

## Amazing Power!

Hay, Nice meeting everyone through this book” Amazing Power”. I dare to call myself as an author of this book. I praise God for the divine revelation which made to author this book. I tend to address the Holy Spirit as an author of this book. The Lord enabled me bring down the mysteries in the sensitive areas of Family Management. Glory to God! But this divine revelation is to prove neither my wisdom nor my educational status. Glory to God! This was revealed to quench the spiritual thirst of the children of God.

As we reads in the book of Revelation 1:11 writing is one of the unction of the Holy Spirit. God is unchanging for yesterday today and even for tomorrow. Even in the days of Exodus, God chose a man called Moses and gave a tablet that was the ordinance and the commandments for the children of God to adopt in their daily life. The purpose of the writing is not to create an awareness of the concept derived in, but to inherit a new blessing which was unrevealed. This revelation of God makes you to enter into the gates of heaven and makes you to enjoy the sweet presence of God and makes you a living witness for the Glory of his name.

Unless it is revealed there is no knowledge, not only that, the scripture describes those consequences of the lack of knowledge. As we reads in the book of Hosea 4:6”My people perish due to lack of knowledge”. At the same time Knowledge is the source of power. Normal sermon gives us knowledge but revelation always strikes power from above. I believe that this “Amazing Power” will empower you to be a strong pillar for the Gospel of Christ. Let us ponder on the scriptural assurance for this blessed experience.

“Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows”. (James 1:17)

“When you ascended on high, you led captives in your train; you received gifts for men, even from the rebellious-that you, O Lord God, might dwell among them”. (Psalms 68:18)

The above verse's brings out the profound truth that all gifts originate and descend directly from the Lord God Almighty Himself. The Lord Almighty is the author and source of the Gifts, who can operate it perfectly. How to proceed further to receive the blessed heavenly experiences? The Holy Bible gives us an eternal support. Let us concentrate on the following verses!

"If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him " (Luke 11:13)

"..... they should always pray and not give up."(Luke 18:1)

"Ask it shall be given to you....For everyone who asks receives."(Luke 11:9, 10)

All these above mentioned verses support's us to intercede for the divine break through! Amidst of these verses in the book of Isaiah 44:3 says about the thirst, and in James 4:6, Luke 14:11 says about humbleness. Yeah! Thirst, Humbleness makes any one to receive this divine experiences since God is not respect of any persons (Romans 2:11).

What is Power and where is its origin?

Power is something beyond the human comprehension, which cannot be surely defined as an image or object. It is influencing the nature like wind, thunder, light, air even in some occasion's fire. The origin of the power is from the Lord Almighty. As we reads in Psalms 62 verse 11' Power belongs unto God'. And also 2Chronicles 25:8 says "God hath Power." In 1Chronicles29:12 say's Lord's hand is Power". Nahum 1:3, Psalms 93:4 all these are the scriptural evidences to say that "Power belongs to God." The great love of God Almighty has a tendency to share all that he has with Him. Man always tends to possess but the attributes of God is to share.

According to 1Corinthian12:5 says" There are different types of service but for the same Lord." Accordingly it is eventually distributed it depends upon the thirst and the desire of the individual. Yeah! God certainly bestows

powers to the individuals. Let us look into the scriptural evidences which will makes us to claim the power from God since He is not in respect of any one.

The prophet say's in Micah 3:8 "...But truly I'm full of power by the spirit of the Lord. In acts 10:38 say's" How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with the power. In the book of St. Matthews 28:18 "Jesus came and spoke unto them, saying" All powers are given unto me in heaven and earth." St. John 17:2 say's "Father hath given power to Jesus". And Luke 4:14 "And Jesus returned in the power of the spirit."

And only for Christ, He gave powers to the disciples, As we read's in Acts 4:33" And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all". Also in Acts 19:11 say's "And God wrought special miracles by the hands of Paul". He grants power over the nature, human bodies, demons and even in the plants kingdom, animal kingdom and so on. Jesus Christ went to the country Gadarenes. There came a man possessed with innumerable spirits and Jesus set him free by His word. There follows the actions of the demons. We can see in St. Mark 5: 11,12, 13. Let us read the verses given below:

"Now a large herd of swine was feeding there near the mountains, So all the demons begged Him, saying," Send us to the swine, that we may enter them"

"And at once Jesus gave them permission. Then the unclean spirits went out and entered the swine. And the herd ran violently down the steep place into the sea, and drowned in the sea"

The above mentioned instance illustrates us Power bestowed upon an individual is to make another human being live with liberty. Is it not amazing? As we reads in Acts 1:8'But ye shall receive Power, after that the Holy Spirit is come upon you'. To descend, the Power to the Human beings on the earth, The Lord sends His Spirit known as Holy Spirit.

Before the creation of Human being the scripture says in the Book of Genesis chapter 1 verse 2...The Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters'. The Spirit of God which was upon the waters later on moved into the hearts of

the human beings and started making his association with Man. Let us have detail study about the Holy Spirit operation in the believer's life.

A believer cannot be bestowed with power unless he possesses the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit launches His office in the life of a believer and starts operating the individual according to the divine plan concerned about the individual. The zeal of God is quite high once the individual tends to co-operate for this divine plan of operation. He is something new. The reason behind the individual's life is nothing else but transformation.

Can Human beings be transformed? Yeah! It is possible. As we reads in the epistles to Romans 12:2

'.....Be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind'.

This transformation takes place by renewing our minds. This is the business point of the Holy Spirit, the reason for His station in the life of a believer. Yet, He demands the total submission to the operation of the spirit. The lack of concentration paid for the renovation of the mind hurdles the entrance so the spirit finds it as hindrances. It is up to an individual to receive it with a great thirst and desire. The attributes of God Almighty is Non Enforcement. He tends to deal even the divine matters to His children by love and compassion. God Almighty Jesus Christ will ever and never compel anyone against their wishes. It is optional and unconditional. What an awesome Lord we serve? Let us look into the functions of the Holy Spirit. Unless we have knowledge about the spirit we cannot understand the subject called power.

## 1. The Holy Spirit.

The Lord God has manifested Himself in three forms. Three different forms, but He is the one and the same Person! Please read this truth as given below:

“ For there are three that bear witness in heaven: the Father, the Word, and the Holy Spirit; and these three are one. (1 John 5:7, 8)

### 1. God, The Father!

In the books of Isaiah 66:1 and Acts 7:49 portray God’s colossal and universal stature through His words:” Heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool.” Hebrews 11:27 describes that Our Lord Father is invisible Jeremiah 23: 23, 24 inform us that God being and all pervasive, fills Heaven and earth, Again , 1Timothy 6:16 gives the exact portrayal of God, thus;

“Who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, which no one has seen or can see? To Him be Honor and might forever”.

The Father is an embodiment of ‘Power Everlasting’ and ‘love in comparable’ interlocked. The invisible God, the Father personally came down to the earth in human form as “Jesus”, so that man can directly witness. Also he can realize both His might power and incomparable love.

### 2. Jesus Christ, the Son:

As we reads in St.Matthews1:23,1Timothy 3:16, and Romans 9:5 in one accord that Jesus Christ is, “God manifested in flesh”. Our dear lord Jesus Christ Himself confirms in John 14:9,”He who has seen me has seen the father” Again in John 10:30, He says,” I and Father are one “.In Colossian’s 1:15, and Hebrews 1:3 describe Jesus Christ as image of the invisible God; the brightness of His glory and the express image of His person.

The purpose of His descent upon this earth was to offer His holy body as a living sacrifice on the cross and to shed His innocent blood for the iniquities of man-kind. Leviticus 17:11 and Hebrews 9:22, both conform that without shedding blood, there is no remission of sins. 1 Peter 1:19, Acts 20:28 emphasizes the same fact. As assured in 1 John 1:7, The Blood of Jesus Christ, the son of God, has power to cleanse us from all our sins. Jesus Christ died, rose up from the dead and ascended into heaven. Well, Let us discuss about the Holy Spirit!

### 3. The Holy Spirit!

As mentioned in John 14:26, 15:26, 16:7; It was Jesus Christ who specifically requested God, the Father, to send the Holy Spirit to mankind, as a comforter.

Father, Son and The Holy Spirit are a triune personality of God Almighty. It is known as Trinity. Therefore, that equal reverence, respect and honor should be ascribed to Him. The Holy Spirit is only a divine person but coequal with Father and Son. Let us have knowledge about HIS divine attributes. He possesses the similar Characteristics of Father and Son. What an awesome divine being? Let us meditate about the divine Characteristics of THE HOLY SPIRIT.

1. He has an eternal nature. (Hebrews 9:14)
2. He is OMNIPRESENT. He is capable of being everywhere at one time. (Psalms 139 :7-10)
3. He is OMNISCIENT. He knows all things. (1 Corinthians 2:10)
4. He is OMNIPOTENT. He has Power. (Luke 1:35)

The Personality of the Holy Spirit is as follows:

1. He can feel. (Ephesians 4:30)
2. He can comfort. (Acts 9:31)
3. He can think. (Romans 8:6)
4. He can speak. (Acts 13:2)
5. He can pray. (Acts 13:2)
6. He can teach. (John 8:26)
7. He can exercise His will (1 Corinthians 12:11)

8. He can forbid. (Acts 16:6)
9. He can work miracles. (Acts 19:6)

His nature is to impart the great power of God Almighty into Human beings. Through Him the manifestation takes place in earth. How does it happen?

As we read in the book of St. John 14:16 & 17 "That He may abide with you forever. He dwells with you and shall be in you."

#### Sevenfold work of the Holy Spirit:

There are seven words that describe the work of the Holy Spirit in the life of a believer. They are (1) The Baptism. (2) The Gift. (3) The Indwelling (4) the sealing. (5) The Earnest. (6) The Filling. (7) The Anointing of the Spirit. Let us study one by one as follows.

##### 1. The Baptism of the Spirit:

"For by one spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we bond or free" (1Corinthians 12:13)

Note if you will be baptized. As long as we maintain good relation with Christ and for HIS word we meet this as criteria for the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

##### 2. The Gift of the Spirit:

"God gave them like gift as he did unto us, who believed on the Lord Jesus Christ; what was I, that I could withstand God?" (Acts 11:17)

"On the Gentiles also was poured out the Gift of the Holy Ghost" (Acts 10:45).

"Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit" (Acts 2:38)

The Holy Spirit Himself is the Gift. There lived a man called Cornelius and his household received the Gift when they believed. When the three

thousand were saved on the day of Pentecost they, too, received God's gift, The Holy Spirit.

3. The Indwelling of the spirit:

“Know you not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?” (1 Corinthians 3:16).

This is the reason for the condemnation of adultery and the lust of the world. Through a dedication, life before the Lord Almighty turns out to be sanctified premises for the Spirit to dwell. The Lord do really pleases in the life style of people who practices holiness in all parts of their life.

4. The Sealing of the Spirit:

“After that ye believed, ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit of promise” (Ephesians 1:13, 2Corinthians 5:5)

Here we can see the Triune God pays His attention for His mighty work called Salvation. Yeah! As soon as a believer attains salvation. He belongs to the Lord. As we reads in the Holy Scripture “I am the Lord and he is mine” This zeal and zealousness of the Lord shifts the ownership of man. As we reads in the 1Peter 4:3 “For the time past of our life may suffice us to have wrought the will of Gentiles, when we walked in lasciviousness, lusts, excess of wine, raveling's, banqueting's, abominable idolatries:”

Also we can read in the St .John's Gospel chapter 8 verses 44 “Ye are of your Father the devil”

Now the owner ship was changed. The devil has not got any authority. It is due to the transformation. The sealing of the spirit leads towards a redemption. The function of the spirit is sealing the life of a believer and leads an individual to heaven.

5. The earnest of the Spirit:

As we reads in the verses as follows:

“That Holy Spirit of promise, which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession” (Ephesians 4:13, 14)

“God; who hath also sealed us, and given the earnest of the Spirit in our hearts” (2 Corinthians 1:21, 22)

Thank God for this earnest. The earnest, is therefore, is ours now. We have had it already; we are having it still as we walk with light, and we will have it until at last we enter His presence.

#### 6. The Filling of the Spirit:

“Be filled with the Spirit”(Ephesians5:18).As we turn our lives to Christ ,from sin; As we yield ourselves, body, soul and spirit, to do His will, He fills us with the Holy Spirit, and we are enabled to live Spirit-filled lives. Thus we become fruit bearing Christians. Many times, believers fail to live a Christian in the office of the fruit of the spirit and thus it results low profile Christian living. Of course the individual may obtain the knowledge of the scripture and culture of the church but yet he lacks his potentials in the Christian living. It is due to the lack of the fruit of the spirit. As we read’s in Romans 8:26 “...The spirit also help our infirmities: For we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the spirit itself make intercession for us with groaning’s which cannot be uttered.”

#### 7. The Anointing of the Spirit:

The Anointing of the Holy Spirit cannot operate in a similar way as it operates an individual. As we reads in 1Corinthians 7:7...Every man hath his proper gift of God, one after this manner, and another after that.” Also “But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ.” (Ephesians4:7)

The anointing of Jesus Christ varies from other saints like Abraham, Moses, Elijah, Elisha, Samson and others. As we reads in the book of Acts chapter 10 verse 38 “ How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him.”

Thus it brought a great testimony about our Lord Jesus Christ. As we read in the chapter of St. Luke 24 verse19 “Concerning Jesus of Nazareth, which was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people.

The Election of Christ and the operation of the Holy Spirit made the public spell bound by the manifestation of the spirit.

These are the seven major functions of the Holy Spirit in the life of a believer.

Let us do detail study about the Spirit and Power. Both related each other. Today's spiritual matters are totally differs from the action of the Holy Spirit from the earlier days. God is unchanging. But, man does changes. God is put behind. Even today God is in search of persons but not in respect of persons. To influence His Spirit with Power and tends to build up His kingdom on the planet Earth. This is the desire of Almighty God Jesus Christ and searches people who earnestly seek him in way He wants to seek Him. Here is the issue starts....

Everybody who has a Godliness do tend to see Him and speak to him but not to the expectation of God but to their expectation, They do wish also have a deep desire in the bottom of the heart that God to bow down before them. They may sound it orally but it is facts of the present scenario. Beyond the prayer request been prayed God tends man to spend time with Him. Man is too busy has lot priorities than to have a fellowship with God. It doesn't matters to God. But still He is faithful for those who deli gently seeks him in way he expects. The Lord is not interested in quantity but in quality. What an awesome God we serve!

One fine day the Holy Spirit whispered in my ears that He is going to fill me by His power as He filled me with His word. I was waiting in His presence for many days, days turned into months and months turned out into years. But nothing happened amazingly. I was weary since I couldn't see any great divine flow as I expected. Amazingly the Holy Spirit spoke to me very clearly about the fulfillment of His word to me. The Holy Spirit opened my eyes towards a bible passage in the books of Acts chapter 2 verses 1- 4.

“And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. -verse 1

And suddenly there came a sound from a heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.-verse 2

And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.-verse 3

And they were all filled with Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the spirit gave them utterance.”-verse 4

This is the basement for this book to be published. I hope the divine revelation will surely open your eyes of understanding and take you towards the heavenly visitation. You'll be transformed and understand real sense of spirit filled life. I've prayed very seriously that this book should be in the hands of the elect not with everyone. May the Lord guide you continuously? Amen.

## Chapter 2. The day of Pentecost.

The festivals were not just jovial parties. They were also serious and important occasions in which Israel honored the Lord for His relationship with them. The Israelites did form a unique nation to have a relationship with God. The festivals were a way of reminding them of this. As stated above, Passover was an eternal reminder of how God protected them and delivered them from Egypt. Pentecost was a reminder of how God protected them and delivered them of the giving of the law and the events at Mount Sinai.

There were long centuries before and during Israel's captivity in Syria and Babylon when these Festivals were not observed regularly at Jerusalem. Under Ezra and Nehemiah the observance was restored, but they noted sadly. "This had not been .....since, the days of Joshua"(Nehemiah 8:14-17). That was over five hundred years of non-observance.

"And when the day of Pentecost was fully come....." (Acts 2:1)

What is this Pentecost?

"These are the feasts of the Lord, the sacred assemblies you are to proclaim at their appointed times". (Leviticus 23:14-16)

The Lord ordained three Festival seasons to be observed every year by the Children of Israel.

"Three times a year you are to celebrate a festival for me.

Celebrate the feast of Unleavened Bread (Passover); for seven days eat bread made without yeast, as I commanded you. Do this at the appointed time in the month of Abib, for in the month you came out of Egypt. None is to appear before me empty handed.

Celebrate the Feast of Harvest (Pentecost) with the first fruits of the crops you sow in your field.

Celebrate the Feast of Ingathering (Tabernacles) at the end of the year, when you gather in your crops from the field.”(Exodus 23:14-16)

The Feast of Pentecost was also called the feast of Harvest. This inspired fifty days after the waving of the First fruit sheaf at the end of unleavened bread.

Pentecost memorializes the events at Sinai-When God appeared to give Ten Commandments ....”There were thunders and lightning’s and a thick cloud upon the mount, and the voice of the trumpet exceeding’s loud; so that all the people that was in the camp trembled” (Exodus 19:16)

“The prophets, who spoke of the grace that was to come to you, searched intently and with the greatest care, trying to find out the time and circumstances to which the spirit of Christ in them was pointing when he predicted the sufferings of Christ and the glories that would follow”(1Peter 1:10,11)

Under divine direction, Moses had instituted the Festival of Pentecost (Harvest) Prophet Joel spoke of its prophetic significance. Peter announced the fulfillment of this great prophetic pageant at the first Pentecost Festival after Jesus resurrection.

Normally, Most of the people give preference for the festivals and pay attention to it by hosting a feast to the near and dear ones. They groom themselves well to the extreme of an appeal of the people. Even in the midst family disputes, arguments, strife’s occurs in this juncture. People do care about occasions strain themselves for an earthly appreciation from their society, which causes unnecessary debts. But here things went in very different manner. It really drew the attention of God.

As we read in Leviticus 23:16”Count off fifty days and then present an offering of new grain to the Lord”. The new grain-offering prophetically portrayed the small company of people gathered in that upper room. They were 120 that were waiting for the promise of the Father about which Jesus had spoken. Festival

refers to a revelation for the hour. Hidden secrets belong to God! This is all about the Festival called Pentecost!

### Chapter 3. Receive the Power!

As we read in the books of Acts “But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you”. (Acts 1:8) This is the promise of the Lord. This really makes anybody to depend on Him. To inherit the promise of the Lord is always conditional but whereas the love of the Lord is unconditional. The Lord wants us to be more practical rather than to be theoretical. As the believer is in need of the Lord. Our Lord Jesus Christ is in need of human beings impartially. He is not in favor of any person. (Romans 2:11)

Any individual who comes forward to meet the expectation of the Lord will surely have an encounter with the Lord. But today's conditional is quite different. People who gather in the presence of are only to get their expectations to be fulfilled. God is disappointed in one way but yet He encourages His flock by answering the petitions. God's people seek the Lord for only their needs and necessities. In turn to the received goodness they hardly utter a word of testimony and close the relationship with God. This is the practical way of prayer in the believer's life. But I was instigated by the spirit Our Lord is more than our needs and necessities. He really wants to have an association with His people. He expects someone to have a walk with HIM with a relationship.

Due to the abrupt moves of the believer in their prayer they couldn't be able to have success in the spiritual as well as in the soul related areas. That is the reason where believers struggle hard for prosperity, sound Peace in the family, Well-being in all aspects of their day today's life. In brief they couldn't enjoy the biblical blessing neither in spiritual nor in secular life. In spite of all this spiritual disasters. Yet believers claim the presence of God. Today God is quiet serious in

the fellowship with human beings. But Man tries to deal the almighty God with his own way. All his success in his spiritual life is that the entire prayer request ought to be answered. Sometimes it works out and there starts a celebration in thanks giving occasion by gathering a well-wishers crowd. I really agree it is good to give thanks unto the Lord. But the same time we ought to look unto the holy heaven for the response.

