

...Manifestation of the latter Glory...

THE MANIFESTATION OF THE LATTER GLORY

Haggai 2:5-9, 11-19

DEFINITION OF TERMS

A. GLORY

1. A cause for pride. Anything that causes somebody to be proud. E.g.
 - a. Beauty/handsomeness
 - b. Education
 - c. Wealth
2. The unique and special grace bestow upon a man for extra-ordinary operations and manifestations
3. The unique qualities that distinguish somebody from another person.
 - (a) The glory of any man is not the beauty but the good character of the wife.
 - (b) The pride of any woman is that special ability and qualities she discovers in her husband which make him unique and cannot be found in another anywhere.
 - (c) The Glory of the people of Israel was the abiding presence of God. 1 Sam 4
 - (d) The Glory of God was Christ –Math 3:16-17; Jn. 9:35.
 - (e) The glory of the Christ is the church and the pride of the church is the resurrected Christ and his power.

B. THE LATER GLORY

1. The Glorious supernatural manifestation of God's power
2. The super-manifestation and demonstration of God's Multiple Grace
3. The super increase of God's anointing, grace and favour

THE HEROS OF THE LATER GLORY

- A. Moses – Ex 34:29-35 (His 8th descent from the mountain)
- B. Elisha - II Kings 2:6- 10, 13:20 – 31
- C. Job – Job 42:12-17

THE PRE – REQUISITES FOR THE LATTER GLORY

- A. Practical Righteousness – Gen 17: 1- 2
- B. Practical Godliness – Rom 12:1-2
- C. Total separation and consideration 1 Cor. 6:14-18
- D. Do away with every strange god
- E. Waiting upon the Lord – Isa 40:28-31
- F. Self-crucifixion
- G. Taste and the hunger for the later Glory
- H. Abiding in Christ

THE THREE BASIC RESULTS OF THE MANIFESTATION OF THE LATER GLORY

- A. The unusual will take place
- B. There will be beauty for ashes, joy for sorrow, laughter for mourning, etc.
- C. It will make a difference

THE FOUR BASIC TOOLS FOR RETAINING THE GLORY

- A. Personal spiritual discipline
 1. Bible studies
 2. Prayers and fasting
 3. Fellowship
- B. Bitter hatred for sins
- C. Total dependency on Christ
- D. Spiritual fruits – Gal. 5:22

THE LATTER GLORY AND THE JOYFFUL HOPE = THE RAPTURE

- A. It will help to remain focused
- B. Only the glorified body will hear the sound of the trumpets.
- C. Only the focused will be raptured

The manifestation of the latter glory is scriptural and a promise from God. But how prepared are we?