

Crushing the Cluster



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Hi, everyone.

I was really planning to do the second part of 'In the Hand of the Vintner', discussing the pressing as my next podcast. But the Holy Spirit had other plans. What I want to say, first and foremost before I give the message that He's given me, is to say I will no longer be using the Passion Translation in my messages. It was brought to my attention that it is very inaccurate, and when I read that the writer of it claims a Heaven experience in which he was shown yet another chapter of John that he would be allowed to release later, I decided that I would rather steer clear of it, no matter how poetic and easy to read the translation is. I want to be accurate as much as possible.

So that being said, I am going to be releasing two, possibly three podcasts this week because we have something happening on the world front that is probably going to be the tipping point, which puts us into the next chapter. We have the NATO military exercise going on from the 12th of June to the 24th of

June. Already yesterday, the Ukrainians blew up a major dam which is flooding the Crimea side of the river below it, where all the Russian troops are stationed - and there are 80 settlements of people below that dam wall. So, it's a very, very serious thing that has happened. It's also may affect the safety of the nuclear reactor there. So, we see that things are looking like they are really hotting up on the World War front. I do not know how this is going to affect the ability to be able to communicate on the Internet shortly, but I do want to finish this series so that you have it in your possession. Please don't feel pressurized and bombarded as email after email or podcast of the podcast gets posted. Please only listen to them as led by the Spirit or IF even led by the Spirit at all. And always pray concerning the things I've shared and check it out in the Word to see if the things I say are true, because we all see in part.

The other thing is that if you're one of my subscribers, I normally send the transcript out in an email as a PDF attached to the email. But because I have raised red flags in the past for those who are looking for 'disinformation', as they call it, quite often there is interference with my emails that go out and the PDFs get removed. So please feel free to write to me at freshoil@polka.co.za and request the pdf if you receive an email without a pdf. There is always harassment and the attempt in a war. The enemy always tries to intercept supply lines because, if the troops don't get their supplies and their food, then they are weakened and the enemy has an advantage. So I'm well aware that this is happening in many ways, including interfering with the uploading of the podcast or the ability of people when they click on the link to actually access and play the podcast. Sometimes the podcasts won't play, sometimes they can't download them, sometimes they play it, but they can't hear anything. So the prince of the power of the air is really busy. So please do always pray for me concerning the uploading of my messages and then reaching the remnant where God wants to take them.

Right... Having said that, the Lord has showed me that there is another application or prophetic picture in the image I spoke about last time of the first fruits grape cluster being pressed in the hand of the Lord to produce the new wine firstfruits offering. God says something really interesting when discussing the judgement of His people – because judgement begins with the house of God. He likens a cluster of grapes to His people and in a sense, the crushing of

the cluster is depicted as the righteous judgements of God on unrighteousness, while at the same time, drawing forth the new wine of His bondservants.

Isa 65:8 Thus says the LORD, As the new wine is found in the cluster, and one says, Destroy it not; for a blessing is in it: so will I do for My bondservants' sakes, that I may not destroy them all.

Isa 65:8 Literal Translation ... so I will do for the sake of My servants, not to destroy the whole.

The whole of the cluster is not destroyed, the flesh is crushed and cast away but the new wine is preserved and collected. So great affliction and breaking is applied to the cluster by the hand of God in order to draw out the new wine.

The Hebrew word for new wine is in the Strong's concordance, H8942

ṭîyrôsh From H3423 in the sense of *expulsion; must* or fresh grape juice (as just *squeezed* out); by implication fermented *wine*: - (new, sweet) wine.

And as you know in Hebrew each of the Hebrew letters have a pictograph or a picture attached to them.

Tav, completion, consummation

Yod hand, arm

Resh Head, chief one

Shin consuming fire

In a sense, the new wine is result of the completion of the work by the hand of the Head, the God Who is a Consuming Fire.