Yeah! This is the right way of seeking the Lord. For every action in Christ, do have a response from the heaven, which is a throne of God. Unless the Lord acknowledges we cannot identify the response from heaven. Today strength of the worship places has been considered to be triumph in the spiritual world. God is least bothered about the quantity but bothers for the quality. Everybody tend to do something or the other with a competition attitude. So God set apart His manifestations as in the biblical days. But yet we do least bothered about the divine move but bothered for an expansion with large numbers. Let us be practical in our worship standards meeting the expectation of the highest God. This spiritual reconciliation act will make ourselves to obtain a spiritual maturity. Merely praying and going through the biblical chapters claiming the scriptural promises will not only serve the purpose. It is good but, yet you need to concentrate the practices in the day today life.

The Lord wants His children to progress further than the routine style of practices in living with Him. Two thousand years ago, Yeah, Our Lord did manifest His power; there started a great revival in Gospel world. The essence of the manifestation is to prove the existence of our Lord Jesus Christ, The scripture says that "The attributes of God is UN changing, same yesterday, today and for tomorrow". But currently, why the Lord couldn't perform as He was? It was a spiritual mystery. As we reads in the book of St.Mathew10:26, St. Mark 4:22, St. Luke 8:17, 12:2For there is nothing covered that will not be revealed, nor hidden that will not be known "As we read in the book of St. Mathew chapter 13:35" I'll utter things kept secret from the foundation of the world". By the mere grace of the Most High God we shall get into the mysteries of the Manifestation of the Holy God.

As we read in the Book of Acts chapter 2 verse 1 “When the day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place”.

Here I would like draw your attention towards 5 P’s.

1. People 2. Psychology 3. Place 4. Presentation 5. Perfection.

1. People:

The Lord is the creator of all human beings. As we read in the book of Jeremiah Chapter 32:27”Behold I am the Lord, the God of all flesh”. Yet, He don’t compel anyone to follow HIM, By the chords of love and compassion He drew mankind towards the cresdom .When Jesus Christ was in the face of the earth a large multitudes followed him .Thousands and thousands of people did sought Christ for their own needs and necessities in terms of healing from their sickness and deformities in their bodies and for their beloved ones.

The Pharisees, Saharises, Scribes, Jerrod’s all these are the groups serving the Father God and waiting for Messiah the Son of Man ,were wormed out of jealous on seeing the mass crowd following Jesus Christ. Where ever Jesus Christ moved the multitudes followed. Though there were multitude followed very few tasted the miracles from the Lord. Others were only a spectators and witness for the miracles performed by the Lord. People expressed their faith and received wonders in their own bodies and for their beloved ones.

All the four Gospel books were filled with miraculous works of Jesus Christ. Honestly, they are not the true followers of Jesus Christ; they were only opportunists in one way, yeah! They were in need so they approached Christ; none was ready to follow Him in the way He expected. This was the minds set of the multitudes followed at the time of Jesus Christ.

As a result of their unlike minded with Christ, The mass crowd took a distance in cruzification at the cross of Calvary. There were none with Him. The disciples who ate and drank with Christ did deny and betrayed. The psychology of the mass crowd was quiet different at that point of time.

## 2. Psychology:

Psychology of Human beings determines their future. This applies to anybody who is in flesh and blood called as human being. As we read in the book of Acts chapter 2:1.....They were all.....

Who are they?

They are the same among the mass crowd who were following Jesus Christ. They really determined their own future by tuning the Psychology for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amidst of the majority, 120 People including the disciples really marveled God by their actions. There was a law in the nation of Jerusalem that none ought to preach the name of Jesus Christ. The penalizations of the Rome Government were so cruel and threatening.

Propaganda the name of Jesus was considered to be a crime and offense. They are not only an orators but performers for the love of God. They showed their chest for the Gospel of Christ. Let us discuss about the Psychology of this minority flock

Psychology of the minority:

Normally people tend to be in a big crowd in the areas of education church, Job, society. They feel that they are quiet secured and safe. This is not only a tendency also a psychology. So, mass crowd always don't have a quality provided that they pay attention and concentration for their attendance. But the psychology of this 120 people was quite different from the majority crowd. They really least bothered about the society. Their attitude was only to obey the word of God. Most of the people try to please the society for some benefits in order to safe guard the flesh.

It is quiet visible that they aren't neither opportunist nor spec mist. They never sought for their needs and necessities or for healing, miracles and for deliverance as the multitude sought. They tend to be part of the word of God. In a brief they made their mind empty, so they are most away for the word called expectation. This psychology laid a path to derive the power of God.

There are millions and millions of human beings available in this planet, but yet this minority folks (120) did really draw the attention of God. Psychology gives the mindset there by attitude is framed to lay foundation to the holy presence of God. Psychology plays a vital role to bring down the wrath and the goodness from the presence of God. As we reads in the book of Genesis Chapter 6 verse 5 Then the Lord saw that the wickedness of man was so great in the earth, and that every intent of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually (Genesis 6:5) The imagination of man's heart is evil from his youth (Genesis 8:21). Man has to reap out the results for his condition of the attitude in Psychology. God cannot deal with wrong Psychology. This minority folks really made God to admire them by their action. Attitude, Behavior, Character, Habits, and Customs belongs to Human beings. Through these channels, is man try to get closer with God or He drives God from his life?

“They were all in one accord”. (Acts 2:1)

I would like to draw your attention towards the word “in one accord”. It speaks about oneness of mind or like mindless .First of all as a believer of Christ; the believers ought to set up their mind towards the principle. What is the principle? It is nothing else than the word of Christ before cruzification.

Although the speaker was absent physically, yet they made up their mind in one accord with the word of Christ. Psychology of the believers has to be appreciated. Sometimes a group gets together against the principles of the Leadership, and thus results in the wrath of God in the biblical days. And now in the present scenario the period grace the wrath is converted into the chastisement. God is unchanging yesterday, today, and for tomorrow. He chastises the flock for their own betterment. Believers ought to prove their psychology to the expectation of the word of Christ.

3. Place:

“...in one place.....”(Acts2:1)

People gathered in one place. What does the place means? The place is Jerusalem. Jesus Christ asked His disciples to be in Jerusalem before the

cruzification and even after the resurrection. As we reads in the book of St. Luke's chapter Twenty four and verse forty nine" Behold, I send the promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high"(Luke24:49).

Though, the strength of the flock is meager in counts by 120. But very obedient to the word of God. Jerusalem wasn't their option, but it was the option of the Lord. The Lord's choice is always unfavorable to His disciple not only on those days even now it is the same. Path which was determined by Lord is quiet unfavorable to the disciples. The Lord restricts His ambassador's diversion from the divine call. "Called are many chosen are few" (Matthew 20:16, 22; 14) Did God is a partial God? Absolutely not! But the followers cannot cope to the expectation of God. Majority of the believer's population expects God to listen their voice instead of listening to His voice.

Yeah! They don't want God to direct their location .Allocation, decisions, will be from believers, Information will be a prayer, but approval has to come from God. They compel God to do something which is not in the plan of God. This is the reason believers are unable to reach out to the position of the Chosen. The position of Chosen is not prayers and by honarium but by practices.

People who submit themselves to the choice of the Lord in all parts of the life, and take stand in the storm proceeds further without grumbling, Heaven will never forget to reward such believers of God. In fact such divine practices will promote the individuals to have a closer relationship with the highest God. They are called as prophets in the sight of the World. But indeed they are the friends of the highest God.

People seek favorable places in all parts of their life. It starts from the areas of worship centers, education, employment, society and even till the grave. They dictate God to come and bless them where they are. They are not interested to submit themselves to Lord's appointed place. But here although it is a minority crowd of 120. They really assembled in Jerusalem. A place where they are asked to be...

What is Jerusalem?

Jerusalem is not only a city where the Lord asked to assemble, also it is a city filled with scholars, drunkards, mockers and sinners. The Lord never asked them to be in a holy tabernacle or a synagogue. To be frank enough, it is a city of objection and rejection for the Gospel of Christ. Normally people tend to be in the place appreciation and acceptance. Moreover, the place which boasts their egos will be a place of acceptance for any human being. Assembling in Jerusalem is the place where they did sacrificed their egos. The desire of any human beings in the world is to join with the similarities. But unfortunately, God works out only in dissimilarities. The 120 people proved their love for Christ by assembling in Jerusalem. There are many saints who literally denied the location where they were asked to be. It is due to a new environment, Pre-designated thoughts, self-esteemed desires and super-ego complexes. In the spiritual warfare ego is the first enemy to be destroyed.

God has got His own plans to destroy ego in His beloved's life. If we hold the choice of our life restricting God's choice, our spiritual race is incomplete. In other words we will be defeated in the spiritual warfare. Today's spiritual world as much as the souls added to the church, Amidst of that, proselytes(people moving away from the church to church)do function in the courts of the born again flocks. They don't withstand in the place where God allocates for them. Every believer who leaves the church does have their own reason. But internally they lack endurances.

In biblical day's believers the children of God with stood in the place where God placed them. Of course there was a conspiracies about the leaders of the tabernacle like Chief Priest Eli ,Prophet Samuel by placing their heirs in the place of Judges which never served the purpose but worsen the ambience by fornication ,malpractices in the sacrifices and in the judicial cases. But people stood steadfast for the salvation of the Lord in the very same place where the Lord asked them to be.

Today people dare to start church instantly something goes wrong with the existing church and the authorities' .That is the reason God cannot reveal

His glory as He revealed in the Holy Tabernacle. Attendance of this 120 really made the Almighty Lord to manifest His power. Even today God is interested to manifest His supernatural power but, it is highly impossible due to the lack of human resources with this psychology. Every believer do wish to receive it, but in an unconditional way. That is the struggle with Mankind battling with their self-ego.

Even today there are divorces, separations in the believer's life. They are nobody else but they are the believers been united in the holy presence of God. What is the reason for this drastic break down in the family life amidst of their spiritual life? People who destroy the temple of the Lord, The Lord destroy them. The basic reason is that they are unable to continue their race in dissimilarities. Man try to stick with similarities, this is also one of the carnal act which deviates the fellowship of God. Place plays a vital role in the manifestation of God's power.

#### 4. Presentation:

The fourth "P" is Presentation. Every sacrifice will be known by a fire. Every move of the born again will surely have an acknowledgement from heaven. As we read in the book of Deuteronomy 33:29 "Happy are you, O Israel! Who is like you, a people saved by the Lord"? The saved flock does have a preveleiage of expecting a response from heaven, whatever be their action whether it is righteous unrighteous. Heaven, the presence of God will never forget to reward the children of God.

