the lost
- a deeper boldness, meekness and strength
- an inner knowledge to be the ownership of God
- a regenerating force to serve Him and others
- hunger and thirst for new sources in God
- purging and refreshing of our hearts and minds
- Getting nearer to the situation of Rev. 4 vs. 4 6.

# "It did cost Him however a whole lot!"

We can partake in this process as an addition to His suffering - read about this now in:

#### 1 Peter 4: 12-15; Hosea 2: 14; Matthew 3: 2- 4 & Psalm 84: 3 - 7.

Even here by going through al of this process He: "Our Lord" - is at our side! Development in this process is really important. It brings us in that exuberantly and intimate / expressive

relationship with the Lamb & the Lion very close to the heavenly *Altar of Incense*. So prepare your hearts to meet Him there! It will create in us the censure heart attitude needed to see Him face to face and it'll enable us to understand and to partake in that immense suffering that our Lord endured! Mention: 1 Peter 4 & 5 & Hebrews 5: 5 -10  $\rightarrow$  showing us the development from the fruit of this process - especially in the last part of 1 Peter 5 & the 1 st. part of 2 Peter 1 what'll be a great guide and of great help during this process - so do study this part with deep reference and great dedication please!

This is the end of this <u>Step 4 c</u> lesson! The following lesson <u>Step 4 d</u> - is about more aspects of:

# "The strong and continued living Word of the Lord"

This by going a bit deeper into: **Job 28**! You can send me your questions for further info as usual by my chat ; many blessings - your brother <u>Paulo</u>!

# 4. Step 4 d "The Word filled with power and wisdom"

"Job 28" and a short intro unto Isaiah 25 & 55

#### WHERE DOES DIVINE WISDOM COME FROM?

<u> Јов 28</u>

<sup>1-11</sup> "We all know silver seams the rocks, we've seen the stuff from which gold is refined, we're aware of how iron is dug out of the ground and copper is smelted from rock. Miners penetrate the earth's darkness, searching the roots of the mountains for ore, digging away in the suffocating darkness. Far from civilization, far from the traffic, the cut a shaft, and are lowered into it by ropes. Earth's surface is a field for grain, but its depths are a forge, firing sapphires from stones and chiselling gold from rocks. Vultures are blind to its riches, hawks never lay eyes on it. Wild animals are oblivious to it, lions don't know it's there. Miners hammer away at the rock, they uproot the mountains. They tunnel through the rock and find all kinds of beautiful gems. They discover the origins of rivers, and bring earth's secrets to light

."<sup>12-19</sup> "But where, oh where, will they find Wisdom? Where does Insight hide? Mortals don't have a clue, haven't the slightest idea where to look. Earth's depths say, 'It's not here'; ocean deeps echo, 'Never heard of it.' It can't be bought with the finest gold; no amount of silver can get it. Even famous Ophir gold can't buy it, not even diamonds and sapphires. Neither gold nor emeralds are comparable; extravagant jewellery can't touch it. Pearl necklaces and ruby bracelets – why bother? None of this is even a down payment on Wisdom! Pile gold and African diamonds as high as you will, they can't hold a candle to Wisdom.

<sup>720-22</sup> "So where does Wisdom come from? And where does Insight live? It can't be found by looking, no matter how deep you dig, no matter how high you fly. If you search through the graveyard and question the dead, they say, 'We've only heard rumours of it."<sup>23-28</sup> "God alone knows the way to: Wisdom, he knows the exact place to find it. He knows the exact place to find it. He knows where everything is on earth, he sees everything under heaven. After He commanded the winds to blow and measured out the waters, arranged for the rain and set off explosions of thunder and lightning, He focused on Wisdom, made sure it was all set and tested and ready. Then He addressed the human race: 'Here it is! Fear-of-the Lord - that's Wisdom and Insight means shunning evil!