Now the cluster of grapes is plump. It has an outward appearance of godliness, named as fruit of the vine and appears to have been abiding in the vine until full ripeness. However, hypocrisy and rebellion, fleshly ways and idolatry abound amongst His people according to the first few verses of Isaiah 65. When God deals in judgement with the whole Body of Christ (or whole house of Israel), it is because THESE SINS HAVE BEEN LONG CONTINUED WITHOUT REPENTANCE. When He has called to His people they have not answered. They have ignored the nudges of the Holy Spirit convicting of sin and have stubbornly continued on regardless until the bunch has come to full maturity in sin. But within the whole bunch or 'cluster' as He calls it, there are righteous bondservants and He knows they must be extracted unharmed from the cluster

- in a way that preserves them, but deals with the flesh and sin of the whole cluster. So once again we see the picture of the hand of God crushing the cluster but collecting the new wine that flows forth. The only way to preserve the new wine in the midst of the cluster is to crush and press. And here we have that process described in the next verse. The pressing of the crushed cluster brings forth the new wine:

Isa 65:9 And I will bring forth a seed out of Jacob, and out of Judah an inheritor of my mountains: and mine elect shall inherit it, and my bondservants shall dwell there. Isa 65:10 And Sharon shall be a fold of flocks, and the valley of Achor a place for the herds to lie down in, for my people that have sought me.

So, the new wine is connected to seed or sons who will inherit. They are His bondservants. The only way to get new wine is to crush the cluster, so the hand of God executes judgement on those in fleshly sin amongst His people and at the same time separates out the remnant new wine bondservants. The sinners are appointed to the sword, to hunger, to thirst, to shame and to sorrow. His bondservants, the inheritors, are appointed eating, drinking, rejoicing, singing for joy and a new name.

This judgement and the reasons for it continue to be described in Isaiah 66. Remember that there were no chapters when these scrolls were written. They just flowed from the beginning to the end. He speaks of the hypocritical worship of those who do not tremble at His Word and who did not answer when He called, yet brazenly offer God lifted hands and a sacrifice of praise. He says all their acts of so-called worship will be recorded as unclean. Isaiah 66:3 sums it up – *‘they have chosen their own ways and delight in their abominations’*. That word for ‘abominations’ in Hebrew means ‘disgusting filth’. Isaiah 66:6 says it is the thundering voice of the Lord that renders recompense to His enemies IN His temple. This is not referring to pagans. It is the righteous judgements of a furious God on those who name themselves by His name but continue in open rebellion to His ways and His Word. Judgement begins with the household of God.

*Isa 66:15AMP For behold, the Lord will come in fire, and His chariots will be like the stormy wind, to render His anger with fierceness, and His rebuke with flames of fire. Isa 66:16 For by fire and by His sword will the Lord execute judgment upon all **flesh**, and the slain of the Lord will be many. Isa 66:17 Those*

who [attempt to] sanctify themselves and cleanse themselves to enter [and sacrifice to idols] in the gardens, following after one in the midst (COUNTERFEIT GOD IN THE MIDST OF US), eating hog's flesh and the abomination [creeping things] and the [mouse--their works and their thoughts] shall come to an end together, says the Lord. Isa 66:18 For I know their works and their thoughts....

The root word from which 'New wine' comes is H3423, yârash meaning to *occupy* (by *driving* out previous tenants, and *possessing* in their place);to inherit. Producing new wine from within you is about inheritance, about God removing all that is fleshly, all soulish beliefs and doctrines, and possessing every inch of you for Himself.

This word 'yarash' is used in Gen 15:3 *one born of My House is My heir*. New wine production is about bringing forth heirs, preparing them to be ready to take over their Father's business. Isaiah 65:9 says His 'elect' are His inheritors. This is word 'bachiy'r'. It means 'chosen'. The seed or sons He draws forth from the cluster are His chosen, His bondservants. They are those of Malachi 3 who fear the Lord and speak often to one another and think on His Name. What does the end of Malachi 3 say?

Mal 3:17 And they shall be Mine, says the Lord of hosts, in that day when I publicly recognize and openly declare them to be My jewels (My special possession, My peculiar treasure). And I will spare them, as a man spares his own son who serves him. Mal 3:18 Then shall you return (look back)and discern between the righteous and the wicked, between him who serves God and him who does not serve Him.