As we read in the book of Exodus chapter 19 The man of God Aaron mislead the children of Israel by a naked worship and by making a golden calf and dancing saying that This calf had brought them out of the land Egypt. Even for this false worship Heaven didn't forget to react for it. God send the wrath upon the children of Israel and thus many fell dead.

Yeah! For any action of the chosen vessel of God do have an acknowledgement from Heaven. When the children of Israel moved out from the land of Egypt, Heaven responded for their action by dividing the red sea which

was a hurdle for their journey. Even in the wilderness Heaven responded by a pillar of fire in the night and a pillar of cloud in the day. Not only for a crowd even for an individual heaven didn't fail to respond and acknowledge the obedience of their Godliness.

As we read in the book of Genesis Chapter 12 and verse 1 "Abraham did obeyed to the voice of God and moved out of the Father's house hold and ventured towards the direction of God. "And in the same chapter 7<sup>th</sup> verse says that "The Lord appeared to Abraham". Even in the life of Isaac as we reads in the book of Genesis chapter 26:2 The Lord appeared to Isaac. Even in the life of Jacob as we read in the book of Genesis chapter 32 verse 1" So Jacob went on His way and the angels of God met him".

What is the mystery of these sudden encounters in these saints life? It was nothing else than a presentation. There was a preparation in this presentation. At times we fail to present ourselves with a preparation. What is that Preparation of this minority flock 120? They prepared their heart to detach the discrimination. Today people have this discrimination even in the worship areas. Socially this can be known as discrimination but spiritually this will considered as a pride. Yeah! This is due to the inferior view about others. This complex has already an inbuilt mentality of superior complex about themselves Which God is against of it, and restricts His response to such people.

Even in the life of Jesus Christ preparation was remarkable. Though, He was the Son of Man, beloved the only son of the Holy Father God. He made Himself available to John the Baptist for being baptized; He never had neither an inferior attitude about the John the Baptist nor a superior complex about himself. He made Himself available to the people without any discrimination. As a result of His move heaven responded and a voice uttered and said He is beloved son whom I'm pleased. Not only occasionally, whenever Christ moves indicates the breakthrough in discrimination heaven never failed to respond.

Even in the transfiguration mount He went to pray not alone but with His disciples Peter and John. He really had a heavenly visitation. The Old Testament saints came down and revealed the plan of God in His life. What is the reason for this divine encounter? It is nothing else, than presentation. Yeah! People do obsessed with spiritual pride and move into the spiritual matters where they can see nothing.

Discrimination detaches the presence of God. A believer at least once in his life he ought to have this experience. As much as we prepare that much we can present in the way we ought to present. Even till the last breadth of Christ He drove the spirit of discrimination by giving His life on the cross of Calvary having thieves as his neighbors. That was the reason for the Heavens to respond in terms of resurrection. In the case of this minority flock of 120. They are from different races. They are dissimilar but yet they proved by their presence they don't have any business with discrimination.

#### 5. Perfection:

The 5<sup>th</sup> "P" is Perfection. The Holy Scripture recommends perfection to the life of a Believer of the most High God. Practice makes a man perfect. Here we meditate something more than prayer. The believers of God do need to obtain certain practices recognized by heaven. As we reads in the Gospel book of St. Matthew chapter 5 verse 48 "Be ye therefore perfect, even as you're Father which is in heaven is perfect". More than physical emotions God is sensitive to Psychological emotions which matters a lot. There are a lot of cultures being practiced around the Globe. A believer of the most High God has to decide whether to follow the ancestral culture or the heaven recognized practices.

As we reads in the book of Roman chapter 12 verse 2 "And do not be conformed to this world but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is good and acceptable and perfect will of God." Even before the cruzification Jesus Christ prayed to Father God that "They (the disciples) are not of the world, just as I am not of the world". (John 17:16)

The believers of the most High God ought to be bold enough to practice heaven recognized culture. Majority may follow the fashions of the world to please the world. But The focus of the believer must be upon the word of God. The culture should match the presence of God the heaven. The uncompromising life style with world will surely match the presence of God. World always seeks betterment and profit.

The believers ought to seek the presence of God and the blessing. As we read in the book of St. Matthews's chapter 24 Thou shall be hated by everyone in my name. And also as we reads in the book of James chapter 4 and the verse 4 "Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Whoever therefore wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God?".

The believers ought to earn the hat redness for their righteous life. Your practices shouldn't be in a position of inviting for wicked doings. God is not interested in preaching's but in practices. Sometimes practices shouldn't make us to boast/for every practice heaven should respond. As we read in the book of Acts chapter 8 verse "As for Saul, he made havoc of the church, entering every house, and dragging off men and women, committing them to prison"

The reason for his persecuting the church and disciples of Christ, was an wrong assumption of considering Christ as a foreign God. The propaganda about the gospel was totally misunderstood by the majority of the population. Objecting the Gospel of Christ and even the disciples was almost the culture of the Nation Rome. This was a social practice.

There is an illustration for the personal practice. In the days of Abraham, Population of the Canaanite's were over flowing in the nation where he lived. But He suggested his oldest servant to find a bride for his son Isaac from His own people. This is to maintain the spiritual legacy. Through the occasion of matrimonial he don't want to do unrecognized heavenly practices the mix marriage. As we reads in the book of Malachi chapter 2 and verse 11,12 , "Judah has dealt treacherously ,And an abomination has been committed in Israel and in

Jerusalem, For Judah has profaned the holiness of the Lord which He loved ,He has married the daughter of a foreign God.

The Lord will cut off the man doeth this, the master and the scholar, out of the tabernacles of Jacob, and him that offer an offering unto the Lord". Even in the epistles of 2Corinthians chapter 6 and verses 14.15"Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers. For what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? And what communion hath light with darkness? And what concord hath Christ with b-al? Or what part hath that believeth with an infidel?"

All these verses says that this mix marriages displeasing in the sight of God. Such practices may be the culture of the country but the believer of the Most High God need to take a distance in such sensitive issues. If he pays lack of attention, such sensitive issues will reflect an imperfection in his life with God.

A believer of God will surely entangle the objection both personally and socially. As we read in 2 Timothy 3:12" Yes and all who desire to live Godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution". But these are the foundation a believer ought to lay for a divine encounter.

5"P"s has to be considered for the spiritual break through! In case of believers every blessing from above is conditional. As it is conditional, it is long lasting and amazing! These are the stepping stones for the heavens to open for us. It is not by chances. Long sermon, long prayer will not serve the purpose but practices, Yeah! If you are convinced we will move further to the next chapter.

#### 4. "The Response from Heaven"

"And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting." (Acts 2:2)

We are going to meditate the moves of heaven, previously we were meditating the moves of the believers of the Most High God. The moves of the heaven need to be noticed. Initially a sound came from heaven, following to that is a rushing mighty wind, finally filled the house where they were sitting. The mystery behind moves from the heaven is the meditation in the chapter two as "The Response from Heaven".

There is always a response from heaven to believer's life style on the earth. Whatever may be the life style it responds accordingly, when the life style of the believer is acceptable in the sight of God, He keeps heaven to be a great rescue for His creation man (Deuteronomy 33:26) but the same time, He keeps the very same heavens to pay for the ungodly deeds of His children.

As we read in the book of Deuteronomy chapter 11 verse 17 "And the Lord's wrath be kindled against you, and he shut up the heaven, that there are no rain, and that the land yield not her fruit, and lest ye perish quickly from off the good land which the Lord give you". In the books of 1 Kings 8:35, 2 Chronicles 6:26, 7:13, denotes due to the influence of sin, God shut the heavens there by they had no rain. Also as we read in the book of Isaiah 66:1 "The Heaven is the throne and the earth is the foot stool" The psalmist clearly recites in Psalms 115 verse 16 "The heavens even the heaven's are the Lord's: but the earth hath he given to the children of men"

Earth is not only a possession but it is a platform given to every believer for a reason and for a season. It all depends upon his behavior and to exist in the period granted by God. The behaviors of the individual makes them to possess the name of righteous and the unrighteous. As we read in the book of Proverbs 10:30 "The righteous shall never be removed: But the wicked shall not

inhabit the earth". For every moves of the believer who really live a righteous life in the sight of God do have an assured encounter with the Lord.

It does not mean that only when he leaves the earth ,he visits heaven .The heavenly visitation starts as soon as he starts his walk with the Lord .According to the capacity of faith and the potentials in the spiritual life ,the Lord grants it .No matter the period counts it is only the faithful walk with Him matters a lot . Heaven will never fail to respond it in its way.

Why Heaven does not respond as it responded in the apostle days?

Yeah! Heaven can also respond to an individual as well as to a group as in the days of the apostles. The individual or a group ought to come forward to meet the expectation of the Lord. Today's scenario differs entirely. The crowd reach out to the God's presence has got their own petition to be answered by the Lord. They are least bothered to understand the feeling and the desire of the Lord. They seek the Lord only for their needs and necessities. They lack knowledge of their self-identification in the Kingdom of the Lord. They restrict themselves to proceed further in the fellowship with the Lord.

All that the prayer time is until they convey their the believers are literally missing for the fellowship and pay their attendance for the prayer orally .Believers tend to speak to the Lord than to listen .In case of listening they tend to lend their hears only for their desire to be is the reason we are unable experience the sound from Heaven ,but in fact the heaven wants utter but finds none for the fellowship as per the expectation of the Lord!

When Man tends boast his voice orally or by his deeds in the presence of God. God is put aside. As long as the Lord's desire favors man. Man is ready to cope up to the maximum, but when it unfavors the well -being in terms of prosperity, sound health, family. They don't consider it as a God's will or a response from Heaven. When the individual least bothers about certainty and engages him-self in the roads of uncertainty. He is qualified enough for the response from heaven. Let us meditate about the individuals who had the

response from the heaven. There it will help us the follow the steps to have an encounter with the Lord.

Individuals who had the response from Heaven:

Abraham:

As we reads in the book of Genesis chapter 22 verse 11”And the angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven and said Abraham, Abraham....Also on the same chapter verse 15 “And the angel of the Lord called unto Abraham out of the heaven the second time”.

