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Last Sunday, my wife had said a few words to me from the scripture and The Spirit of God just fell on it. I was literally shaking over His Presence. And I had to get before The Lord this week. When He shared it with me, all That I was aware of was this is what he shared with me. I didn't really at that moment take into consideration that this was going to be Easter Sunday. The times the days that Jesus was crucified. And so during the week when I spent time with Him, I realized that 2000 years ago this was also the time that Jesus had the last supper. And The Last Supper was where He broke bread and said, "This is My Body..." and the Wine. And then the Lord took me back thousands and thousands of years around the same time that The Passover took place in Egypt.

Where we are now. Where we are when Jesus was with His disciples doing The Lord's Supper, which was to celebrate the Passover. Thousands of years before that when God was bring Israel out of Egypt. A phrase keeps coming into my mind, "Has God changed. Has God changed. Has God changed." We are at a time in our life where we are sheltering in place. We are sheltering in place. It is a time to do that. It is not ordered by man. It is out of control. It is a time of sheltering in place. It is not based on circumstances. We have circumstances going on, but it is not based on circumstances in God's heart and mind. Has God changed. Has God changed. But God has a plan. God has something on His Heart. So we have to do this. We have to go through this time period. We have to enter this. We have to be with The Lord. We have to do this according to His Understanding. Not just according to the way everybody else is doing it; to many a lot of different reasons. And to me if we don't do it for His reasons we may miss the true meaning of 2020 and all that we have been praying for ten years; we may miss.

I mentioned last week or sometime that someone said 202 is all messed up now. This is the preparation. That what it was when Jesus said to the disciples go and

get this and that for the preparation. There is this preparation time. And so, why are we shut in? Why are we shut in? Well we think we are shut in because there is danger out there; we have to be shut in because there is danger. And that is true; it is dangerous out there. There is no question about that. There is a plague in the Land and we have to be shut in. So we are going to do it. And we are going to do it for the good of everyone. But God has got something more involved than this. To really understand that we have to go to the scriptures and start look at that because I said there was a time when there was another plague in the Land

So go with me to Exodus, chapter 11. And we will look at verse one there:

***“And the Lord said unto Moses, Yet will I bring one plague more upon Pharaoh, and upon Egypt: afterwards he will let you go hence; when he shall let you go, he shall surely thrust you out hence altogether.”***

And verse six:

***“And there shall be a great cry throughout all the land of Egypt, such as there was none like it. Nor shall be like it any more.”***

During the Exodus they were shut in. They too were shut in. And it was dangerous to go outside. Just like it is for us; but back then for a different reason but in a sense not. Not of a different reason. Not for a different reason. Our reason should be the same. We still should be in tune with The Lord. Has He changed. No, He has not changed. So now, flip over to the next chapter; Exodus twelve, now. Look at verse seven;

***“And they shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two sides posts of the houses, wherein they shall eat it. ...”***

We only think of putting the blood on the door post but this says, put it on the two door posts of the houses wherein they shall eat. Wherein they shall eat.

Verse twelve:

***“ For I will pass through the land of Egypt this night, and smite all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and against all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgment: I am The LORD. And the blood shall be to you for a token***

***upon the house where ye are: and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and the plague shall not be upon you to destroy you, when I smite the land of Egypt ”***

So in this story there is danger all around. Danger is all around and death is all around. I read that scripture when it happened; “ a great cry went up in the land”. And so they sheltered in place; and we shelter in place. But why do we shelter in place? Why; because there is danger. Is that the reason we are doing this! Only because there is danger out there. That is not why they did it. That is not the main reason why they were shut in; not in God’s Heart and not in our hearts. God has a purpose. God has a purpose. Stay in. Stay in your house and eat The Lamb. Stay in your house and eat The Lamb. That’s His Purpose. That is His Purpose.

