

# The Seal and the Sifting

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Hello, Beloved of the Lord.

I trust that you are sheltering under His wing and knowing His goodness at this time, even in the midst of everything that's happening in the earth. I just want to first address something from my last audio message. People wrote to me complaining that I had quoted Rick Joyner on a dream he had about Tel Aviv, but I just want to remind you that God has been known to speak through donkeys, and that He fed Elijah using a raven for three and a half years. A raven was an unclean bird to the Israelites, and yet Elijah had a choice. The bird was bringing him food, which he needed to survive, but he could reject it and stick to his religious upbringing... or he could see past the raven to the provision of God and receive the food that was brought. God even spoke to Gideon through the dream of a Midianite in the enemy camp, and allayed Gideon's fears about attacking the Midianites through the mouth of an enemy. God can speak through anyone. Even a donkey could see an angel with a sword barring the way.

Remember also that Joseph was fed by Egyptian hands during his time in prison, and when he ascended to be the right hand of Pharaoh in Egypt, he was also fed by

Egyptian hands, on Egyptian food, and Joseph's whole family came and dwelt in Goshen in Egypt. They were positioned on Egyptian land and received grain that had grown in Egyptian soil. So, we need to not have rigid mindsets about what and who God will use to feed us in the days ahead, because it is recorded that He has used many, many sources to strengthen, nourish and nurture His people during difficult times.

So, pray for your own eyes and ears to be opened to the spiritual realm and make the Word of God your primary source of truth and revelation, and ask the Holy Spirit to help you to rightly divide the Word of Truth. All other information you receive should only serve as a confirmation of what you've already heard by the Spirit, as was the case when somebody sent me a link to Rick Joyner's dream. It confirmed what I had already heard myself in a dream in 2018. Remember also, in this confusing time of public information that AI can generate very convincing 'eyewitness' news reports. So, seek rather the view which the seven eyes of the Lamb can see from the throne-room, to avoid deception. Seek a throne-room perspective when you view what's going on in the earth today. On the 20th of October, it was announced that Israel had bombed a 2000-year-old church in Gaza, where people, both Christian and Muslim, were sheltering. I asked the Lord if Israel had bombed the church and He said, "No, but it doesn't matter. No one cares for the truth. The match was struck and the kindling is now aflame. Soon a raging fire will spread throughout the whole region. Tell My people to hide under the shadow of My wings. Then you shall not fear the arrow that flies by day, and the sudden destruction that lays waste at noonday. Only a spectator shall you be, dwelling in the shelter of the Most High, as you witness the reward of the wicked".

So, this message I have called, 'The Seal and the Sifting', and I have a number of scriptures that are the basis and the backbone of this message. The one is Amos 9:9,10. The other is that in Zechariah 12, then Galatians 6:14 to 16, and then Matthew 13. So, let's read Amos 9:9. It says:

*'Behold, I will command, and I will sift the house of Israel among all nations and cause it to move to and fro, as grain is sifted in a sieve, yet shall not the least kernel fall upon the earth and be lost'*

Verse 10 says, *'and all the sinners of My people shall die by the sword, who say, the evil shall not overtake us'*.

So here we see God Himself describing a shaking and a sifting amongst all the nations, and as we know, when you sieve something, smaller particles fall through and the bigger particles stay in the sieve. And Amos 9:9 describes the grain as being in the sieve, and what is not grain will be falling through that sieve in the shakings, as God shakes all the nations of the earth. I mentioned in my last audio message that, in Galatians 6:14 to 16, Paul describes the Israel of God.

*Galatians 6:14 - 16 'Far be it from me to glory in anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus, through whom the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world, for neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is of any importance, but only a new creation... Peace and mercy be upon all who walk by this rule, even upon the Israel of God.'*

So, we see that those who glory in the cross of the Lord Jesus Christ are counted as being a part of the 'Israel of God'. They are grafted in, the original Israel of God having been to a large extent veiled, in order that the Gentiles could be grafted in, as Romans 11 describes. So, when God says He is going to sift Israel among the nations, He is shaking the nations in order to separate out those who glory in the cross of Jesus Christ alone, and those to whom the world has been crucified. So, all over the earth there is coming a very great separation of chaff from wheat. The whole earth is now God's threshing floor, in the day of the Lord, and He will thoroughly cleanse His threshing floor, and store the grain in His barn. Not one kernel of grain of the Israel of God will be lost and fall to the earth, because the Lord knows those who are His, BUT He does also say in Amos 9:10, that all the sinners of His people will die by the sword, who say, "Evil will not overtake us". In other words, if you are not right with God, but you are named by His Name, whether it is the natural Israel of God or the spiritual Israel of God, if your heart is not right with God, and you say, "Because I am part of the Israel of God, this evil will not touch me," the evil in your heart; that sin that is unrepented of in your heart, will bring the judgment of the sword upon you - wherever you are in the earth. You cannot hide behind the Name of Jesus if you are not walking uprightly.