The mystery behind this encounter or a response from heaven is that “An individual need to prove himself that he has got nothing to do with the earthly attachments more than for God .In other words to say that the individual ought to empty himself not before the man but before the Lord. Abraham gave birth to a child at the age 100 and named it as Isaac .There is none other than Isaac as his offspring.

As we reads in the book of Genesis chapter 22 verses 1”God wanted Abraham to sacrifice his only son Isaac. “This is to prove the tendency which he had for the Lord. God really wanted His chosen to obese free from the earthly attachments. Abraham never neither grieved nor murmured but put his love of God in action in silent way.

An individual who opt his Godliness in a silent way. Might be they may insignificant before men of the world. But the Lord makes them significant and commands a social prominence. It is not that heaven uttered He turn out be a great, His silence in the earth made heaven to utter. Heaven utters its response in terms of sounds but Abraham sounds silence.

In other words to describe, He never murmured nor given a thought about his oldness in the body as a reason and tried to be an escapist. Although the reasons are genuine he never took an opportunity to reason it as an excuse.

Heaven acknowledges the individual not by the ceremony of the baptism, or by the membership with the born again association only. Heaven acknowledges the attitude of the individual. In other words to say it accepts and acknowledges like-minded. Attitude only counts a lot. What is the attitude? Attitude ought to cope up to the heaven, that means an individual or a group must be aware of the calling.

As we reads in the book of 1 Samuel 17....."Man looks at the face but God looks at the heart". The condition of the heart matters a lot. Today cresendum pays more attention for external humbleness and uniformity in the attire. This may help us claim ourselves we belong to a particular denomination. But the essence of our life with God is to create a citizenship in heaven.

Today Man finds very hard to acknowledge the call of the Lord. Rather He is interested only his prayer request to be answered instantly. He tries as hard as he can by hard core fasting and so on. But the fasting's of the believer should drive him towards the plan of God. By his fasting ought he to too literally understand his calling and the purpose of his visitation he really utilized the time of prayer in an optimistic way. Until a believer strife's hard by fasting and prayer for the knowledge of the plan of God in his life. He lacks heavenly visitations.

Judicially speaking, why should God bother to grant heavenly visitations, when the men of the earth (the believers) are least bothered to have knowledge about God's plan in their life? He who seeks shall find. (-----) The response is assured to those who literally not only have a thirst but also dedicates and determines his mind into total sacrifice. What is sacrifice? The desire of the flesh has to be condemned whole heartedly without any expectations.

In other words to say preparing our minds to welcome criticism and mockery, which is the art of cleansing the ego in our lives and minds. Even in the old testament as well in the new testament ages sacrifices has got its own value those days beast and other living beings are rendered as sacrifices but Christ gave

Himself as a sacrifice but yet we need to sacrifice our ego's. Until our sacrifices are accepted by the presence of God we couldn't see any response from heaven.

As we reads in the book of St. Matthews Chapter 3 verse 16 "And Jesus, when he was baptized went up straightway out of the water: and lo heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and a lighting upon him:".

"And lo a voice from heaven, saying "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased". (Mat 3:16, 17)."

Look here, Jesus Christ hasn't started his mission work of building up the Kingdom of Father but yet the heavens declare the testimony of Christ. We always bank upon fasting to get the holy heavenly visitation, I don't criticize the fasting and prayer but I would like to draw your attention we will be attentive in the days when we fast rather than other days. The expectation of heaven is a believer ought to be attentive in all days he spends in earth .

How come heaven opened and responded for Christ? Is it not a mystery? Yeah! The mystery behind this heavenly visitation is Christ prepared His mind for a rough journey for the sake of the Kingdom of the Heavenly Father. Of course, It is one hundred percent the presentation and the manifestation of the heavenly Father's Kingdom, But yet it wasn't a red carpet welcome for Christ in many places. Always preparing our minds for unfavorable situations is great art also it is also an heavenly language where we can bring down heavens right where we are. Is it amazing? People murmur and long for favorable situation for their well-being in earth.

We can find only love of men in our favorable situations and also it earns us out only opportunists. But always Heaven render its response to people who prepare themselves mentally to take up a rough journey for the sake of the God's Kingdom. This heavenly visitation empowers the individual to endure all cyclonic storms like criticism, mockery, betrayals, backbiting, and rumor's and so on.

The congregation of 120 which was in the upper house prepared themselves to face the battle for the sake of God's Kingdom. As there was a rule in the government of Rome not speak in the name of Jesus. Even in our day today lives we are unable to proclaim Christ in our doings because we are not brave enough to proclaim the highest God. In our business, family management, Family administration, we are bound by the enemy by our unfaithfulness.

Here, I would like to highlight a hidden mystery in our unfaithfulness. We lose our new creation or born again stage. When we dare to commit ourselves into a life of spur, blemish and spot's, obviously lose our new creation. God can only deal with his creations like fire, uttering sound, light .All these cannot be disturb the performance of God. Though they do possesses lives into it. But mankind is quite different when compared to these beings of the creation.

Man only can change. For optimistic it is considered as transformation towards a new creation. Can we create new things in us? Certainly yeah! We are empowered to create. Repentance always earns grace, Grace earns salvation, Salvation earns submission, and Submission earns us God's indwelling spirit the Holy Spirit,

Psychology of the Most High God:

I dare to use these words but since it is revealed and commissioned I express the mindset of the Almighty God for the expansion of His Kingdom. In 1 Corinthians 2:16 For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct Him?

Understanding the mindset of God is essential for a spiritual break through .That was the scripture emphatically says in Philippians 2:5, 1 Corinthians 2:16 to have the mind of Christ in us. What is the mind of Christ ?The choice of the Lord is awesome but yet He demands a better co-operation for the great grace which fetched us into a path called salvation .We need to improve our psychology by framing a transformed thoughts ,This is in sense of breaking our traditional frame of mind without damaging the holiness the attribute of God .

Here is the place of altar where we do sacrifices like burning our ancestral , traditional frame of mind set in our practical life .Physical presence doesn't moves the heart of God, In other words to say God is not interested in quantity but in quality. Thousands followed Christ in the gospel books but few were blessed with healing, counseling, miracles .Grand miracles to minority not for majority. Minority matches to the mindset of God.

Ultimately He ought to move. They thrilled Christ by their mental moves by influencing faith as a raw material to generate power from the God. Unless we are empty we cannot be filled. Sometimes we have filled our minds with parental, ancestral frozen thoughts which will make the Lord idle. Physical attendance counts less percentage when compared to mental attention paid towards transformation .

Even in the days of Old Testament as well in New Testament God is unchanging .God likes as well dislikes the imaginations thoughts of Men in the earth .As in the days of Noah in the books of Genesis chapter 6 and verses 5 And God saw that the wicked ness of man was great upon the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.

“The imagination of man’s heart is evil from his youth.(Genesis8:21)As we read in the book of Romans 1:21 ‘...But became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.”

Believers who have knowledge of God but failed to glorify God, How is it possible? Yeah! After knowing the Lord personally still following the traditional for the sake of people and for the gain of the flesh, will make a believer to grope into darkness of course they are spiritually blinded. Such gatherings can claim themselves as God’s folk but heaven doesn’t respond to them. An individual or group ought to possess an experience of the heaven to respond them not only prayer requests are answered .Today’s believer are quite satisfied once their prayer requests are answered they feel that they run a victorious Christian life and dispersed .Even in the fasting prayers only secular petitions plays a vital role of amount of time what spend with God. Having a great expectation in our heart

and pouring it out uttering God's name cannot be claimed as a prayer. This says a believer lacks in the knowledge and awareness of God's Psychology.

The essence of Godliness is to have a better knowledge of God's Psychology .To have a detail study of God's Psychology will help us to have a fellowship with Almighty God. An individual who tends to have a great thirst to know the God's Psychology will be honored by God with an encounter. Oh! What a mighty God we serve! Awesome!

It can be accidental but God always deals with His own choice and options. As we reads in the Book of Daniel chapter 4 verse 35; And all the inhabitants of the earth are reputed nothing: and he doeth according to his will in the army of heaven, and among the inhabitants of the earth : and none can stay his hand, or say him, What does thou?'

The above mentioned clearly speaks to us and clearly indicates the attributes of God. The mind-set of the Almighty God. We human beings are restricted to influence our own fleshy choices, Rather than we dictate we better submit to the Holy God and listen to him. This is the basic criteria of mental preparation where an individual ought to obtain. Yeah! It is a sort of sacrifice where an individual need to kill the beast called self. Let us look into a man who had an encounter with a God Almighty.

There lived a man called Moses in Egypt but by birth He was a Hebrew, Due to a murder in Egypt, He happen to migrate to the nation called mid-i-an and took care of somebody's flock. He led the flock to the backside of the desert and came to the mountain of God, even to Horeb. (Exodus 2:1)

The history of this man called Moses was an aristocrat brought up in a palace with sound knowledge of a traditional Egyptian culture. The Bible says 'Moses was kept the flock of Jet'-row his father in law, the priest of mid-i-an.This one verse has lot to know about the psychology. Actually, the Psychology of Moses was quiet rough and rude and passion for his own race Hebrew. That was the reason for migration from the land of Egypt. Since an Egyptian was humiliating an Hebrew in the land of Egypt. Moses gazed into it at last he turned

out to be a problem to the Egyptian who was oppressing the Hebrew. Finally Moses killed the Egyptian and took a journey of hide to the land of Mid-i-an. I would like to draw your attention towards the Psychology of Moses, Hard, swift, emotion, temper, hyper and so on.

This new relationship with Jeth-ro family in the alliances of his marriage was an workshop for the mindset of Moses. He was quiet independent in Egypt with no office to report. His head was quiet rigid and strong having his own supremacy. He could have very well broken this dis similarity and moved on to some other place and settled down with similarities like Egyptian culture and customs. He didn't. It says that he started handling his mind set towards a new transformation. Accepting the dissimilarities is the art of sound Psychology.

This was a foundation of Moses and drew the attention of the Almighty God and thus resulted in an encounter. Today people participate and tend to receive God's supernatural power, anointing to do exploits but staying in their nutshell platform with all discrimination and condemnations. Alas! They are yet to be filled unless they empty them they cannot be filled. God cannot get along with uncleanness, either in mind nor body.