***Exodus 12:1-3; “ And the Lord spake unto Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, saying, This month shall be unto you the beginning of months: ”***

There must have been another calendar in the whole world. And Israel must have followed that calendar. Or maybe they had their own calendar before that time and followed it. The Lord is speaking to them now when all of this is taking place;

***“ This month shall be unto you the beginning of months”***

This is were it is all going to start. This is were it is all going to start. Has God Changed! Did He change back during the Exodus. Has He changed when Jesus says,” Take, Eat; do it in remembrance of Me.” Let this be your New beginning Lamb in you. Exodus 12:1-3;

***“It shall be the first month of the year to you. Speak ye unto all the congregation of Israel, saying, In the tenth day of this month they take to them every man a lamb”***

Everyone. The Egyptians didn’t do that. But those who were of God; of His Heart; of tuning in to a heart rather than a circumstance. Tuning into His Heart and seeing with a circumstance and just been like everyone else; pagans and those who lacked The Lord. This is the beginning not the end. This is the beginning not the end. That is His Heart. That is His Purpose. Exodus 12:3

***“.. Everyone one you shall take to them every man a Lamb, according to the house of their fathers, a lamb for an house”***

Can you get any more plain than that. It is a lamb all of the house of those that are His. Why? Because there is going to be a journey. After all this is passed there is going to be a journey. We will address that more as we go. There is going to be a journey for us if it is one month left, or five month left or one week left; there is going to be a journey at the end of eating Lamb.

That journey begins with eating Lamb. That Passover begins with eating Lamb - Beginning of Days. Verse four of Exodus twelve:

***“And if the household be too little for the lamb”***

The Lamb is bigger than you think. The household is too little for the Lamb. If that is the case. If the Lamb is so big in you then here what it says;

***“ if the household be too little for the lamb let him and his neighbor next unto his house take it according to the number of the souls; every man according to his eating shall make your count for the lamb.”***

This Lamb in God’s heart is Big. It is bigger than your household and your issues in your household, and my issues in my household, and all of ours put together. And He says if it is that big start sharing it. Think about this, they couldn’t go out because the death angel is going to pass over. We share Him. We share Him now and we share him on the journey on the way out and we share Him on the journey on the way in but we are all filled with Him and that comes up here shortly.

***Exodus 12:23, “For the Lord will pass through to smite the Egyptians; and when he seeth the blood upon the lintel, and on the two side posts, the Lord will pass over the door, and will not suffer the destroyer to come in unto your houses to smite you.”***

He talks about a destroyer. In this case, in this scripture He is almost like the protector of those who have Lamb in them from the destroyer. Let me read that again; ***the Lord will pass over the door, and will not suffer the destroyer.*** He will not allow the destroyer to come into your house and to smite you. And at the same time He allowed them to slaughter The Lamb if they would eat it. Not just murder The Lamb but to slaughter the Lamb and would eat it. And to put His Blood... blood. I woke up in the middle of the night and I was thinking of blood. I was thinking of blood on the doorposts. A couple of things I relation the blood.

Number 1; they probably didn't take just a little paintbrush type plant and paint a little of here and another little bit on the door posts. I bet The Lord wanted a big token of it. And I bet the people wanted to make sure the destroyer saw it. I think they are practically painting those things. Look, there is slaughtered Lamb on the inside here not just in the house but in the people. Because he did not say, if the blood is on the house I won't destroy the house, because it has got the blood on it. Put the people don't have the blood on it. He said if it is on the house then those that are in that house must have eaten lamb.

***Exodus 12:7, "And they shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper door post of the houses, wherein they shall eat it."***

This wasn't just houses. This wasn't just houses. It wasn't like the neighbors' house here and the neighbor's house over there. This is the house wherein we eat Lamb. That is what this is all about. Let me read that again:

***Verse 7; "And they shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper door post of the houses, wherein they shall eat it."***

Wherein they shall eat it – Eat Lamb. The only thing that made their house different from anyone else's wasn't just the blood. We will get into that a little more here. The blood was just a token of slaughtered Lamb.

