

<sup>1</sup>At 10:45 AM on Tuesday, December 22, 2015, I sat down at my desk, picked up a pen and my journal and the Lord began to speak to me. Since He has said for me to share His words with you, here is what He said:

“Yes, in My kingdom, the listening ear commands the Commander, while that is the opposite of all other armies.

“First, yes, My kingdom is My instituted battleground of resistance against Our common foe. **He is the target of all of Our spiritual activity.**

“Every soul brought into My kingdom from the world represents a victory in the spiritual war in progress, since Satan still rules the world – not My kingdom.

“Therein are both the battle and the battleground defined.

“The battleground is the world and everyone born of woman after Adam’s sin (with One exception) is born into sin, that is, into the enemy’s camp. So he has a leg up on Me from the beginning.

“This defines the battleground as well as My armed forces to quell the fiery darts of the enemy.

“The term “fiery darts,” however, does not describe the nature of those darts. When received by the mind, those darts are enticing and appear fulfilling to the five senses. That’s because Satan’s approach is through the five senses to include lust of the flesh, lust of the eyes and the pride of life.

“The reason the enemy’s ammunition is so effective and enticing is because each dart appeals to man’s senses to exalt self.

“The kingdom is faith-based while the world is self-based.

“Everything initiated by self without

involving God’s direction or approval is of the enemy.

“That confirms My battle objective as defined by these words: ‘If anyone desires to follow after Me, let him deny himself, take up his cross daily and follow Me.’

“The true battle of life, therefore, may be defined between two crosses – the one on which Jesus died and the one on which each follower of Jesus must also die to self and all of Satan’s enticements.

“When one looks at the cross of Jesus and then looks at his or her own cross, the enticements of the enemy lose their appeal only in that magic moment of Holy Spirit conversion.

“Then and then only does God’s love and its appeal supercede all of Satan’s enticements wherein one loses sight of worldly pleasures as he becomes enraptured with the love of God which surpasses all intellectual understanding.

“True love is beyond reason. My cross is proof of that.

“Man’s search for completion in life, therefore, should be for the spiritual transformation that originates in the heart – not the mind – for it is with the heart one believes unto righteousness and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

“Amen.

“That, My son, is your message for today – for these few days before Christmas, 2015.

“Share this rhema Word (that’s Me) with others as you have opportunity which is spiritual warfare on planet earth.

“And remember also to share this Word in My kingdom where the listening ear commands the Commander.

“Only as you focus on Me instead of the problem may I direct your life.”

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<sup>1</sup>Prophecy to Jim Ash 9.1215.