So, there is a great shaking as God comes to shake everything that can be shaken, so that what cannot be shaken will remain and what cannot be shaken. It is His grain that He places in His storehouse. The chaff, on the other hand, is designated the fire of judgment.

Now I want us to also look at another scripture which is Job 38. I have spoken on this scripture before. It's a very interesting scripture. Job 38:12-14. It says:

*'Have you commanded the morning since your days and caused the dayspring (or the dawn) to know his place, that it might take holds of the end of the earth, that the wicked might be shaken out of it...'* And verse 14 says, *'it is turned as clay to the seal, and they stand out like a garment'*.

So, I'm going to just chew this verse by verse with you, because this is exactly what is taking place in the earth at present. Although it seems like such confusion is taking place, and that the whole world seems to have gone mad, Job 38:12-14 is taking place. So, it says, *'Have you caused the dawn to know its place?'* Do you remember in Song of Songs, it speaks of the ones who come forth out of the wilderness, and the writer of Song of Songs says, *'who is this that comes forth from the wilderness, looking forth like the dawn'*. That verse is in Song of Songs 6:10.

*'Who is this that looks forth as the dawn? Fair as the moon, clear as the sun and terrible as an army with banners'*.

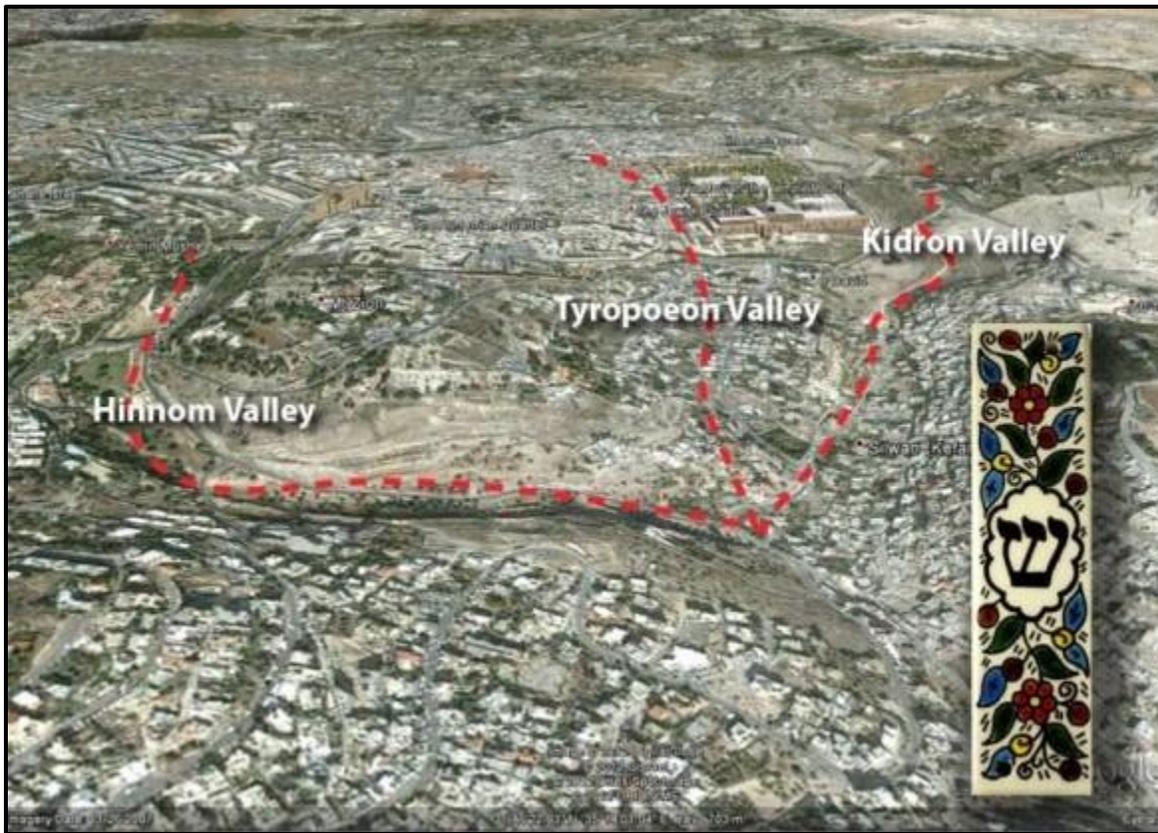
So, we see that this company that's coming out of the wilderness looks like the dawn. There is a light of the Sun that they carry, and there is a clarity and a purity, and they're actually terrifying - like an army with banners. So, Job 38 says that the dawn is caused to know its place and that it takes hold of the ends of the earth and shakes the wicked out of it. The image is like the shaking of a rug to reveal and remove the dirt that's hiding in the rug. So, this is the description of a great army (The army of Joel 2), like the dawn upon the mountains, doesn't it say in Joel 2? Taking holds of the ends of the earth and shaking it, to expose and reveal the hiding places of the wicked. And then it says in verse 14: that the earth is changed *'like clay into which a seal is pressed'*, the Amplified says, *'And things stand out like a many-colored garment'*. Now, a garment is something that is worn over an earthen vessel as clothing, and it's on the outside.