Picture this. Imagine this, If He said, put your blood on the doorposts and you went out and you cut your finger a little bit and put some blood on everywhere he said to do it. Would He Passover? If He said I want to see your blood on the doorposts and you did that. Would he Passover? And the answer is No. No, He wouldn't Passover because the blood has to be enough, splattered over all of this thing to show the Lamb did die. Not he was just wounded or hurt. Or we were just wounded or hurt.

***Verse 8; "And they shall eat.."***

They who?

***Verse 8, "[those who] eat the flesh on that night; roasted in fire, and unleavened bread and with bitter herbs they shall eat it."***

***Verse 9; "Eat not of it raw..."***

This thing needs to be burned. This thing needs to be dead; this thing needs to be in the fire.

*Verse 9, “nor sodden at all with water...”*

Meaning we are not going to let this Lamb be watered down...

**But Roast with Fire – his head with his legs and the purtenance thereof.”**

**Verse 9**

So, they are sheltering in place. The Death Angel is passing through but there is purpose; there is Purpose, there is purpose. There is Purpose. There can be purpose for anyone, but there is purpose for us. It is passing over our houses because we have slaughtered Lamb in us, it is passing over. Pass Over. Pass Over. Passover is not what is on the doorposts. Passover is what is on the inside of us.

So I wrote, we have the token of the Lamb on the outside, but guess what? We have The Reality of The Lamb on the inside. Has God changed? Has God changed from back then? Has He changed His Purpose. Oh let us just this or that. No! No!. That was always a picture of the next time this came up again which was Jesus breaking bread and talking about His Death saying, This is My Body, eat it. And I am the Lamb of God. That is thousands of years till now. And that, Jesus doing that is thousands of years from then. Has He changed? He hasn't changed. No!

Okay. All of this is being said. All of this is being told. But what if there is no Lamb in your house. What if you are not eating Lamb. What if you are not in The Purpose. Let us say it better. What if we are not in tune with the heart of the Lord in this thing. What if there was a house, or a family of Israelites in Egypt that didn't get the memo because they didn't whatever. They didn't show up for the meeting. I don't know. Well, He is not going to Passover.

***Exodus 12:30, “And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt; for there was not a house where there was not one dead.”***

There was not a house where there was not one dead. There was not a Single house where there was not one dead. That included Israel in the phrase of it. Some died for lack of Lamb and some died because they were one with The Lamb.

I love that phrase; For there was not a house where there was not one dead. I could almost write a song to that; For there was not a house where there was not one dead.

This is important. This is not just another sermon. This represents not just New creation Fellowship in that sense. This represents the sheltering in place thing. This represents what God wants to do with us for sure. But the circumstances are the exactly the same in that sense. This is still Exodus 12, verse 10;

***“And ye shall let nothing of it remain until the morning; and that which remaineth of it until the morning ye shall burn with fire.”***

Don't let anything remain. You have got slaughtered Lamb here - Roasted. Meaning He was put to death; the fire of God fell on Him. He said don't let any of it remain. EAT IT ALL. Does that sound familiar in relationship to communion. Drink ye all of it. EAT THE WHOLE THING. Fill up. Don't just nibble. Don't just be nibbling at the Lamb. Not now. Not now. Fill Up. Don't leave any of this thing left. And He says; that which remaineth burn it all up at the cross. Don't let any of it remain; let it all be burnt up. That I what this is saying. What is it saying. Let nothing of The Lamb that is outward remain outward. Let only The Lamb that is My Lamb, saith The Lord, BE IN YOU. Not out here. Not external to you. Nota message. Oh, Lamb message..he is soo precious. No, not there. Here, inside, Inside, INSIDE of us. Burn it up and leave nothing left but INWARD LAMB.