Today Man tries to implement his desire and self-determination into the world where he stays temporarily. But the expectation of God is in the granted period time span of he can implement the will of God which is concerned about his life. Man is quiet busy and baggage with his own understanding. This is quiet common not in the ungodly also with Godly generations. Moses really accepted the relationship which was hammer smiting the rock .It is nothing else than his ego. This process emptied Moses and brought down the attention of God. Thus it resulted into a heavenly experience. In other words to say Heaven responded for an individual mental preparation. Halleluiah!

## 5. The Encounter.

'And there appeared unto the cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.'(Acts 2:3)

In this chapter three is going to speak about the encounter. A believer ought have an encounter with his maker. For all the sacrifice what he render to God which has to be recognized in heaven. And also it has to be acknowledged by an encounter. Response from heaven results in an encounter.

Yeah! The response from is not a just a vision or a dream. The response from heaven always fulfills the purpose of the divine plan which is concerned about the particular individual who is a elect in the kingdom of God. Of course, Almighty God is omnipotent, supernatural, great in His might, deed (Nahum 1:3) But, yet He looks for an association with Human beings.

Millions and Millions of people who lives in the pace of the earth do wanted to have an association with this Almighty God in their own ways. The crowd may be interested but God is quiet notorious. It is due to the lack of knowledge in the education of God's psychology. Majority tends to seek the Lord for their desire to be quenched. Sometimes they are quiet successful. God too don't mind their desires to be fulfilled. They are too far away for these types of Supernatural heavenly visitations.

Look here carefully, Moses accepted the inhabitant of the midianite Jet-ro and looked after his flocks. This was the base for the response in Heaven to this individual. Moses never ran back for heavenly visitations seeking godly men. The election of God. It came in seeking the elect. As we reads in the Exodus 3:2" And the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush: and he looked, and behold, the bush burned with fire, and the bush was not consumed".

In the fourth verse of this chapter 3, we can see God called him by his name Moses. Every encounter will always grade's us in Christ in terms of holiness.

And he said, Draw not nigh hither: put off thy shoes from off thy feet ,for the place where on thou standest is holy ground'.(Exodus3:5)

In the above mentioned verse we can see the expectation of God in the life of Moses .The reason of an encounter is to reveal the expectation of the most high God and His supreme divine nature. Encounter will always disable the crooked path and makes us to have a better association with the Triune God. In the encounter an individual is supposed to give up what he needs to give up and adopt what he is asked to adopt.

This is the basic knowledge of the encounter, which will make us to prepare well and present before the Almighty. Pre-determined thoughts will never serve the purpose. It will hinder the relationship with Almighty God Jesus Christ. Here Moses was asked to remove his sandals. What does it means? Do sandals make a sense literally? Interesting, Actually Sandal is referred as preparation.

In Ephesians 6:12, we can read in the armor of God. This sandal speaks about the practices and the traditional of Egypt. Moses was scholar in the Egyptian cultures, rituals and all practices. That was a hinder for GOD to influence His plan and purpose. He can very well remove it or he could have forcefully done it. But He looks into the interest of the individual who wish to follow him whole heartedly. He neither compels nor force someone, rather He deals in the path of love .He wants somebody to venture His plan and also he expects an individual to love to fulfill his expectation in an unconditional way .What an awesome God?

Any encounter in the lives of great saints simplifies their lives by giving up something and practicing the desire of the Lord. In the life of Paul the apostle, when he was Saul and persecuting the women and the churches having a thought that Christ was a foreign God. The propaganda of Christ Gospel was totally misunderstood by Paul. Therefore, His actions were quiet anti-religious. But this was the action of Paul but the heaven responded him in a very different way not punishing him but pulling him as a worker into the vineyard of Christ.

We can read the heaven responded. On the journey towards the place called Damascus, he was pushed by a dazzling light which descended from heaven. Amidst of the fellow men with Paul none was affected but only Paul. In the courts of the heavenly understanding. Let me be precise in addressing that none was chosen with the fellow men with him but only Paul. He was quiet loaded with his own understandings but unaware about the revelation concerned about Christ. It took three days and three nights for stabilizing himself and preparing himself.

This encounter shacked his own fleshy doings and empowered him with revelation to the knowledge of the risen Christ. He gave up the anti-religious act of persecution and adopted the path for which he was chosen. Here the encounter resulted in the transformation of eyes.

In the days of apostle the encounter resulted fire in their tongues. When Moses was influenced by God, at the mount of Horeb. His hands became Leper, instantly he was asked to place it him in his lap it became as it was. The choice is in the hands of the Lord Almighty, Who can question Him? The encounter always makes the individual to have specific knowledge about their missions for what they are called. Encounter motivates also encourages to proceed further in the vineyard and also alerts us walk in the direction. There are none without encounter with the Lord. It varies person to person. As the mission varies, according to the calling in an individual life. Vision varies. Also the encounter too varies .Paul and Moses didn't have a similar experience's in an encounter.

Looking into the life of Mary who was a virgin, was unexpected to gaze at an angel, who came down with a divine message concerned with her life, which connects to the kingdom of God. As we reads in the Gospel book of St. Luke 1:28" And the angel came in unto her, and said, "thou art highly favored, the Lord is with thee: Blessed are thou among women".

I draw your attention towards the reason for the encounter is as we discussed above. An individual ought to give up something mentally and present their body in the way it was asked .Sometimes in the office of encounter the

disobedience results very pathetic. It disconnects the sweet fellowship with the Lord Almighty and presents ourselves into the hands of the wicked enemy. Denying to implement the expectation revealed in the encounter results pathetic end for the individual. For a reason the encounter is granted. It is not by desire of the men but of God. At the same time, the encounter upgrades the spiritual graces and talents to do exploit which supports the plan of God. It gives divine strength to carry on the mission work having a thorough knowledge about the Kingdom of God.

Yeah! The separated life which was at practice being considered as a consecration to the Lord. Total surrender to the will of God makes us to give up things, relationship, unconditional. A real life with Christ is sacrificially giving up the petty filthy pleasures of the world. Once we ensure this act in reality we are saved and officially added into the church and termed as believer's. But here we discuss about the specific election giving up the pleasures of the world qualifies us to attain salvation.

This is something more than giving up! It is consecration, which has to be maintained with spiritual cautioners mind. That is in sense separated things ought not to be used or brought into practices at any circumstances. If the consecration is polluted, it is considered as an abomination. Consecration is the platform Grace, unction of the spirit, supernatural manifestations.

Samson was a Nazarene. The Nazarene vows are as of a Naz' a rite to follows :

'When either man or woman shall separate themselves unto the Lord: He shall separate himself from wine and strong drink ,and shall drink no vinegar of wine ,or vinegar of strong drink ,neither shall he drink any liquor of grapes ,nor eat moist grapes ,or dried.

All the days of his separation shall eat nothing that is made up of vine tree, from the kernels even to the husk.

And the days of the vow of his separation there shall no razor come upon his head: until the days be fulfilled, in the which he separate himself unto the Lord,

he shall be holy , and shall be holy, and shall let the locks of the hair of his head grow.

All the days that he separate unto the Lord, he shall come at no dead body.

He shall not make himself unclean for his father, or for his mother, or for his sister, when they die; because the consecration of his God is upon his head

All the days of his separation he is holy unto the Lord.

And if any man die very suddenly by him, and he hath defiled the head of his consecration; then he shall shave his head in the day of his cleansing, on the seventh day shall he shave it.

And on the eighth day he shall bring two turtles, or two young pigeons, to the priest, to the door of the tabernacle of the congregation;

And the priest shall offer the one for a sin offering, and the other for a sin offering and the other for a burnt offering, and make an atonement for him, for that he sinned by the dead ,and shall hallow his head that same day.

And he shall consecrate unto the Lord the days of his separation, and shall bring a lamb of the first year for a trespass offering; but the days that were before shall be lost, because his separation was defiled.

And this is the law of the Naz-a-rite, when the days of his separation are fulfilled he shall be brought unto the door of the tabernacle of the congregation:

And he shall offer his offering unto the Lord, he lamb of the first year without blemish for a burnt offering, and one ewe lamb of the first year without blemish for a sin offering, and one ram without blemish for a peace offerings,

And a basket of unleavened bread, cakes of fine flour mingled with oil, and wafers of the unleavened bread anointed with oil ,and their meat offering and their drink offerings.

And the priest shall bring them before the Lord, and shall offer his sin offering and burnt offering.

And he shall offer the ram for a sacrifice of peace offerings unto the Lord, with the basket of unleavened bread: the priest shall offer also his meat offering, and his drink offering.

And the Naz-a rite shall shave the head of his separation at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation and shall take the hair of the head of his separation, and put it in the fire which is under the sacrifice of peace offerings.

And the priest shall take sodden shoulder of the ram, and one unleavened cake out of the basket, and one unleavened wafer, and shall put them upon the hands of the Naz-a-rite, after the hair of his separation is shaven:

And the priest shall wave them for a wave offering before the Lord: this is holy for the priest, with the wave breast and heave shoulder; and after that the Naz-a-rite may drink wine.

This is the law of the Naz-a-rite who hath vowed, and of his offering unto the Lord for his separation, beside that that his hand shall get: according to the vow which he vowed, so he must do after the law of separation. (Numbers 6:2-21.)

Samson was not cautious about the great commission for what he was in .His casual way of life style in the Lord lead him to great disasters in his life which lead him to maintain a low profile by engaging himself with an harlot called Delilah .Great grace is bestowed on the individual's life .Ultimately they need to obtain a consecration desired by the Lord. When the consecration is polluted then the individual goop's into the spiritual darkness and become blind. As we read in the book of Isaiah 42:19'Who is blind, but my servant? or deaf ,as my messenger that I sent ? Who is blind as he that is perfect, and blind as the Lord's servant?

Yeah! The Lord grieves about the spiritual blindness of His elect .The Lord wants His elect to be cautious and quite sharp in the vision for which an individual is separated. The agony of the Lord is high when comes to the lives of his servants The Lord is wise in His choice, but he let His beloved to serve Him

with love unconditionally. Let us discuss the root cause for the fall of saints though they are anointed.

## Chapter 6. The understanding's about the creation.

The Lord expects his creation the human to understand the purpose of his existence. The reason for the existence of Mankind is to possess the image of God. In order to maintain the relationship with the almighty God, He needs to have knowledge about the creation. Before he claims himself as Godly generation, he needs to set himself to the knowledge of the creation.

