

The Sound of Abundance

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The story of Elijah is a wonderful example of how to transition seasons in your life. By making the right sounds, Elijah transferred the abundance of heaven into the earth. You change your earth by releasing the heavens. We call this the Law of Release. This is simply done by hearing the sounds of heaven and releasing them into the earth. The Sons of God have authority to pray *“Thy Kingdom come Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.”*

Many doomsday preachers get their inspiration from the earth instead of the heavens; examples of this would be TV, newspapers and the internet. They have an ear tuned into the earth and not to the heavens. They can tell you about the gross darkness but never declare His glory. Their only vision is to leave the planet instead of taking dominion over the planet. As we agree with the sounds of heaven and by making those sounds in our earth, we are announcing what heaven is offering the planet.

Elijah heard the sound of abundance and what he heard, he spoke. This man starts declaring rain before there is evidence of rain. Nothing happens in the earth until someone makes a sound. Sound is so powerful. It escorts the new move of God into your world. Elijah made a public announcement of what God was saying. In doing so, he put his ministry at risk. Under the Law of Moses a man could be

stoned for prophesying falsely. He began declaring something that was not visible to the naked eye. We must stop speaking safe things. If we don't decree a thing it shall never be established (Job 22:2) *“Faith cometh by hearing and hearing the word of God.”* Elijah heard from heaven and by faith was not afraid to speak it. Never be moved by what you see or by what you do not see but by what you hear in God. The just must live by faith and not by sight. As we make sounds that correlate the sound of heaven, there will always be someone who does not see what we see. For example, Elijah's servant Gehazi climbed the mountain seven times until he saw what Elijah was saying.



When God's word comes to you, you will always face contradictory circumstances. We should never be moved or governed by appearances but by the infallible word of God. God will talk about light and glory when there is darkness and even gross darkness. (Isaiah 60) He will carry you into a dry bone yard and talk about the bones living and becoming an army. God will always use impossible environments of lack, famine and drought to bring forth heavens abundance. He always brings

light out of darkness and not darkness out of light. As the Prophet Isaiah said, He will give you treasures in darkness. Out of the midst of dark environments, the Lord brings forth his greatest treasures, opportunities, miracles, resources and relationships.

With faith and patience we receive the word of God. Elijah made his servant climb the mountain seven times telling him to look again. If God said it and you



don't see it; it doesn't mean it's not coming. I have a word for all the doubters, pouters and do-with-outers....

Go Look Again! Persistence is a powerful force. Everything in life follows the sound it makes. You hear the train

before you see the train; you hear the siren before you see the ambulance. We change our future by changing the sound. If you don't like the way your life is going change the sound. You say I'm depressed because you make depressing sounds. You say I'm sick because you sound sick. You say I'm poor because you sound poor. You say you have no friends because you sound unfriendly. Everything in life follows the sound it makes. If you don't like what's going on in your marriage change the sound. When you change the sound you change your future. The sound is the announcement of what is coming.

Elijah declared that he heard the sound of abundance and reality followed it by an outpouring of rain. Declare what you want and not what you have! If you hear it and say it then you will see it. **Blessed are those who hear the joyful sound!**



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