So why do you want to fill up? Why do we fill up? Exodus 12, verse 11;

***“And thus shall ye eat it; with your loins girded, your shoes on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and ye shall eat it in haste; it is the Lord's Passover.”***

Interesting, Interesting that He is saying this is part of the Passover. It is not just kill the Lamb, blood on the doorposts, it is not just shelter in place. This getting ready to go when this is over, is still big-time part of The Passover. Still part of The Passover. You shall eat it with your loins girded, with your shoes on your

feet, with your staff in your hand and you are going to eat it in haste. I am just going to fill up with this thing. I am not going to fool around and go; okay, what did this say... I read a scripture about the Lamb today. *Eat It in Haste!* You better get ready. This is part of The Passover. It is art of the Passover – there is a journey. You have got to be ready for The Journey too. Not just the things that set it all up. But for the Journey. It like you wake up the next morning, well, I am still alive. *Get out of bed! We Need to Go! We got to go.*

I wrote, when time comes for Him to bring us out, talking about now. When the time comes to bring us out, we have a journey ahead. There is a journey for us. There is a journey for us. But we have to fill up now. We need to be filling up. We need to be full of Lamb when it is over. You cannot be half full. You cant still have it laying around the house. The book on the Lamb. The video on The Lamb. The audio of The Lamb. By then all of that needs to be gathered up into Lamb inside of us. And be ready. Be ready. Be ready to go because you are full of Lamb. And He is ready to take you. So, I put, He must be the strength within. The Lamb be our strength. Basically that and the herbs and unleavened bread all representative of His death and different angles has to do with being full of this because This Lamb is going to be The Strength when this is over. For the Journey. For the Journey. We are going on a journey.

Well preacher pump s up and get us excited. And when this is all over let us meet at church and whip us into a lather and we will ready to go on this journey. Yeah, let us do it. No, No we already need to have the strength. We need to have the wherewithal for the journey. Okay. I can hear some of you praying, Lord let this thing to be over in a week then. How about, Lord fill me up as quick as you can please. If you want us to carry it in haste then get the first part done. And then why must be prepared, for not just the Journey. Why must we be prepared now? So that when we are in the journey. Why

***Psalm 78, verse 51:***

***“And smote all the firstborn in Egypt; the chief of their strength in the tabernacles of Ham***



*Verse 52:*

***“But made his own people to go forth like sheep, and guided them in the wilderness like a flock.”***

No He didn't say everybody go out and have a good time. No you are going out like sheep and He is guiding you like a flock. This is all Lamb stuff. This is all His Flock. This is His flock. Jesus is a Good Shepherd, but He got sheep, and lambs and that which is of this Nature all together. \and this is how He sees this. So when we go out you are not a bunch of stubborn, and there were, goats. We are not a bunch of independent people with our own ideas. Like, oh I know what He wants me to do, He wants me to go and develop my ministry. He doesn't care what ministry in that sense, if you understand what I am saying. He cares what Spirit it is carried out in. ***But made His own people.*** He made His own. We may be Christian but are we His own!

He made His own people, go forth. This is talking about leaving Egypt. This is talking about The Passover. To go forth like sheep and guided them in the wilderness like a flock. So when we go forth we need to be conformed. There needs to be a conformity to what died, and what wants to live in us, and let Him Live.

So if we don't do that, if don't eat Lamb, if we don't fill up; knowing all of this is to prepare us for a journey. When this is over He has got something else he want to do. When this is over there is something in His Heart. There is nothing else in His Heart than the journey that He has got. So I want to make sure I am filled up. I want to make sure I understand what is going on. I want us to be like a sheep. And I want us to be like a flock. And I want Him to be like a Good Shepherd that gave His Life that He can lead us into giving our life. But if we don't, Psalm 106:6

***“We have sinned with our fathers, we have committed iniquity, we have done wickedly.”***

What possible could they be repenting over right here? Clearly they are aware they have sinned. We say I went out and got drunk. Some dumb thing. They say we have sinned, we have committed iniquity. We have done wickedly.