A deeper insight on this precious Word of God with It's hidden treasures we'll discover by going a bit deeper into the beautiful aspects of this poetic chapter: <u>Job 28</u> - where we'll find

besides info about: the exploring of those Treasures also some quotes about the divine Source of wisdom and about the essence of the fear of the Lord with it's **main** purpose: "The knowing of Him who was from the very beginning; compare this to Jeremiah 9: 23 & Philippians 3: 13! So here now some on this valuable Source of divine information! In verses 1 - 11 we can read about a Rock  $\rightarrow$  a symbol of:" The Word of our Lord" as shown In 1 Corinthians 10: 1-4 here it shows about that Rock: Jesus the Christ - Whom is; as we sow in John 1: 1 - 3 is also:" The Word of the Lord" - born in the flesh out of the virgin: Mary Now up to the 2 nd Part of this lessen <u>- !</u>

In this Rock all kind of Treasures were hidden these were to be explored by means of digging holes and also by boring a tunnels in that mountain this to reach those hidden treasures as all kind of stones, gold etc. in the precious Word of our Lord! So the exploring of those treasures hidden in the total Word of God enquires for dedication / endurance end a deep desperate desire to get grip on those! Then also it is mentioned there that this searching activities did happen far away from men in an isolated and private place so in "*the secret place*" of our being with the Most High - this by deep searching for and meditating on those treasures which are hidden in that Rock mentioned!

Also it speaks here about the soil of our hearts with its deeper streams of fire - in our being we received a newly created inner spiritual fire full man so deep inside in the soil of our heart! God's desire however is our total transformation so by the intimate relation with the Word and with the Spirit all of our being will get on fire and will be exchanged unto His image - also it speaks here about bread  $\rightarrow$  symbol of the same Word of the Lord! Then in the last part of Job 28 God Himself is coming into the picture as Creator and Keeper of the divine and for creature's hidden Wisdom and particularly in the last verse He urges us to go deep into our relation with Him in Isaiah50: 4-10 and with the Isaiah 11:  $3 \rightarrow$  "Spirit of the fear of the Lord"-remember here:

#### Isaiah 11: 1 - 3: 50: 4-10, Proverbs 8: 13, Psalm45: 6 - 7 & Hebrew 1: 9

I do urge you herewith to go really **deeply** into this very precious peace of poetic scripture as it will show you a lot more as I did prescribe here above for us now: this part of <u>Step 6 c</u> is finished

Now I will show some spiritual mean principles in Isaiah 25 & 55 please read both of these chapters deeply and take quality time to consider their contents as they are the main subjects of our finishing next lesson on Step 4! So now  $\rightarrow$  2 short introductions on these 2 chapters in the book of Isaiah:

#### Intro unto: Isaiah 25

This chapter emphasises the struggles with as result a breaking through / dedicated life which desires and urges from inner out to go for that destination men is created for - this'll however have to go through hardships and inner exchanges - to reach that divine purpose of the Most High! However on that mountaintop God appears by vanishing the veil (the fleshly nature) and supplying the over comers with fresh powerful foods and delightful excellent ripe wins these as a ransom and as an equipment for times ahead; mention here the food stands as symbol for the powerful Word of the Lord and those wines for the anointing of His most precious Spirit!

#### Intro unto: Isaiah 55

This chapter shows us about the Word as:" Well of Living Water" unto which I did share in a former lesson! Here we'll discover the very precious process of how the Word does integrate in the soil of a re born creature's heart! A very interesting point of view on this behalf I'd point out here is the parable of the Sewer sowing its Seed in human hearts all within a different state of readiness and about the different results this due to these hearts - soil conditions! Then as extra info we see in James 5: 7 - 11 "*The Landowner / Sewer*" patiently waiting during the

development of His crop  $\rightarrow$  ready to put His sickle in as soon as He decides the crop reached its ripeness - so go with and in Him for the best!

This concludes the lesson <u>Step 4 d</u>. I wish you our Lord's blessing by studying it and with preparing on: Isaiah 25 & 55 the main subjects in our finishing lessons of <u>Step 4</u> "A fresh view on: Isaiah 25 & 55"

For remarks or quests please do reach me by the fb - chat or by my e-mail - be blessed  $\rightarrow \underline{br}$ . <u>Paulo</u>

# 5. Step 4 d (1) "A fresh view on spiritual processes in Isaiah 55 The Word in a practical sense!



# 5.1. Introduction to Step 6 d

After our view on Job 28 - We'll now start to take a view to a larger part of Isaiah 25 and I do urge you seriously to repay also good attention to our former Step 2 about the: "Fear of the Lord" and to the: Psalm 40 Summary which does fit quite well in the content of this lesson about the precious and holy: "Word of the Lord"! Then after teaching on this chapter: Isaiah 25 I intend to pay also good attention to a bigger part of Isaiah 55 where it speaks about the Word as a source of water needed to soak the soil of our hearts to enable it to observe the: "Seed" sowed by the Sewer: the Lord of Hosts! Then as a final closure to this serial I'll give a short review unto Step 6 as a whole!