In Genesis 1:26; 2:7; 5:2; Deuteronomy 4:32; Job 33:4; Psalms 8:5; 100:3; Isaiah 51:13; Malachi 2:10; Acts 17:28. All these verses stand as a biblical evidence that God is a creator of Man. As we read in the book of Psalms 62:11 'God hath spoken once; twice have I heard this; that power belong unto God.' In Matthew 28:18; John 10:18; John 17:2. All these verses say's that the Power was bestowed upon Jesus Christ. This power was bestowed through an anointing for a reason and till His season on the earth. As we read in the books of Acts 10:38 'How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with Power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him'.

Beloved, Though Christ was manifested in flesh, Father in Heaven made up His mind to shower his Power. What made Him to do it? It is nothing else the knowledge of creation that was in Christ Jesus. As we read in 1 Corinthians 6:19..... 'Ye are not your own'? Yeah! We don't belong to ourselves any more once we have this knowledge we will ensure our life into a path of obedience and obtain a receptive mindset. Merely by immersing our bodies into water baptism will not be sufficient, we ought to immerse our thoughts into the molds of God. To have, a perfect shape in Christ. Jesus Christ didn't have any thought for His future all His thoughts are of His father and the will of Father. It was possible for Christ because He did bring his flesh under the matter of submission.

What does it mean?

Jesus Christ did have a control on his body; He was keen to hear from Father God. More than he spoke to Father He listen to the Holy Father who has send Him to the earth for a reason and for a season. His practice's was holy and thus it was proclaiming the nature of the Father. Who can question me? Say's the Lord. As His life was holy, before the Father, as well as before people.

What a marvelous life did Christ lived practically? Amazing, Yeah! The life is granted to mankind for a season and for a reason. It is in the mindset of the individual to practice a sacred or filthy life. The anointing rested upon Jesus is for a reason. It is not for an official record. It did have a heavenly task behind it, which connected HIM towards the kingdom of God. God is not in favor of any person (Romans 2:11) the same knowledge was in the crowd of 120 who gathered in the upper house at Jerusalem. And thus heaven responded them as follows:

'And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. (Acts 2:3)

'And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. (Acts 2:4)

Jesus Christ as well as the crowd of 120 was not for the anointing from the presence of God. They placed themselves as a living sacrifice for the sake of Gospel. At once the sacrifice is up to the expectation of the Lord. The heaven responds as an acknowledging the sacrifice. The above mentioned verse's speaks about the acknowledgement of Heaven for the submission not for the participation.

God's manifestation is quite supernatural and awesome! Let us meditate the manifestation of the Holy Lord!

Tongues of Fire!

Fire is the tool used by the Lord to the crowd. Water, Fire, Wind, Lightning, Thunder are the resources in heaven. Our Lord is supreme. He does things in His own. None can neither stop Him nor start Him. He is the Lord of Lord,

King of kings. At that point of time He used fire as a response from Heaven. Let us look into the Scriptures What does it speaks about FIRE?

In the book of Isaiah 33:14, 66:24 Mathew 3:12;13:42;18:8;25:41 Mark 9:44 Revelation 14:10; 20:10,15;21:8 . All these verse's speaks Fire as an ETERNAL.

In the book of Leviticus 9:24; 1Kings 18:38; 1Chronicles 21:26; 2Chronicles 7:1 denotes that Fire is a source for the answers for the prayers.

In the book of Genesis 19:24; Leviticus 10:2; Numbers 11:1; 16:35. 2Kings 1:10; 2Thessolonians 1:8; 2Peter 3:10. All these verse's speaks that Fire as an instrument of divine Judgment.

In Numbers 31:23 Ezekiel 22:20 Zechariah 13:9 Malachi 3:2; 1Corinthian 3:13; 1Peter 1:7. All these verse's says Fire as a purifier.

In the book of Deuteronomy 4:36; 1Kings 19:12; Psalms 50:3; 97:3; Isaiah 66:15; Acts 2:3; 7:30; Hebrews 12:29. All these verse's speaks Fire as symbol of divine presence and power.

As we, got to know about the reasons for fire. Before to this manifestation of fire tongues, Scripture says as we reads in the book of ACTS 2:2 'And there came a sound mighty from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting'

I would like to draw your attention towards a couple of things sound and wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. As we read's in 2Corinthians 5 and verse 1' Human Body is referred as house. We do have a sound (i.e) noise and wind (i.e) the breath or an air in the body. By sitting in the house they do really the action of the Lord.

What is the mystery behind it? They are well known to the art of handling the mind. Yeah! Mind is the something faster than all things and inventions. It cannot be controlled but can be diverted. Even in our day today spiritual meeting whether it is in mass way or in minor the gatherings. Before God's people speak to the Lord, They do speak to their mind or Mind speaks to

them, body listens and responds whatever be the matter. Mind speaks about quitting the crowd as soon as it gets over. It speaks the timing, opinions about the speaker, organizers, offertory and keeps communicating further various other topics and finally they do miss the sermon been preached. In this way God's people miss their super natural encounter when they gather. But here the seriousness of their presence literally made them to handle the mind.

In the business with God, He is as serious as we are God reflects it in the same way. The plan of God is the plan as long as Man acknowledges it. Once it is accepted and acknowledged by man. The plan of God is turned out to be program. God being as an operator the individual turns out to be a tool in the hands of master. Emptying our mind is something spiritual. Pouring out our burdens and placing the petitions cannot be agreed as a spiritual person. Mind will start talk in its own way but do control over your mind. Let us have an understanding about us before we get into the fiery tongues!

Look, Creation (Human Being) has all that we discuss here that is the sound, the rushing wind and the tongues of fire. Yeah! God created Man in His own image (Genesis 1:27). As we read in Genesis 2:7 "And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into the nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul". We can very well gaze into the creation and find easily that Man do have a wind that is breath, And do have a sound that is vocal apart from his communication, As well he has an earth that he stands as a sample for mud. Man does have water within him as well as he exposes the unwanted water which is within him. Sweat, Tears do refers to the ocean in the earth. As we read in St. Matthews 6:22, 23

"The light of the body is the eye if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light".

"But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If the therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness!"

Therefore Man has light as well dark as we see on the planet earth day and night. As we read in Genesis 1:28 "And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be

fruitful and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: And have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that move upon the earth”.

In short to speak about, God gave authority to man on all the creations created by the Lord. But alas! Man lost his glory by his disobedience. But, The days of Christ, Faith brings that Glory back to the human body. As we read in St. John 11:40 “If thou would believe, thou should see the glory of God?” Here we can see Faith brought the glory upon the human body and thereby it stands as a shadow for the great break through.

#### REASON FOR THE BREAK THROUGH!

The believers or the individual needs to prove that he should be out of birth character. As we reads in Mark 7:21,22

“For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, Lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness”.

All these are birth characters indwelling with a general being who do not know God. Once a person accepts Christ, there starts his prayer life as well the inner man starts growing towards the standard holiness. Compare to the former practices the later need to have a difference. As we reads in 1Peter 4:3”For the past of our life may suffice us to have wrought the will of gentiles,”

We need to judicially prove that we really belongs to the world .This was the expectation as well it was the command of Christ to the disciples before He enters into cruzification. As we reads in St. John 15:19 “If ye were of the world, the world would love his own; because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hate you.” As we meditated earlier that in Mark 7:21,22. We need to obtain the fruit of the spirit. Let us look into it as given below.

“But the fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, Kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against such things there is no law. (Galatians 5:22, 23)

These are the channels where God can influence His mighty spirit and power. Once a person loses this nine fruit of the spirit, manifestation of the spirit and power shall be stagnated. Truly, all the nine spirit of the fruit was available in the life of our Dear Lord Jesus Christ. That was the reason He could present Himself well before Man and Father God. Also He could do everything that the Father God wants Him to do in the earth.

How come obtain this fruit of the Spirit?

It can come to us into practice in our day today life. Here prayers and Fasting's takes a major position in breaking the unwanted wall which hinders and being an obstacle to receive the God's nature that is the fruit of the spirit. As we read in Proverbs 28:13 as follows:

“He that covereth his sins shall not prosper: but who so confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy.”

Certainly, This is the key verse also a medicine for the spiritual sickness. Therefore, confession before God and God alone serves a purpose and makes us to exist in Christ. Else it turns out to be a hurdle before God to influence His spirit as well as power. Let us check our lives before we do proceed further. There is nothing wrong in confessing and crying out to God Almighty. For an instance as well as a testimony, Let us look into the book of Prophet Isaiah 6:5, 6, 7 as follows:

“Then said,” I, Woe is me! For I am undone because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: For mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of Hosts.”

“Then flew one of the ser'-a-phim (heavenly being, an angel) unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar:”

“And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.”

My Beloved, I would like to draw your attention to the 5<sup>th</sup> verse of this chapter 6 of Isaiah. He feels convicted not only for his unclean lips but also for the companionship what he had with the unclean society. There was an either no difference nor a separation. He was of no guilt for years. But, once he was convicted and confessed God moved with compassion. Hurrah! What an advance development in the spiritual life of Isaiah? A man who lived with unclean lips and had an association with the society of unclean lips, All of a Sudden turned to be a prophet. What an amazing swift transformation! It was unbelievable, to the generation of the earth.

Yeah! Truthful confession always brings down super natural transformation. A judicial presentation in our life turns out to be a testimony for the society where we live in but, whereas it meets the criteria for a great breakthrough in the courts of the Lord. And bring down the heavenly response from above. We are ought to respond to the word of God and set right our life in a clean way. Then the Lord's presence shall be encircle us and thereby. The entire society shall look into enlightenment in our life.

The crowd of 120 is not with an ordinary life style practices but with a transformed life style practices! So God Almighty Lord Jesus Christ not only listens to our Prayers, Fasting's and offerings but, also He looks into our clean life and come closer to us. Thereby His intimacy with us will help us to know Him more and gives us good growth

## Chapter7. Conclusion.

Here we are going to disperse back to our business but be mindful about the supernatural moves of the spirit. The Lord is unchanging yesterday, today and for tomorrow. But man changes. The essence of supernatural encounters is to build up our inner man and to discover the purpose of our visitation to the earth .We are created in this world for a reason and for a season .The purpose of our existence in this earth has already determined by our creator .We are bound to discover and to have a knowledge about it to have grand success in our life. Merely seeking God for our secular petitions may be our preliminary but day by day we ought to have a growth in our spiritual lives.