*Verse 7 says:*

***“Our fathers understood not thy wonders in Egypt; they remembered not the multitude of thy mercies; but provoked him at the sea, even at the Red sea.”***

They did not understand His wonders in Egypt and they did not remember the multitude of His Mercy. We know that the plagues that went on in Egypt did not make a difference. Only The Lamb made a difference. Not just for deliverance sake but to God’s Heart. People say why did He harden Pharaoh’s heart the might have let them go. He is not trying to get them to let go. He is not trying to get them delivered. He is trying to get The Lamb revealed and then filling us. That is Heart is at. That is what the deal is. That is what is all about. But when they got out they sinned and committed iniquity and done wickedly in the eyes of The Lord because they didn’t understand what all that was about. Like John the Baptist said, Behold The Lamb of God. He looked at Jesus and said, Behold The Lamb of God. That is not the one who is going to make the difference. It is the one that is eaten that is going to make the difference. So Jesus says, this is My Body. This represents My Body – put it in you.

Exodus 12:12, I have a little subtitle for this next verse I am about to read;

He will smite firstborn that are not firstborn. He will smite firstborn that are not firstborn.

***Exodus 12:12, “For I will pass through the land of Egypt this night, and I will smite all the firstborn [that are not firstborn] in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and against all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgment: I am the LORD”***

So listen to the way this is worded. It is important. I will pass through the land of Egypt this night, and I will smite all the firstborn. The wording of that is powerful. Think of this. If God, in general, liked the thought of firstborn was important and all this kind of stuff. Then why didn’t he smite the leaders. I will go through Egypt and I will smite all the leaders. But He is smiting the firstborn that are not firstborn that don’t have one ounce of Lamb in them. So, this whole thing was a plague to them. But it is not meant to be a plague to us. It is not supposed to be a plague to us.

I started with Exodus 11, verse 1 and I will read it again;

***“And the Lord said unto Moses, Yet will I bring one plague more upon Pharaoh, and upon Egypt: afterwards he will let you go hence; when he shall let you go, he shall surely thrust you out hence altogether.”***

Shut in. All of us are shut in. We are all shut in. The Egyptians in a sense. We are all shut in. And it is a plague to them. It is a plague to the people out there, now. And it was a plague to them two thousand years ago when Jesus died and they didn't understand it. And they didn't know what His life was meant to be in them. It is a plague, but this time; this time period for us is not a plague. It is not a plague, to us. *This is Time to Get The Lamb on the Inside.* This is the time. This is what He spoke to me. This is why I tremble. This is why goose bumps over me as I share this and I first heard it and understood. Because I knew it was The Lord's Voice. I know His Voice. And I know it was Him Speaking to us. Stop letting it being a plague to you. What are you an Egyptians? *No!* Start eating The Passover. *Start Eating The Lamb and Getting Ready for The Journey.*

Father, we just thank you for Your Spirit who can only reveal Your Son in the way He needs truly to be seen instead of the way we desire Him in a way to satisfy our flesh in a moment or that would protect our flesh for a moment; or Father anything that would relate back to us that we are the centre of everything that you ever do. But Father, I hear Your Voice and I speak forth what I know to be You. May You give hearing ears and hungry hearts. A heart that wants to eat up The Lamb. A heart that is Hungry, a heart that will eat up that will devour that lamb and will fill up on it and will not leave anything on the external but will have it on the inside. Father, this is a wonderful time; it is not a plague. It is a wonderful time even though it is hard with so many things it doesn't change that. There were people sheltering in place in Egypt Father, that had children and it was hard having everybody in the house. I am sure they didn't have very big houses. I am sure it was hard in many ways, but Father it was You and they turned it in to You. They turned it in to what was a plague to everybody else they turned it into feast that became known as The Feast of Passover; that became known as The Lord's Supper; that became known as Easter. That became know as Eat Your Son and fill up on Him. Father give us grace between now and the end. Give us grace. Give us grace. In Jesus Name, Amen.