In other words, you will be able to tell who is the new wine and who is the pulp left behind. The reason why Malachi 4 says the wicked amongst His people will be left without root or branch is because He is cutting the cluster off the branch and there is no longer any connection to the Root, Jesus. It is the new wine bunch who skip for joy like calves because they do not need connection to the root in order to live and move and have their being because they are led by the spirit of the living God, filled with the Spirit of God. They are rooted in Heaven, not earth.

One also sees this principle of the cluster flesh being separated from the new wine in the journey of the Israelites through the wilderness. Ultimately God was not pleased with the majority of them and they died in the wilderness, but

their seed, their sons crossed over into the Promised Land ready for war. This makes one understand the deep prophetic sign of the huge cluster of grapes brought back from the Promised land by the spies. Those who just have fleshly understanding would think, “Oh great, there’s giant fruit for us in the promised land”, but this was a cluster of grapes, of which it could be said, “Don’t completely destroy it because there is new wine to be extracted from it. Just crush the flesh and separate out the new wine, leaving the pulp behind on the wilderness side of the Jordan”. And this is exactly what happened, the sons of the original slaves inherited God’s mountains in the Promised Land.

So, what was the giant firstfruits cluster from the Promised land speaking of? Judgement by the hand of God was appointed to come upon the rebellious, idolatrous, proud and fleshly amongst His people. One could almost say the wilderness was the old wineskin containing both the pulp, skins and flesh and the new wine for a season but pressing would result in the separation out of all that was fleshly, and only the new wine sons were able to cross the Jordan river boundary. Even Aaron and Moses died there.

A Powerful Prophetic Sign of Impending Judgement

On 2nd June 2023, a congregational church steeple in Spencer, Massachusetts, was struck by lightning and the whole building burnt to the ground. In the Rabbinic calendar, this was 13th Sivan. This was the day that Moses ascended to the top of Mount Sinai (1313 BCE). In other words, this was when God said, “Come up to Me and be there” – a very interesting day for a lightning strike on a church steeple!

Witnesses told local media that lightning struck near the church just before firefighters were called to the First Congregational Church on Main Street in Spencer around 3 p.m. That is the beginning of the evening watch, the same time Jesus cried out, “It is finished!”

When I read this occurrence, I had such a strong impression this was a prophetic sign and so dug into the details for understanding. This church was built in 1743, it was 280 years old – 70x4; 70 being the number of years God’s people were captive in Babylon. Further investigation showed that this congregation’s Facebook page announced the celebrating of Pride Month.

What does this mean for this church struck by lightning in this month of rejoicing in all that is unclean? It means this Congregational Church that names itself by the Name of the Lord, celebrates and aligns itself to the practice of abomination – ‘disgustingly filthy’ practices. The Lord gave me understanding that this building represents the whole ‘congregation’ who name themselves by the Lord’s name and yet are lifting their fist in rebellion against God and His holy standards of living. Clearly judgement by fire is coming suddenly to the Lord’s house or Body.

According to Jonathan Cahn, the month of June was always dedicated to the worship of the goddess Ishtar. Amongst other things, she was believed to be the deity that transformed gender and her priests were men dressed in women’s clothes and some of them had even been surgically altered. So, to participate in the celebration of this Pride Month is to take part in worship of demonic deities, which is spiritual adultery or idolatry.

I was then prompted to look up the meaning of the town’s name. Spencer means ‘a butler or steward’ – in other words, a cupbearer. Clearly, this church’s willing identification with and support of Pride Month indicates that the cup being offered is not the cup of the pure spotless Blood of Christ, but rather the golden cup of abominations (which we also read of in the hand of the mother of harlots in Revelation 17:4). Oh yes, the outside of the cup is gold, seemingly indicating contents of great quality and superior taste, but instead a vile cup of every filthy form of idolatry and rebellion is offered.

The Holy Spirit then nudged me to look up the date this church was built. H1743 is the word ‘duk’, meaning ‘to crush or bruise in a mortar’. It is only used once in Numbers 11:8, referring to the processing of the manna that fell from Heaven for the people of God. The manna or bread from Heaven was identified by Jesus as type or picture of Himself:

Joh 6:33 For the Bread of God is He Who comes down out of heaven and gives life to the world.