# <u> "Isaiah 25 : 1-5"</u>

<sup>1-5</sup> God, you are my God. I celebrate you. I praise you. You've done your share of miraclewonders, well-thought-out plans, solid and sure. Here you've reduced the city to rubble, the strong city to rubble, the strong city to a pile of stones. The enemy Big City is a non-city, never to be a city again. Superpowers will see it and honour you, brutal oppressors bow in worshipful reverence. They'll see that you take care of the poor, that you take care of poor people in trouble, provide a warm, dry place in bad weather, provide a cool place when it's hot. Brutal oppressors are like a winter blizzard! Vicious foreigners like high noon in the desert. But you, shelter from the storm and shade from the sun, shut the mouths of the big-mouthed bullies- <u>br Paulo !</u>

# 6. Step 4 d- (2) Our God is strong and jealous:

He does away with even the strongholds and trouble spots in our inner being, even the Lord destroys the force centers from the ancestry, during this violent process: He is our Rock.

## In the surfs: He protects us as in Psalm 91 against the rains and scorching heat of the evil; so we are soaked off of those bad influences and grow as that Rock in: verse 6 in our lives: Grace 'll do this in us.

## Isaiah 25 : 6-10: "GOD'S HAND RESTS ON THIS MOUNTAIN"!

<sup>6-8</sup> But here on this mountain, God-of-the-Angel-Armies, will throw a feast for all the people of the world, a feast of the finest foods, a feast with vintage wines, a feast of seven courses, a feast lavish with gourmet desserts. And here on this mountain, God will banish the pall of doom hanging over all peoples, the shadow of doom darkening all nations: Yes, He'll banish death forever. And God will wipe the tears from every face.- Glory!

He'll remove every sign of disgrace from his people, wherever they are. Yes! God says so! <sup>9-10</sup> Also at that time, people will say: "Look at what's happened! This is our God! We waited for Him and He showed up and saved us! This God, the one we waited for! Let's celebrate, sing the joys of his salvation. God's hand rests on this mountain here goes the Gentleman / the strong Warrior - by the basis of these changes; do read in: verse 6-10 here above and realize that the " Marrow rich Food "stands for: the living Words and those "Mature good Wines" for very deep matured: joyfull annointings of the Holy Spirit - read about this in:Isaiah 11: 3 and Hebrews 1:9

#### On this mountain the heart 'll be circumcised and they'llsee him as I saw Him there years ago Here we notice also:

"the victory of the Lamb on the death portrayed"!

# than a new song wells up in the hearts of these redeemed a JOY explosion for their Savior and God who did renew their hearts

<sup>10-12</sup> As for the Moabites, they'll be treated like refuse, waste shovelled into a cesspool. Thrash away as they will, like swimmers trying to stay afloat, they'll sink in the sewage' their pride will pull them under. Their famous fortifications will crumble to nothing, those mighty walls reduced to dustYou know: they were redeemed from Egypt but Israel went even with the escendants of Lot and his daughters. These mixed powers of: spirit & flesh are an: abomination in the eyes of the Lord: realise **this costs** but is worth it !

#### Isaiah 26: "STRETCH THE BORDERS OF LIFE"!

<sup>1-6</sup> At that time, this song will be sung in the country of Judah: We have a strong city, Salvation City, built and fortified with salvation. Throw wide the gates, so good and true people can enter. People with their minds set on You, You keep completely whole, steady on their feet, because they keep at it and don't quit. Depend on God and keep at it because in the Lord God you have a sure thing. Those who lived high and mighty,

He'll knock them off their high horse. He used the city built on the hill as fill for the marshes. All the exploited peoples'll build their lives on the reclaimed land.
The latter verses in Isaiah 25 Let us see what the consequence will be if we'll not keep staying in that: "Close to the Lord" and fall back into our old carnal gradually and / or religious patterns again by not fully dealing with those demigods in our lives! We will than with those who follow in our footsteps miss the total blessing of Isaiah 26: 1-3" ! Hebrews 12: 1 - 8 there is a very sharp warning! br Paulo !

