

2016 - A LEAP YEAR

World events are accelerating quickly toward a climax of events that will lead to WW3: increasing tension, chaos, wickedness and disruptions in the earthly realm. These things are advancing in intensity and frequency; the “horses” in Babylon’s army are also “leaping” and advancing forward; see Jeremiah 12:5.

But God’s people shall also LEAP forward as they walk with Him in greater intimacy. Jesus deeply loves all of His children. Each are at different stages of development. While the little children are practicing “leap frog” in the playground, He has another group who also LEAP: “For by Thee I have run through a troop (broken through a veil); and by my God (Elohim) have I LEAPED OVER A WALL (obstacle, barrier); 2 Samuel 22:30; Psalm 18:29. This is a picture of the overcomer emerging in the midst of adversity.

Notice how He (our Beloved) comes:

“The voice of my beloved! Behold, He cometh LEAPING upon the mountains, skipping upon the hills”; Song of Solomon 2:8. Jesus has leaped and triumphed over every obstacle, every mountain of difficulty, and so shall His Beloved Bride! She is being called to a higher dimension in the spirit, to the “top” of the mountain, the “high calling”; Philippians 3:14.

The “Harness of the Lord” is coming upon the Lord’s people. There is a necessary “breaking” (of the veil of human flesh) and training, so that the Master has a disciplined and highly sensitive vessel that quickly obeys the prompting of the Spirit. This “harness” will prevent them from “wandering” about the field and going astray. It will deliver them from their impulsiveness, because their natural abilities and inclinations are being “harnessed”. “Meekness” will be the result: this is “power under control”. He is calming the “restlessness” in His people; some are “ready to run”, but they must be taught how NOT to run in their own strength. They shall learn to ignore the demands for service (by men) in other places; they will learn to be loyal to the Master’s instruction which will lead them to their destiny, an appointed ministry.

The Word of God speaks of the “bit and bridle” in James 3:2-4. The Father is raising up a troop of “thoroughbreds”. They shall be highly trained; they will quickly obey His promptings and will know how and when to “trot, prance, leap, jump and run”. Horses are very intelligent animals, symbolic of “conquerors”, that which moves and advances quickly. In biblical days, they were very valuable, being used in war, to deliver messages and bear burdens. Those who submit to the Lord’s ways and His discipline, the “bit and bridle”, (Harness of the Lord), shall also LEAP, abound and spring forward in spiritual blessings and progression. There will be noticeable acceleration, spiritual growth and victory over previous limitations and obstacles (walls). Submission to the Harness of the Lord, which is the Lord’s “yoke” will unite His people to His leading and His perfect will for them; Matthew 11:29-30. It will free them from the heavy burden of performance, which is placed upon them by religious influences. When we have learned to “wait upon Him”, and carefully follow His leading, He can then trust us with greater responsibility and power.

Even Jesus had a free will; He had natural desires, but He did only those things that He saw His Father doing; John 5:19. Our Father knows the path that we must take that will bring us to the place that we bear the image of the heavenly; 1 Corinthians 15:49, conforming us to the very image of the LORD Jesus Christ; Romans 8:29. If we accept and allow this “divine harness” to come upon our lives, the Master will lovingly lead us into that place of full union, full surrender, and rest in Him.

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