Making ourselves externally simple doesn't serve the purpose. Humbleness in heart will make us to step ahead towards the will of God. Unless it is revealed it cannot be known .May our humbleness move the heart of the Lord and reveal himself as He desires .Let us empty ourselves to be filled. If we are filled with our own man made ideas to reach out God we may even miss or we will be too late for His encounter. We prove our love by patiently waiting for His time in our life .The amount of humiliation can be inexpressible, but He knows the path you under goes. Sometimes when we are in the most unfavorable times in our life, Christ takes the period to influence His heavenly visitations.

Let us give up our own esteem, self-righteousness and tend to take stand in the storm. Everybody tends to see visions, dreams and heavenly visitations. But there is a price which they need to remit for it. It is not like salvation. It is something more than to it. The Lord is interested in the pleasures of His servant; at the same time He tends His chosen vessel to take the responsibility in building the Kingdom of God. So, anybody who does submit for the tribulation, He deserves it. Today people tend to take part in celebration rather than tribulation.

Power is granted to the people who desire and a thirst to serve the Lord. Desire is not only to gain appreciation in favorable moments. It is not only desire but the real synonyms for the desire is to take stand in the storms. Let me very clear and practical about the mind of God. Do you think that God bestows His

power to people who boast their scriptural knowledge or to the people who speak more about God in their words? Certainly not, Then you may ask what about their Godliness? That gives them a discipline to their life. Let us look into the lives of the people who really aroused up for God.

Daniel:

As a result of the clean life practices, Prophet Daniel and his friends was bestowed with a special grace. Let us read the following verses:

“As for these four young men, God gave them knowledge and skill in all literature and wisdom; and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams.”(Daniel 1:17)

My Beloved, The moment God granted them a special grace upon them. As the grace upon them were quite extraordinary, marvelous, supernatural, and awesome. They eventually entangled extraordinary conspiracies and unnecessary contradictions with the society, where they were found. At once prayers are really divine oriented with supernatural manifestations of God’s power and sovereignty. ....”They were cast out into the midst of the burning fiery furnace “. (Daniel 3:21)

This was due to the jealous and envies of the people who worked with Daniel. To trap Daniel and his friends, a group of people rose up together and framed a law that everybody in the nation bound to worship a gold image formed by King Nebuchadnezzar. And whoever does not fall down and worship shall be cast immediately into the midst of a burning fiery furnace.” (Daniel 3:5, 6)

Secondly, the colleagues of Daniel formed a law to worship the King for thirty days. IF anybody violates the law they shall be cast into the den of lions”. (Daniel 6:7) In all these rough roads God was able to be a savior and a source of security for His beloved. On the seeing the credit and the accountability of these saints God bestowed them with advance visions and prophetic revelations.

Every child of God ought to ensure to take stand in the storms. Amidst of desire, thirst and clean life before God and man, they need to prepare their minds to entangle the objections and unwanted contradictions.

St. Paul:

The experience of St. Paul was incomparable when compared to the other disciples. As we scripture speaks in the 2 Corinthians 12:1-4 as follows:

“.....I (St. Paul) I will come to visions and revelations of the Lord:

I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago- Whether in the body I do not know, or whether out of the body I do not know, God knows-such a one was caught up to the third heaven.

And I know such a man- whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows-

How he was caught up into paradise and heard inexpressible words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter”

This is the divine experience of St. Paul. Exciting! Amazing! And in the books of Acts 19:11 say’s “And God wrought special miracles by the hands of Paul”

The above mentioned biblical quote’s gives us a grand look and makes us to think that St. Paul’s journey would had a smoother journey. This is one side of a coin. What is at the other side?

But the election of God in the life of St. Paul was written as follows:

“For I will show him how many things he must suffer for my name’s sake.” (Acts 9:16)

Do you think God is a cruel God? No not at all. He is a God of compassion and mercy (-----) but He do have a zeal to have a right person with Him in the eternal so He takes the earth as a platform of filtration. He grants a life span in the earth and looks into the life of HIS beloved and makes the individual to entangle trials, tests and tribulation. Sometimes He do allows it in the life of His beloved and makes the whole world to question about it? And also hides the reason for a particular season. He looks into the endurances and with standing

zeal for the sake of His name. Let us see the sufferings of St. Paul in the following verses:

....."I speak as a fool- I am more: in labors more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequently, in deaths often.

From the Jews five times I received forty stripes minus one.

Three times I was beaten with rods; Once I was stoned; three times I was ship wrecked; a night and a day I have been in the deep;

In the journeys often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils of my own countrymen, in perils of the Gentiles, in the perils in the city, in the perils in the wilderness, in the perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren;

In weariness and toil, in the sleeplessness often, in the hunger and thirst, in fasting's often, in cold and nakedness-(2Corinthians10:23-27)

In the city of Lystra, As a result of his gospel work, As we reads in the book of Acts 14:19 " The Jews from Antioch and Iconium came there: and having persuaded the multitudes, they stoned Paul and dragged him out of the city, supposing him to be dead."

I would like to reveal the mind of Christ as a humble servant of the Almighty God. God is not emotional but real. He least bothers to choose the scholars of the world but the faithful. Our Lord God is impartial, He has no respect for any person (Romans 2:11). Our Lord Jesus Christ really bestows them with a special grace where He hasn't granted to any! This is the mind of Christ If anybody who submits themselves for trials and tribulation for the sake of His kingdom.

St. John:

He was a disciple who was in the bosom of Christ, when Christ was on the face of the earth. As we reads in the New Testament 1:9 "I, John, both your brother and companion in the tribulation and kingdom and patience of JESUS CHRIST, was on the island that is called Patmos for the word of God and for the testimony of Jesus Christ".

When the Apostle John was imprisoned in the island of Patmos .The Lord granted him a supernatural heavenly visitations, He was in the spirit and almost visited the entire heaven and brought us a great valuable book of revelation in the New Testament(Revelation 1:10). When we give up our body, it is our secular life in the hands of our Lord. He cares for us. And when we go through the Holy Scriptures we tend to have desire about the biblical testimonies like Enoch, Elijah, and Jesus Christ.

The transfiguration mount was something supernatural awesome but literally it was the discussion about the cruzification which was ahead of him. He had an encounter with Moses and Elijah. Not that He was the Son of Man; father God granted him this encounter. He literally, He submitted not for the favorable situation but for the unfavorable situation whole heartedly for the sake of the plan of God.

We may have a doubt that why God does permits unfavorable situation for His faithful ones too?

The trials for the righteous are many but God delivers him. This is to educate the individual and to accelerate the trust towards Him alone. This is to upgrade the divine experience of His beloved. Once the flesh and its action do submit for obedience, there starts the business of the Spirit. Today people hold themselves to a comfortable push back seats and do enjoy the spirit filled worship and exciting sermons and do Praise the Lord! They lack the mourning for the Lord. As we read in 2Corinthians 7:10 “For Godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death.”

Even in the lives of the one twenty assembled in the upper house was not for a celebration but wholeheartedly submitted for tribulation. The most mightily used instruments are the utmost tested and their stay is in the platform of tribulation. Let us present ourselves for a valuable service called tribulation.

That was the statement of Christ Jesus before his cruzification .In the chapters of sixteen of St .John’s Gospel. He spoke to His disciple categorically.

About his Crucifixion as well as He had given an introduction about the comforter which was yet to send into the planet earth. He asked his disciples to be prepared to receive the comforter as He asked them to be preparing to face the tribulation which was casually taken by the disciples.

God shares Salvation based upon our repentance!

God shares His spirit based upon our obedience!

God shares His power based upon our endurances!

Apart from this God demands a clean life from His beloved ones to influence His Power. Good works and bringing down the power of God varies each other. Good works like social work a deed for the physical body or secular doesn't carry any spiritualism in it. It can be accomplished by all religion even by an atheist or by an ungodly generation.

All good works comes under charity. It needs an attention not as equal as to the spirit filled living hood. Punctuality plays a vital role in charities, but whereas in spiritual works, Holiness takes an eminent position. Our God is a God of holiness. He demands the holiness from the flock. Anybody who denies God loving holiness and start's his life style in ungodliness. God moves away from such people. He is a zealous God to create an association with Man-kind. At the same time, He neither moves away from somebody nor stops His operation in an individual. It doesn't matters to God about their past records. In short, God expects a clean life from His beloved.

God Almighty cannot compromise with uncleanness. He is very particular about their relationship what His beloved keeps in practices. The reward from the Lord varies from person to person. A person, who is really serious, interested in this power exhibiting business. He cannot take his life style casually and engaging himself with unwanted companionships. Always analyzing our minds in the presence of God will always prevent us from the spiritual fall.

Many were anointed but, not used for Christ or For His name. What is the use? They were really in need since their neighbor was filled with Holy Spirit. Probably, It has become a culture of the born again it makes them to have membership amidst of the crowd where they are planted. It is all about mind set. An individual who really love Christ tends to do anything for His name has no hurdles or conditions. The love of the believer must be unconditional.

Many were back slides saying that the WORDS OF CHRIST sounds them as a TOUGH DOCTRINE .He spoke about their practices to be away from the fashion of the world (John15:18, 19) He spoke about the brother-hood (John 15:17) In fact they was not that serious about the teachings of Christ at that point of time. If anyone desires for the heavenly visitations and supernatural encounter, they need to prepare to face the tribulation. The vessels which are most used by God do have a direct encounter with the adversary folks. As we read's in Ephesians 6:12 "For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual host of wickedness in the heavenly places."

Is it possible for us to with stand and have a triumph in the battle? Certainly Yeah! We will overcome. As we read's in St. John16:33 "...In the world you will have tribulation: but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." God doesn't expect thing's which is impossible to men. May we present our lives in the way He expects us to be presented? And which will surely drew the attention of our dear Lord Jesus Christ to bring down heaven when we are in earth! Many are sick on the earth due to their own lustful life and finish their race in useless way. Let us spend our life time for Christ and endure things for His sake eventually it will compensate with heavenly visitations from above. May God Bless you!  
AMEN!