

# Spiritual Sight Review

Living in the Spiritual Realm 3, Session 9

## Review

- Spiritual sight is a spiritual sense we all have because we are all spiritual beings
- Spiritual sight is similar to spiritual gifts in that it enables us to serve more effectively in God's kingdom; that includes serving other people as an expression of God's love & nature
- The key to prophesying is becoming aware of God's will, what he's doing or what's happening in the spiritual realm, whether that revelation comes by hearing, seeing images or some other way – visions, dreams, intuition or feeling
  - The emphasis of prophecy has been on hearing God's voice, but some people receive revelation through spiritual sight as well as spiritual hearing
- Knowing God's voice is essential for everyone who sees spiritually, because they need God to explain what they see and what to do about it
  - You don't need the gift of prophecy to see the spiritual realm, since spiritual sight is a distinct function we all have
- The issue not whether your spirit can see the spiritual realm, but whether your psyche is consciously aware of your spirit so you know what it's sensing
- Spiritual sight enables us to see the spiritual realm and beings so we can be more aware of what's really happening and why
- 1 Co 12:7, "Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good."
  - "manifestation" refers to a clear indication of something or someone's existence, presence or nature
  - "manifestation of the spirit" is broader than spiritual gifts; includes expression of every spiritual ability, including spiritual senses
  - "common good": to be profitable, advantageous or appropriate to a particular end
  - Every spiritual manifestation – including spiritual sight – has a specific purpose
  - Any ability God gives us is designed to help us function effectively in his kingdom
  - We're to be motivated by the godly character traits of humility and agape – not self-centeredness, which is sin – so we willingly expend ourselves for God's kingdom & the benefit of others
  - Jesus said we're to seek God's kingdom & righteousness above everything else (Mt 6:33)
  - Jesus also said the greatest expression of agape is laying down one's life for his friends (Jn 15:13)

- We're to use our spiritual sight, like all other spiritual abilities & gifts, to serve God more effectively, which includes serving other people in his behalf
- Some clarification regarding our class activities
  - "It is God's will for me to see the spiritual realm, so in the authority Jesus gave me I declare I will see it."
  - That statement is to help you align your psyche with your spirit so you can be more consciously aware of what your spirit senses, including what comes from Holy Spirit
  - Hearing yourself make that statement causes your mind – part of your psyche – to process it differently than if you simply thought it
  - Making such an authoritative statement aligns you with God's intent, which is something God will not do for you, and in effect allows God then to do his will
  - I also have you pray with your spirit because that makes your psyche honor your spirit & become attentive to what your spirit is doing

### **Closing Thought**

- Our goal has been to expand our perspective to make us more aware of our spirits, so we can be more effective in Father's kingdom by adding spiritual sight to spiritual hearing