

STRATEGY FOR WAR

The angel further expressed to me that God was going to release a strategy for war from behind the veil. The counsel that will be given will concern two areas: 1) spiritual warfare, and 2) divine war on governmental systems

Vital information, which is now being held in reserve, will be released through a select group of people. Most of those that will be given the information and direction for this hour will be prophets. These are men and women held, you might say, behind the starting line like fine-tuned thoroughbred horses, awaiting the opportunity to take on the hurdles that mark their paths on behalf of Christ's calling. Though they have been serving for years, as Joseph did in prison, they are about to be brought to the forefront and released as spiritual eyes for the body, and eventually for the world.

A wise man scales the city walls of the mighty and brings down the stronghold in which they trust - Prov.21: 22

So the apostles and prophets (not one used in the gift of prophecy, but one who stands in the office of the prophet), will be the major vessels through which the Lord will be giving direction in this coming hour - not discounting the leading by his inner witness and the Word to the individual believer. It will be in effect, an added dimension. Whereas, in the past couple of decades or so the teachers have been the front line faces, now emphasis will be placed on these new prophets, and they will in effect be taking the place of the teaching ministry in importance. This is needful because of the peculiar end-time ministry ahead.

It will be so very important for every member of the body to rise up and fulfill their call today - not trying to fulfill another man's call but their own. I sense this need will be true more than at any other time in history. Being in our God ordained place for this great harvest, will release us to ministry potential far exceeding what any of us can really fathom.

I also want to emphasize here that although the teachings will be new, they will be out of the Word. Anyone rightly dividing the Word will be at perfect peace with its origin and purity.

We have talked now about the jealousy of God, the Sword of Separation and the Sword of Judgment that is coming. In the last chapter, we talked about the sweet mantle of unity that is coming as well as some strategic teachings that will soon be released. In this chapter, we will endeavor to talk some more on the campaign being designed by the Captain of the Host for war.

The angel's statement went according to this, "Strategy coming from behind the veil: Strategy for war, spiritual warfare first, then war on governmental systems.

The teachings will be given to a selected number - specifically anointed to bring them to the body. "Then he said, "Tell the people to heed the teachers for their counsel is sure."

~A Vision of the Church~

On January 25, 1990, I was given a rather extensive vision in full color. I'll be sharing parts of it throughout this book as it concerns many areas of interest to the church. Throughout this vision, I spoke with an angel. Although I didn't see him in this particular vision, he communicated to me in an audible voice. The part I'm going to share now was one of the last parts of the vision. It so beautifully depicts what I'm trying to communicate that I'd like to share it here.

I saw a great, thick cloud, hovering over the earth. So thick and massive was it and so black, that it made the earth look totally dark. The angel told me to call for the church. So I did. "Church, come. Arise and fight the great darkness." As I said this, I saw a most incredible light slowly fly in the direction of this great, dark cloud. As this cloud of light approached the great darkness, it formed a sort of wall in front of it. I saw it begin to push this cloud of darkness back with much intensity of purpose - it was relentless. Although the dark cloud fought with all its might to hold its ground, it was no match for the standard of light that opposed it. The light pushed and pushed and was making such great headway. I thought it would fight until the dense darkness was totally defeated and gone. However, suddenly the voice from heaven spoke to the light and said, "It is enough now. Go, claim the harvest."

Immediately, this hand of light, as it were, stood in front of the cloud of darkness, holding it in place as though someone were holding the lid open to a breadbox. Simultaneously, the cloud of light slipped down, as though through an invisible tunnel under the belly of this mass of darkness, and began to fill the whole earth with light. I saw what seemed to be multiplied millions of souls accept Jesus as their Savior and Lord. What an awesome awakening.

There was virtually nothing the black cloud could do about it.

When the entire world was saturated with light, I saw two majestic thrones descend from heaven. One was the throne of the Son of God. The other was the throne made ready for his bride. The angel then told me to call the church home. So I cried "Church, the King awaits you. Arise now and go home. " Just then, I saw the now greatly increased cloud of light, heavy with the souls of the harvest, begin to move from the earth towards heaven. As it did, it became brilliant. It turned to fill the second of the two thrones, that it might take its rightful place by the King. I watched until this cloud of light took on the shape of a beautiful bride, awesomely adorned in her wedding gown. Its train was long and flowing. She turned and was seated by her husband. The vision then came to an end.

This incredible vision is a perfect depiction of the spiritual warfare we are about to embark upon as the army of the Great King. We have been given much understanding in recent years about spiritual warfare. Yet, we have only touched the surface, the tip of the iceberg, so to speak. But along with knowledge for such an understanding, there must also be greater anointing. One without the other could have rather serious consequences. However, the body has not been in a place where the Lord could afford to release the kind of anointing it will take to do what must be done.

Now, thanks be to God, He is preparing us for bigger horizons. There is coming a new strategy for warfare. I saw the church rise up as a standard and push the black cloud back. This will come to pass through the new strategy and unity with the resulting anointing working mighty wonders. We will see the effects of this in unity of the following ways.

Long-standing promises will finally be broken loose. Strongholds that seemed invincible will be demolished. Wisdom will be given and children will be freed. Husbands and wives will be liberated. Businesses will explode into higher levels of prosperity just in time for this dynamic global evangelistic thrust.

Bondages in governments will be temporarily broken. Deceptions in media will be blatantly revealed. All that opposes truth will seemingly be a toothless lion *for a season*.

~Strategy Against the World System~

The Lord will release information to the body to enable us to effectively pray regarding governments of this world and to move in the natural against policies hindering his coming mega revival.

Let me give some scriptural examples. Esther was given simple, but profound wisdom on how to handle the king so as to overturn Haman's plot against her people, subsequently saving the Jewish nation. Three days of national fasting provided the right spiritual climate for her to hear from God and be used to bring salvation to her people. Daniel was another of God's secret-service men in government, as were his three friends. It was no accident that they were used to place God's name above all other gods of the earth in a place of worship. By doing this, Israel had the freedom to continue to worship Jehovah unhindered. Only the annals of heaven would open the door of understanding of how truly strategic their placements were, not to mention how much affect their lives had on the overall spiritual welfare of Israel.

Joseph was another man of God's plans. He was given a gift of exceeding great wisdom to keep not one, but two nations alive during a terrible famine.

Let us not fail to mention Moses. God used his understanding of the Egyptian monarchy, and his intimacy with Jehovah (knowing and understanding his ways), to bring Egypt to its knees that Israel might go free.

Just as these men and women were used, men and women are going to be maneuvered about by the Spirit of the Living God to accomplish feats on behalf of righteousness and the church, in the nations around the world. Are you ready?

There will be many "Josephs" raised up to intervene in government affairs world wide. These people won't have to push and shove, as the Lord will open their doors. Just the same, there will be a few anointed as Moses was, to bring nations to their knees on behalf of the Christian or the Jew at crucial times. These incidents will take place in the latter times.

The time of God dealing with governments will be dealt with in another chapter, so I won't go into that on a large scale now. However, things such as changing major laws, bringing certain government affairs to accountability, and other scrutinizes of that nature will be the seedling of things to come.

Are you ready to hear the truths that will be made known before it's over? Are you ready to be used to make needed changes? What are you waiting for?

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