So, the beating in a mortar speaks of breaking the Bread of His Word and processing it to feed the congregation with Truth. However, as we know, the

people in the wilderness were not satisfied with the manna God provided. They wanted flesh!! They hungered after the fleshpots of Egypt. In the same way, the modern church is not satisfied with the pure Bread of the Word of God. They crave the fleshly pursuits, lifestyles and habits of the world. How terrible to hunger for that which is of Egypt when you have true Bread to satisfy your hunger.

Let's look at what happened when the people of God lusted after flesh in Numbers 11. God basically said, "Oh so you want the fleshpots of Egypt... Okay. I'll give you flesh, not for one day or one week, but for a whole 30 days you will eat flesh. I am going to dump a dumpster full of flesh on your heads and you will eat it until it comes out of your nostrils and is disgusting to you! (Num 11:20)" Numbers 11:33 says that the quails were 2 cubits deep and stretched for a day's journey on either side of the camp. It took 600,000 men plus women and children 36 full hours of harvesting all those quail! That is a nauseating amount of flesh!

Deut 9:22 says God was provoked to wrath by their scorning of the bread of Heaven and so He gave them what they craved. Beloved, have you wondered why there seems to be an overwhelming amount of the flesh of Egypt in the church that names itself by His Name? Its because the hearts of His people have craved the fleshly pursuits of the world. The lusts of the flesh and the scorning of the True Bread of Heaven sent by God has produced a fleshly gospel; a cup that, in this endtime dispensation, has matured into a counterfeit cup of abominations. We see church leaders proud of being associated with Pride Month, flaunting their rebellion and disgusting filth in the face of God.

Beloved, the church at large; that one which says, "We are the congregation of the Lord", has reached the prophetic camping spot called Kibroth-Hataavah (the graves of sensuous desire). Numbers 11 tells us that '*while the meat was still between their teeth*', judgement struck suddenly. Picture the scene, God's people tucking into that flesh with frenzied hunger and delight, salivating at the thought of the fleshly gospel that would feed the hunger of their flesh. See them greedily stuffing large chunks into their mouths and celebrating the taste of the false gospel of sensuous desire. Then suddenly a very severe plague or stroke of judgement falls. While they are in the middle of a sermon proclaiming the inclusivity and beauty of this cup of abominations, a lightning strike from the God Who is a Consuming Fire silences their tongues forever.

Psalm 78:31 says God killed some of the strongest of them. That would be the ones most adept at gathering the quail flesh; able to lift up the greatest weight of abomination and declare it to be the cup of the Lord. I read a news report this morning that said that there is an absolute plague or outbreak of colon cancer amongst young people. And doctors don't really understand it - but some experts are saying that there is a connection between anal sex and colon cancer. I won't say any more on that. But when we look at the state of the current church, when we see Saint Paul's Cathedral lit up in the Pride colors for this month of June... no wonder the cluster must be crushed!

No wonder Isaiah 66:16 says the slain of the Lord will be many. Who is this 'god in the midst' they are dancing around. It is the counterfeit, the one who seeks the True Father's throne (Isaiah 14:13), the one who delights in leading mankind and especially those of the Lord's congregation, into the lusts of the flesh. His demonic underlings feed on the energy emitted by filthy acts of the flesh – and surely this vile being is in the midst of various portions of the so-called church

Gaze at this prophetic sign and tremble, knowing that the time of crushing the cluster is very close. The rage of God against those who presume to take His Name upon their unclean lips will be executed as He renders recompense upon them. Those cupbearers, tasked with offering the cup of Christ to their congregations, who have instead taken up the cup of abominations and told their congregants that this filth is the cup the Lord blesses, shall bear the righteous judgements of God – as will all those in those same assemblies who possess the Word of God and have not searched it, like Bereans, to see if what they say is true.

It was the second day of the month when this lightning bolt struck the church. On the second day of creation, God separated the waters above from the waters below. It is a prophetic picture of bringing a clear separation between those waters or words which are heavenly and those which are earthly or fleshly. To use the standard set the day before, heavenly words are light, earthly words are darkness. Does light have anything in common with darkness?

