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The Gospel: Ep. 8 Living in the Spirit
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2 Cor. 2:15-16 KJV

For we are unto God a sweet savour of Christ, in them that are saved, and in them that perish: To the one *we are* the savour of death unto death; and to the other the savour of life unto life. And who *is* sufficient for these things.

JOB 14:7-9

⁷ For there is hope of a tree, if it be cut down, that it will sprout again, and that the tender branch thereof will not cease.

⁸ Though the root thereof wax old in the earth, and the stock thereof die in the ground;

⁹ Yet through the scent of water it will bud, and bring forth boughs like a plant.

"I never met a happy IMPATIENT person"

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to PREACH the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to HEAL the brokenhearted, to preach DELIVERANCE to the captives, and RECOVERING of sight to the blind, to SET AT LIBERTY them that are bruised. To PREACH the acceptable year of the Lord." Luke 4: 18

2 Cor 3:17: "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is LIBERTY!"

⁶ Is not this the fast that I have chosen? to loose the bands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and to let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke? Isa 58:6

***"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too. If we are afflicted, it is for your comfort and salvation; and if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which you experience when you patiently endure the same sufferings that we suffer. Our hope for you is unshaken, for we know that as you share in our sufferings, you will also share in our comfort."* (2 Cor 1:3-7)**

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God. ² Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned: for she hath received of the LORD'S hand double for all her sins. Isa 40:1-2

Break forth into joy, sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem: for the LORD hath comforted his people, he hath redeemed Jerusalem. (Isa. 52:9 KJV)

Sing, O heavens; and be joyful, O earth; and break forth into singing, O mountains: for the LORD hath comforted his people, and will have mercy upon his afflicted. (Isa. 49:13 KJV)

The God of all comfort...comforteth us in all our tribulation, that we may be able [EMPOWERED] to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God. (2 Cor. 1:3-4 KJV)

But we were gentle among you, even as a nurse cherisheth her children: (1 Thess. 2:7 KJV)

O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, *thou* that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under *her* wings, and ye would not! (Matt. 23:37 KJV)

Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. (Eph. 6:11 KJV)

To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn; ³To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of righteousness, the planting of the LORD, that he might be glorified. (Isa. 61:2-3 KJV)

For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and an helmet of salvation upon his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance *for* clothing, and was clad with zeal as a cloke. (Isa. 59:17 KJV)

⁵ Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds. ⁶ Let the high *praises* of God *be* in their mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand; ⁷ To execute vengeance upon the heathen, *and* punishments upon the people; ⁸ To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron; ⁹ To execute upon them the judgment written: this honour have all his saints. Praise ye the LORD. (Ps. 149:1-9 KJV)