I want you to imagine clay; a smooth piece of clay that has been well worked and is moist. If you press a seal into it, certain parts are raised up and other parts are pressed down. In other words, what is hidden in the clay rises up and is clearly defined and other

areas go down low - And Job 38:12 – 14 connects this to the exposing of wickedness. So, it is the wicked that stand out and are raised up, when a seal is applied to the earth. Do you know, army of the Dawn, as you find your place in the Spirit upon the mountains and you begin to pray by the Spirit, your prayers are taking hold of the ends of the earth and contributing to the shaking that is taking place, especially if you're praying in tongues. You might not realize that this is what you are accomplishing, but the wicked are being exposed. Look at the nations all over the earth where there are demonstrations and riots and great companies of very angry, frothing-at-the-mouth people gathering together and marching. Before the match was lit, there was just a mixed multitude in the nations. Even in classrooms, university classrooms, all the students were there, sitting in their rows listening to the lecturer. They just looked like a roomful of students, and then when that match was struck on the 7th of October, a separating process started. As the Bridal army of God found their places in the Spirit and began to pray, the earth was shaking, the nations were shaking and wickedness was rising up and being exposed. It was being changed like clay into which a seal was being pressed, and what was standing out and rising up was great companies with wicked intent. The wicked were and are becoming highly visible in the earth, in groups & in protests. There is rage and hatred and it is a spiritual manifestation of wickedness and violence. The Bible always associates the lifting up of oneself and making oneself visible with pride.

So, when we see this great sifting happening in the nations, the righteous are bowed low before the face of God and the throne of God in worship and intercession, but in amongst them, the wicked are rising up and becoming highly visible, and the manifestation of what has been hidden in their hearts is identifying them as part of the wicked.

Now, the letter Shin is the symbol for God's Name (see the signet in the image for this post), and in the Word it says that He has put His Name upon Jerusalem. The city of Jerusalem has valleys that are in the shape of the letter shin, which is got three branches. And the valleys are on the left branch; the valley of Hinnom, the central branch, which runs through the middle of Jerusalem, is the Valley of the Cheesemakers (Tyropoeon Valley) and the right-hand arm of the shin is the Kidron Valley. So that seal of God's Name has been imprinted in the earth of the earthly Jerusalem. The shin shape makes the valleys, the low places, the humble places.



Now, the letter Shin also symbolizes consuming fire, so we can see that a signet seal of God's name is being applied in every nation in the earth, as the Day of Judgment by fire is here. And we can see that it is as God shakes the nations and puts the seal of His Name, it identifies Him as the One Who is doing the shaking. It is the wicked that are raised up high, as Job 38:14 speaks of, that are being raised up and manifested and brought out of hiding. Remember that the Lord says, '*judge nothing before the appointed time, when God makes manifest the counsels of the heart*'. Well, we are living in the time when the counsels of men's hearts are being made clearly manifest, even in those that call themselves the Church of Jesus Christ.

Fire is designated to consume both chaff and tares, and the grain is stored or hidden in the storehouse, in the day of the Lord's anger. Chaff is moved by the wind. It is light. It has no significant weight. The applying in the Spirit of the signet seal of God in the earth by those He has chosen (as they pray and intercede), will draw the wicked out into plain visibility, sweep away the refuge of lies - and this sifting and separation and revealing is in order that judgment may fall upon the wicked.

Now, on the 19th of October, I was in worship, and the Spirit said to tell the people that the Seraphim are coming. I didn't make a podcast of it, but I did send out a written message to those who are my subscribers by email. The seraphim are part of the judgment by fire being executed, and judgment begins at the house of God. The word 'seraph', from which seraphim comes, means 'burning or fiery', and the root word means 'to set on fire or kindle'. In Isaiah 6, when Isaiah saw the Lord high and lifted up, Isaiah; a holy bondservant of God, said that he was a man of unclean lips, dwelling amongst a people of unclean lips - and he was dwelling amongst God's people. A burning coal was given him from the fire to cleanse his lips.