2Co 6:15 And what agreement does Christ have with Belial? Or what part does a believer have with an unbeliever? 2Co 6:16 And what agreement does a temple of God have with idols? For you are a temple of the living God, even as

God said, "I will" dwell in them and "walk among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be My people." 2Co 6:17 Because of this, "come out from among them" "and be separated," says the Lord, "and do not touch the unclean thing," and I will receive you. 2Co 6:18 "And I will be a Father to you, and you will be sons" and daughters to Me, says the Lord Almighty.

How clearly we hear the call for the new wine to come forth and be separate from the flesh and pulp of the cluster!

The whole time I was preparing this post, the Lord kept bringing to my memory another church which caught fire and so I sense I need to include it in this post. It took place 1510 days before the Spencer church fire and is found at the end of my Book of Endtime Fire. The Hebrew word H1510 means 'decree'. So these two church fires are like two bookends of a whole decree about the fiery judgment of God upon the sinful Church:

End-Time Fiery Judgments begin

The fire which broke out in the roof of the Notre Dame Cathedral on April 14th 2019 is a powerful prophetic sign of God's coming judgment on all paganism and idolatry that is cloaked in religious sounding phrases and done in His Name. The cathedral is dedicated to the Virgin Mary; a veiled allusion to the Queen of Heaven and connected to worship of Semiramus and Nimrod. Covered in demonic statues and pagan imagery mixed in with statues of saints, it is situated right at the geographical centre of Paris, the city of Lights. What a counterfeit of the Church of Jesus Christ who is supposed to be the light of the world.

The original ground was home to a pagan temple dedicated to Jupiter who is the supreme Roman god and the edifice has a history of the blood of the saints spilled within its walls. During the French Revolution, it was rededicated and called 'The Temple of reason', an atheistic group that denied the existence of Yahweh God. Then it was taken over and renamed by the Cult of the Supreme Being, who refused to acknowledge that there was only one God, but in actual fact were worshipping satan as the supreme being.

The Flame Kindler

It is most interesting that there is no known cause for the fire. I believe God Almighty kindled that flame:

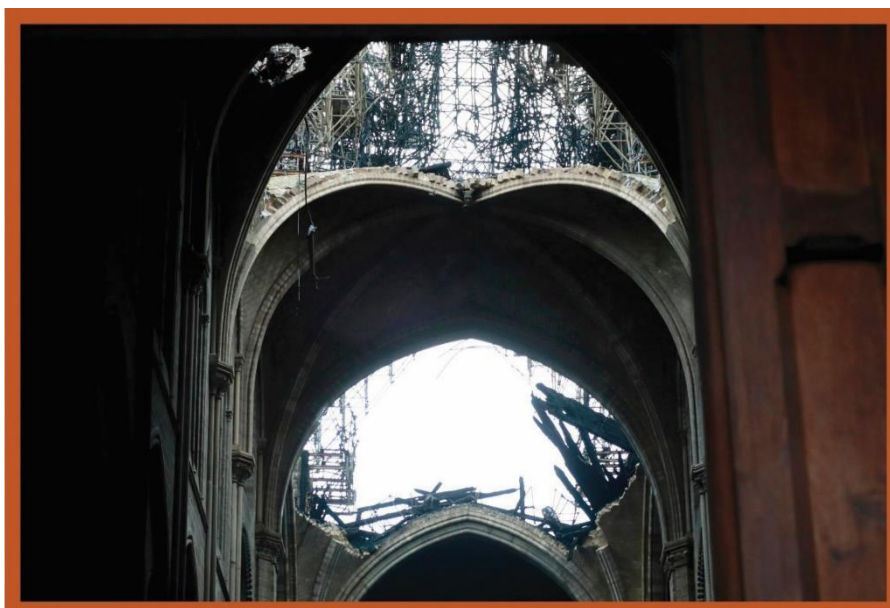
Jer 43:12 And I will kindle a fire in the temples of the gods of Egypt;

Of course, just as in the case of the destruction of the twin towers on 9/11, it has been declared that they will rebuild this cathedral better than before. Religion lifts its fist in the face of God and decrees that He will not stop their idolatry. Well, we will see... The end of the Book tells a different story!