# 7. Step 4 d ( 3)

Stay vigilant and alert - do remember: David - Solomon & Simsonand stay focused as: Paul showed us in <u>Colossians 3</u> & <u>Hebrews 12: 1-7</u>!There is however a solution you go with you to the last part of next lesson on it:"Come to the waters" in Isiaih 55 -!

# Isaiah 55 !

<sup>1-5</sup> "Hey there"! All who are thirsty come to the water! Are you penniless? Come anyway - buy and eat! Come, buy your drinks, buy without money - everything's free! Why do you spend your money on junk food, your hard-earned cash on cotton candy? Listen to me, listen well: Eat only the best fill you with only the finest. Pay attention, come close and listen carefully to my life-giving, life-nourishing words. I'm making a lasting cove- nant commitment with you, the same that I made with David: sure, solid, enduring love. I set him up as a witness to the nations made him a prince and leader of the nations and now I'm doing it to you: You'll summon nations you've never heard of, and nations who've never heard of you. Because of me - you're God - because:

## "The Holy One of Israel has honoured you."

<sup>6-7</sup> Seek God while He's here to be found, pray to Him while He's close at hand. Let the wicked abandon their way of thinking. Let them come back to God, who is merciful come back to our God, who is lavish with forgiveness.<sup>8-11</sup> I don't think the way you think the way you work isn't the way I work: Here we see the: "Great loving God" -!

Whom sees its own peoplespoiling His gifts and qualities His blessings to them still He creates in their lives same loving: "Father - heart" as we saw in Him In <u>Step 1</u> so full of compassion also here hurted under the coldness and hardening of their hearts but He takes to rescue them and shows them who He is:

# "He offers them a way to life"!

"For as the sky soars high above earth, so the way I work surpasses the way you work, and the way I think is beyond the way you think. Just as rain and snow descend from the skies and don't go back until they've watered the earth, doing their work of making things grow and blossom, producing seed for farmers and

#### food for the hungry, so will

the Words that come out of my mouth not come back empty.

They'll do the work I sent them to do, they'll complete the assignment I gave them! <sup>12-13</sup> "So you'll go out in joy: you'll be lead into a whole and complete life. The mountains and hills will lead the parade, bursting with song. All the trees of the forest will join the procession, exuberant with applause. No more thistles, but giant sequoias, no more thorn bushes, but stately pines - monuments to me, to God, living and lasting evidence of God.

Here verses <u>11 & 12</u> did particularly hit me as here we see: the orderin process / principles about the: "How when and where" the Lord'll apply the Word in our lives with the purpose that it'll as a Seed come inus to full fruition a: "Holy and divine perspectiv" !A deeper commitment relationship with the Lord and with each other to this are essential resources for us  $\Box$  o. a.in: 2 Petrus1 can help us here! for now many blessings and joy in the processing of this lesson - Yours in Him: - <u>br. Paulo!</u>

# 7.1. About: the "Holy Spirit" and the "Word of God"!

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The Holy Spirit is the One that associates so closely with us - He baptizes us. He operates mainly through the Word of God. Often until the Word is spoken He does nothing. Look at Creation, where he hovered like a wind over the face of chaos. When God said, <u>"Let there be light"</u>, He brought light. That is why we need Holy Spirit preaching:

## "The Holy Spirit blesses the Word"!

No one else can do that. By Him the Word of God becomes a life-giving, life-changing power. Nobody can preach with Holy Spirit power unless we preach the Word of God. He is committed to the Word and is the living link between - the Father and the Word.

That is His eternal association. The Spirit acts when the Word is spoken. Holy Spirit preaching is not just passionate, but compassionate and creative. People come alive through the Spirit-Word; they are born again by His creative work. No preaching of our own, however brilliant, produces miracles, but the Holy Spirit belongs to the Word and the Word belongs to the Holy Spirit, charged with all the energies seen from the day of Creation and even up till today!

His divine purpose:

"Holy Spirit preaching" is nothing less than the "Miraculous"!

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