

Prophetic Word 2025:

I have heard the prayers and pleas you have made before me; I have consecrated this temple, which you have built, by putting my name there forever. The innovation of the new wine (joy), grain (strength), and oil (anointing) remains the same to steward a fruitful vineyard. I am coming with a winnowing fork, sifting the hearts of my people, to determine those who are devoted to covenant as I have laid out in my word and those who have only given themselves to me in part. To those who refuse to fully devote themselves to covenant, by giving themselves to idolatry of entertainment, convenience, and self-soothing practices, I will wall them in with thorn bushes until they return to me. I am jealous for the full devotion of my bride.

As your spheres of influence expand and as you take the new territories that I have assigned you, conquer what comes to steal your zeal for my fathers' house. To those who steward the new territory and conquer what comes to steal, I am giving the privilege to receive the keys to my kingdom in new realms of power, authority and grace that will be poured out.

What is coming to Garden City is an understanding of my justice and a boldness for truth. The abundance of everything I have for you will be manifested in and through you. In this time of chaos, tension and unknowns, I am strengthening the church's spiritual weapons. In past seasons we have been equipped on how to advance His kingdom and now the Lord is wanting to show us how to protect His kingdom's advancement through prayer, worship, disciple-making, and the gathering of the saints both corporately and in homes.

For I am the Son of Man, the God of the harvest, and you are the sons of the kingdom. Come and be with me!

Scriptures:

- 1 Kings 9:3 (I have consecrated this temple)
- Joel 2:19 (joy, anointing and strength)
 - The Lord will answer and say to His people, "Behold, I will send you grain [STRENGTH] and new wine [JOY] and oil [ANOINTING], And you will be satisfied by them; I will no longer make you a reproach among the nations.
- Isaiah 5:1-7 (being a fruitful vineyard)
- Matthew 3:12; Jeremiah 11: 1-13; Jeremiah 17:5-8 (I am coming with a winnowing fork, sifting the hearts of my people)
- Jeremiah 31: 27-34; Deuteronomy 28:1-14 (those who are devoted to covenant as I have laid out in my word)
- Hosea 2: 6-8 (I will wall them in with thorn bushes until they return to me)
- Jeremiah 30:21 (I am jealous for the full devotion of my bride)
- 2 Corinthians 10:12-18 (stewarding our spheres of influence for the advancement of his reign to new territories)

- John 2:13-17; Mark 11:15-17 (conquer what comes to steal your zeal for my fathers' house)
- Matthew 16:19; Matthew 25:21; Luke 9:1 (I am giving the keys to my kingdom)
- Revelation 3:14-17 (giving themselves to idolatry of entertainment, convenience, and self-soothing practice)
- Ephesians 6:19; Psalm 89:19 (what is coming to Garden City is an understanding of my justice and a boldness for truth)
- Ephesians 6:11 (I am strengthening the church's spiritual weapons)
- Nehemiah 4:17 (the Lord is wanting to show us how to protect his kingdom's advancement)
- Matthew 13:36-43 (For I am the Son of Man)

3 C's alignment:

- Communion: Being With Jesus is Our Greatest Pursuit
 - By devoting ourselves to covenant and protecting our zeal for the Father's house, we are positioning ourselves to behold, seek and enjoy the Lord. He is worthy of a devoted bride!
- Community: Where We Become More Like Him
 - As we commit to steward and advance in the House of Prayer, disciple making and home church, we do so as a united community, not as individual units.
- Cultivation: We Will Bring His Kingdom Everywhere We Go
 - We fight to advance the Lord's Kingdom by stewarding the new "territories" in our spheres of influence and conquering what comes to steal our zeal for our Father's house. It is our joy to receive the keys to Jesus' Kingdom in increased power, authority and grace in order that we can be more equipped to see God's desires for our region and individual lives come to pass. We protect what God has given us to steward by strengthening our spiritual weapons.

Action steps:

- 1. INTENTIONALLY REFLECT AND GIVE THANKS FOR FRUIT AND GROWTH FROM 2024.
 - a. Take time to reflect and identify the "land" that was taken with the Lord in 2024. Where did you see the Lord use you to bring His grace and the power of His gospel in your spheres of influence? Carve out a time of thanksgiving and celebration in the presence of the Lord for all that He accomplished. Ask the Lord to give you strategy to steward what has been gained.
 - b. Action step connection to prophetic word: "The innovation of the new wine (joy), grain (strength), and oil (anointing) remains the same to steward a fruitful vineyard."

2. ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT TO REVIEW HINDRANCES AND OBSTACLES TRYING TO STEAL YOUR ZEAL

a. What obstacles hinder you from walking fully devoted to the Lord and aligning with covenant? Repent specifically for anything that steals your zeal. Take time to write them out and find a scripture to align your heart with to help you overcome.

b. **Action step connection to prophetic word:** "conquer what comes to steal your zeal for my fathers' house"

3. STUDY THE ROLE OF COVENANTS THROUGHOUT THE SCRIPTURE

- a. Take time over the course of this year to study covenant in scripture. What promises does God himself give to those who enter into covenant with him? What does He require from His people in return as they enter into covenant? Ask the Lord to examine your heart and help you to commit to the things He asks of his people as well as help you to have expectation to receive His promises for those who are devoted to Him. A good place to start is to study the:
 - i. Adamic covenant- Genesis 1:28-30; 2:15-17
 - ii. Noahic covenant- Genesis 6:18; 8:20-22; 9:8-18
 - iii. Abrahamic covenant- Genesis 12:1-3, 15:13-18, 17:9-11,19, 22:15-18
 - iv. Mosaic covenant- Exodus 19:5-8, 24:3-8, 31: 13-17; Deuteronomy 28 & 29
 - v. Davidic covenant- 2 Samuel 7:11-16; Psalm 89: 3-37
 - vi. New/ Messianic covenant- Isaiah 59:20-21; Jeremiah 31:31-34; Ezekiel 36:24-31, 37:26-38; Luke 22:20; Hebrews 8:8-12, 10:15-18
- b. Action step connection to prophetic word: "I am coming with a winnowing fork, sifting the hearts of my people, to determine those who are devoted to covenant as I have laid out in my word and those who have only given themselves to me in part."

4. STUDY REVELATION 3:14-20

- a. Read Revelation 3:14-20. Repent for the areas of idolatry of entertainment, convenience, and self-soothing practices that the Lord is revealing to you that could keep you from yielding to His refinement so that we would be pure before Him with eyes to see Him. Write them down and ask the Lord to reveal his strategy for you to overcome them.
- b. Action step connection to prophetic word: "To those who refuse to fully devote themselves to covenant, by giving themselves to idolatry of entertainment, convenience, and self-soothing practices, I will wall them in with thorn bushes until they return to me. I am jealous for the full devotion of my bride."

5. STUDY PSALM 89:14 AND LUKE 4:16-18

- a. Read Psalm 89:14; Luke 4:16-18- What does justice look like to Jesus? In what ways can you see yourself professing Him (the Truth) boldly in your spheres of influence?
- b. **Action step connection to prophetic word:** "What is coming to Garden City is an understanding of my justice and a boldness for truth."

6. STUDY EPHESIANS 6:10-20

- a. Read Ephesians 6:10-20, What are your spiritual weapons? Which weapons have you wielded? Which weapons do you forget about? Which weapons don't feel like weapons? In your everyday routine what does it look like to put on:
 - i. The helmet of salvation
 - ii. The breastplate of righteousness
 - iii. The belt of truth
 - iv. The sword of the spirit
 - v. Shield of faith
 - vi. Shoes of peace
- b. **Action step connection to prophetic word:** "In this time of chaos, tension and unknowns, I am strengthening the church's spiritual weapons."

7. STUDY NEHEMIAH 4 WITH A FOCUS ON VERSE 17

- a. In Nehemiah 4:17, when the children of Israel were rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem there was advancement with opposition. So much so, that God's instruction to Nehemiah was to build with one hand and hold a sword in another.
 - i. What would it look like for you to protect what you have cultivated in what God has given you in your identity as:
 - Priest
 - Disciple-maker
 - Brother/sister in community (gathering in homes and corporately at church to encounter Christ)
 - ii. Where is the Lord asking you to advance in a new context?
 - iii. What feelings come to you when you think about stewardship and advancement at the same time?
 - iv. If you feel overwhelmed, here are the things we want you to remember:
 - Just like the children of Israel, we are doing this together, in community
 - Stewardship is less about perfection and most about devotion
 - Advancement is only given by God. If He says yes to more, He has given us grace and power to do so.
- b. Action step connection to prophetic word: "In past seasons we have been equipped on how to advance His kingdom and now the Lord is wanting to show us how to protect His kingdom's advancement through prayer, worship, disciple-making, and the gathering of the saints both corporately and in homes."