A cathedral spire generally marks the building as a place of Christian worship and the fact that this was consumed by fire and thrown down declares that this edifice is not a place where the Spirit of the Living God is to be communed with. In fact, on top of this spire was a rooster containing 3 relics; a piece of the crown of thorns and bits of two patron saints of Paris. In the 9th century, Pope Nicholas made the rooster official. His decree was that all churches must display the rooster on their steeples or domes as a symbol of Peter's betrayal of Jesus. Well, that says it all...

Now the judgment of God is coming on that which is done in His Name but actually being in reality a total betrayal of Jesus. As the fire raged, people were on their knees on the pavement singing 'Ave Maria', not crying out to God Himself for mercy but singing to the Queen of Heaven. How tragic the

blindness of the
deceived sheep is.



A Window of Opportunity to Flee

At the beginning of April 2019, I had a vision which I feel is connected to this fiery sign in France. Not only

does it involve fire and the whirlwind of the Lord but a removal of the roof of the House of Religion so that His messengers of fire can be set free. This vision is shared in depth in the chapter 'Set on Fire as the Darkness Falls'. I titled it 'Ignited for Flight' and of course, flight is both soaring in the heavens led by the Spirit of God and also the flight from the flood of the Dragon. Some of the worst persecution of Believers has been done in history by the Catholic Church. The blood of many saints on upon their hands as they persecuted all who would not come under the skirts of Rome. And in these end-times, once again there is an Endeavour to gather all sectors of the Church under these skirts; both denominational and charismatic leaders have bowed their knee to the present pope and desecrated the memory of all those true Believers who gave their lives for their faith over the centuries. As the New World Order arises, the One World religion will again, in the name of God, pursue and persecute all who would follow the Lamb whenever He goes and believe that only the Blood of Jesus saves and delivers. How interesting that just before this fire broke out, the statues of the 12 apostles and four evangelists were removed for cleaning AND for some unfathomable reason (other than it being a prophetic sign), their heads were removed as they did so. The One World Religion will martyr many of the sent ones after they complete their assignments.

The open ceiling of the burnt Notre Dame Cathedral to me speaks of a window of escape for the dove company who have been held captive within the cage of Religion. "Come Out of Her and Be separate!" says the Lord of Hosts, "So that you do not share in her plagues." Remember, precious set-apart ones, when the fires of judgment begin to topple the spires of established Churchianity, there will be a window of opportunity to flee the wrath of the dragon. Don't hesitate or look behind like Lot's wife, but run to the feast prepared for you in the wilderness. You will be kept safe there.

Flashing Coals and Thunderbolts

The word Judge (Shepat) is extremely forceful, beginning with the letter Shin (which represents the fire of God), followed by the bursting/breaking letter Peh and ending with the sharp biting letter Tet. Peh is the letter symbolizing the breath of God. So we see that fiery judgments are released from the lips of the Judge of the whole earth. The word translated 'burning coals' is 'resep', also meaning 'arrow, lightening, thunderbolt'.

Psa 18:13 The LORD also thundered in the heavens, and the Highest uttered His voice; hail stones and coals of fire.

The sound of His voice transports hailstones and coals of fire forth in judgment. WE see a fiery judgment described in Ezekiel 10:

Eze 10:2 And [the Lord] spoke to the man clothed in linen and said, Go in among the whirling wheels under the cherubim; **fill your hands both hands with coals of fire from between the cherubim and scatter them over the city.** And he went in before my eyes.

Beloved, this judgment is coming to the House of God soon. I've shared with you two instances of judgment by fire from the God who is a Consuming Fire. I've shared with you a. And not a non-coincidence of one of those judgments happening at the beginning of Pride Month, to a Congregational Church who is celebrating and aligning with Pride Month. I know that most of the people I speak to in this podcast are the set-apart remnant saints, holy unto the Lord, but I am compelled by the Spirit of God to issue this warning concerning this prophetic sign.

May the Lord give you increased understanding and wisdom as to how to apply what I've shared with you. In His precious name. Amen