

## **Prophecy – The Family Prayer Center**

### **All Things are Found in Me, So Spend the Time**

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I'll remind you again and again, says the Spirit of the Lord, first, that I love you beyond all words that can say. That love that you felt at the beginning when you were born into the Kingdom, and the mercy and the grace and the unconditional love is just as strong on the other side of the door as it was in preface to the door, so that you know that I'm always bearing with you and working with you in great patience and longsuffering to bring you to a place that you've never been before, says the Spirit of the Lord. But you must grow up, and you must stop making excuses why not to spend earnest time in prayer, says the Spirit of the Lord.

Many will say, "I am busy. You don't know the world that I live in." And the Lord says unto you, you've been the one who's created that world. You've created your own busyness, and you've created a place beyond where you and I could sit down and resolve all things in the spirit.

Know this, says the Spirit of the Lord, that there comes a place in your life that elbow grease, elbow grease in the natural will not suffice. It will not take the place of the spiritual time that must be spent in My presence to preface and to go in front of you and make your way straight. So doing more in the natural and working hard, many of you, many of you must know and establish this time for those things in your life that you're wanting to see happen.

Your financial recovery takes place first in this place. Your recovery in life and all things rebuilding takes place in this place, says the Spirit of the Lord. The health of your marriage, the health of your body, the health of your life in going forth and your children being raised in a home that is conducive for them to grow in the atmosphere, all things are prefaced [in this place]. "Oh, but I'm in Him; I know Him – I'm born again," you will say inside of you. But oh, the life of Christ in you is being squeezed out daily by your busyness in the world. And I say unto you again, My love for you and mercy has not changed. But I'm saying, judge yourself. Judge yourself on the grounds of whether or not you'd like for Me to be able to come and lavish My love on you and guarantee for you a future that is absolutely bright, restored, and renewed on a continual basis, says the Spirit of the Lord.

More, (I heard Him say this again), more elbow grease in the natural will not replace the time you must spend in My presence, says the Lord. I've not called you, I've not called you as an individual in the workplace to spend the hours that your pastor does or other leaders and elders. Nevertheless, that does not exempt you with an excuse to say, "I cannot do this." Your armament against satanic warfare is put on in this place. [It is] your strength and renewal, your mind to go through and to stop the enemy before he's ever able to launch the attack against you.

Do not vacillate and be one that's back and forth, but stand your ground. Stand your ground. I'll not ask more of you than you can give, says the Spirit of the Lord. But you must, you must reconcile this in your heart and stand in a place of humility and say, "Yes, Lord. I can do this and I will do this." Because know this, My children, I have you, I have you on My heart. Every request and every nudge as a Father to have you spend time with Me is always for your benefit, your happiness, your prosperity, the healing of your body and marriage, and everything that is involved in this life, says the Spirit of the Lord.

(He's after you and I to go to a place.) You can do this, He says. You can do this. Oh, there are pitfalls. There are pitfalls that he's (the enemy) designed for each one of you. Many of you will go around them and step over them because you'll see clearly before you ever get there. And some of you listening, and in this place, and watching will step right over into the pitfall, and you'll say, "Why? My God, why? Why did this come upon me? How? How'd this happen?" And I as a Father, I'll pick you up, dust you off, and send you down the road again, but I'll remind you that I have almost begged of you to slow down enough to have a place of devoted prayer, says the Spirit of the Lord.

I cannot replace what I can get over to you in those times by your daily going forward. This has no question on your place of Heaven and Hell. You're always ready to see Me, in knowing Me in your born-again spirit, but your born-again spirit does not replace [time spent with Me]. It will not inform you; it will not guide you, it will not lead you as in the direction of those things in which only I through My Holy Spirit can direct you as you engage with Me on a continual basis, says the Spirit of the Lord.

Happiness is in this place. Prosperity of mind and marriage is in this place. Everything that you could possibly want is in this place. Neglecting it and finding every excuse why not is – is – the certainty of a life filled with ups and downs, ins and outs.