We also see the work of the Spirit of Judgment and the Spirit of Burning in Isaiah chapter four. It explains in this very short chapter that the Spirit of Burning or the seraphim and their application is necessary, before the glory can come. So, the seraphim are coming to the daughters of Zion in preparation for glory. Jesus said that He came to bring fire on the earth. In Luke 12:49 He says, *'I have come to cast fire upon the earth, and how I wish that it was already kindled'*. Why does He wish that it was already kindled? Because fire deals with the tares. Fire deals with the wicked. Fire deals with the chaff and cleanses the threshing floor. And He says in Luke 12:51,

*'Do you think I've come to bring peace upon the earth? No, I say to you, rather division, for from now on in one house there will be five divided, three against two and two against three. They will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother in law against her daughter in law and daughter in law against her mother in law.'*

In other words, Jesus came to bring separation in houses. He came to bring division. And what does a sieve do but bring division? So, God is shaking and sifting both His house; the people who name themselves by His Name, wherever they are in the nations, AND He's also shaking the nations and applying His consuming fire seal to cause the wicked to become highly visible.

So, I want to say to you, Beloved, beware soulish compassion! So, an example of soulish compassion in prayer is praying for Klaus Schwab to be saved. This is utterly pointless. He is completely demonically controlled and actively engaged in the

annihilation of the human race. So, we cannot operate in soulish compassion and waste our prayers and our words in wrong directions. We must pull down vain imaginations that are not led by the spirit, and ask God to align our tongues to His will and His mind in prayer. David said he hates those who hate God. Do you? Do you hate evil and the spirit of antichrist, or that which is 'instead of Christ'? Do you feel the heartbeat of God and pray in time with His heartbeat and His purpose? If you do not align your understanding to God's understanding, you will find yourself being a tool of the enemy and a launching pad for prayers which release confusion in the spiritual realm.

God said he will pit the sons of Zion against the sons of Greece. We're in a time of spiritual war and natural war. Zion against Greece is a war of the spirit against the flesh. The Greeks applauded and worshiped the flesh, the human body, and all things sensuous but the sons of Zion worship God by the Spirit of God, because the mind of the Spirit brings life, but the mind of the flesh brings death. What are the protesters under the green, red and white flag chanting? They are chanting, "Death to Israel". They are calling for the spirit of death to go forth. And they are releasing a frequency that brings destruction and darkness and gives demonic spirits license in the earth. So do not lean on your natural understanding. Pray much in the spirit. You are enlisted as the army that is like the dawn upon the mountains, to pray God's purposes into the earth, not the purposes and will of the human intellect and understanding. The flesh always reasons and seeks to preserve the flesh, and calls for the destruction of God's purposes in the earth.

Just a little aside... there are a number of countries in the earth that use the colors green, red, black, and white on their national flags. These are the ones that I've discovered: Syria, Jordan, Libya, Sudan, Kuwait, UAE, Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Palestine, Lebanon and ISIS. Is it any coincidence that the four horses of the apocalypse are red, black, white and green? No coincidence there, is there? Psalm 2 tells us that the kings of the earth are arraying themselves and gathering together against God Almighty. How futile that is! He is the One with all might. He is the One with all power. And yet they seek to cast off His bands, His restraints, and to impose their will in the earth.

Beloved, not every mouth that speaks in the name of religion in these days releases the mind of Christ. Not every mouth that stands behind a pulpit in these days releases the mind of Christ. You must actively seek the mind of Christ and God's will in prayer. That

great army, like the dawn in Joel 2, is finding its place. The Spirit is working in you the will of the Father and anchoring you firmly in place spiritually - And from that place, you will release a sound and a frequency that moves in concert and union with heaven. Remember that it might seem for a while like things are getting worse. In other words, like the wicked are really rising up in great groups and going forth with evil intent, that might look like your prayers aren't working. But remember, the wicked must be exposed, identified and revealed, before judgment can come to them. Light will emerge from your lips as you take your place in the Spirit and drive the darkness to its appointed place; as the ends of the earth are shaken and expose the wicked.

You know, eight years ago, I had a vision of a woman turning into a treble clef - that's like that curly thing that you find at the beginning of sheet music, and out of her belly poured forth notes, finding their way onto a staff where they were held in place by a little X shaped thing, which is the pictograph for the letter tav, the completion or consummation of God's work. So, out of the belly of the church, there's going to be released a company who carry a sound, and they are going to be anchored as part of God's magnum opus on the staff. And they will stay in their places and release their sound, as God completes the work He began in them and their frequency is already accomplishing Job 38:12-14 in the earth, shaking the wicked out of their hiding places amongst the righteous, so that they are revealed and judged by the light. Like clay that rises out of a flat surface and stands clearly visible and identifiable when a signet ring is pressed into it, so will they be gathered together and clearly identified in the same way.

Tares are clearly identifiable in a field of wheat at harvest time. Matthew 13:25 tells us that tares are the seed of the wicked, that the enemy sows in the earth amongst the seed that God has sown, and the angels ask the Lord, if they must try and pull out the tares when they're young. God says, "No, in case you damage the wheat", but at harvest time, what happens is the tares stand erect and tall, but the wheat is carrying the heavy full grains of nourishment. The heads of the wheat bow low just before harvest time, so that it's easy to see which are the tares in the wheat field, and then God sends His angels to gather them. He says, "Let them grow together until harvest..." Let's look at that:

Matthew 13 *'The kingdom of heaven is like a man who sowed good seed in his field, but while he was sleeping, his enemy came and sowed darnel (or tares) amongst the*

*wheat, and went on his way. So when the plants sprouted and formed grain, the darnel (or the tares) appeared also. And the servant said, why are there darnel shoots in amongst the good seed in your field? And he said, an enemy has done this...*

Verse 30. *'Let them grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will say to the reapers, gather the tares first, bind it in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into My granary.'*

So, we see that the end place that the tares are appointed is burning and consuming fire, but the true wheat will be harvested after that. So, the tares are identified and gathered first. Jesus explains this parable in Matthew 13, from verse 37, He says:

*'He who sows the good seed is the Son of Man. The field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom. The tares are the children of the evil one. But in the growing season, they are all mixed together in the field. And the enemy who sowed the tares is the devil. The harvest is the close and consummation of the age. And the reapers are angels. Just as the tares are gathered and burned with fire, so it will be at the close of the age. The Son of Man will send forth His angels, and they will gather out of His kingdom all causes of offense, and all who do iniquity, and act wickedly, and will cast them into a furnace of fire and there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. And then will the righteous shine forth like the sun in the kingdom of their Father.'*

So, as we see the wicked being made clearly visible in every nation of the earth in these days, we know that we have come to the consummation of the age. And we have come to the time of harvest. The wicked are made visible first; the tares become easily identifiable first. Then they are gathered and appointed consuming fire. Then the wheat is harvested. So, the wicked are dealt with before the wheat is harvested and the chaff is separated from the wheat. Look at the timing and look at the sequence of events. First, those who cause offense and act wickedly are identified, gathered into bundles or into groups. And how are the tares gathered out? They are plucked up by the roots and removed to the fire of judgment. Malachi 4 says, the day that burns like an oven approaches, and it leaves the wicked with no root or branch. Why don't they have a root? Because they've been pulled up. The word for 'branch' also means 'a seed or a son'. So, the wicked will have no more sons because they are pulled up and judgment of consuming fire is appointed them.

So beloved as you bow your head, your spirit heavy with the weight of the revelation of what the Lord God Almighty is doing in this hour, as you bow and say, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. Let your will be done in the earth. Let your kingdom come," know that your bowing before the throne is contributing to the unveiling and the identifying of the wicked scattered in the midst of the harvest field of the earth. They stand proud with their fists raised against heaven. Some of these are even behind pulpits and university lecterns, but arrogance and hatred fills their hearts as they emerge from their hiding places, and allow easy identification for the angels sent to gather them in bundles for burning. May the Lord of Heaven and Earth have His way. Let His perfect will be accomplished, as those filled with the fear of the Lord. Stand ready like the dawn upon the mountains.

Just as the whole Covid phenomenon and the resulting pharmaceutical 'so-called intervention caused a great sifting and brought division amongst believers in the body, so too are the events unfolding from the October 7th Hamas attack acting as a sieve. Brother is turning against brother. Even in the Body of Christ, people are choosing sides and vehemently opposing those with different views. Nations and people groups are being sifted in the Lord's winnowing fan, and the chaff in His Body are being separated out.

What is the chaff? It's different to the tares. Tares have different genetics to wheat. Tares are seeds or sons sown by the enemy, as Matthew 13:25 describes, but chaff has the same genetics as the wheat or the barley grains. It has grown up closely attached to and part of the same plant, but at the time of harvest, the chaff and the wheat are separated out by weight. Chaff has no spiritual weight. It is just dry husks, stalks and leaves severed and roots pulled out. There's no more life in it, but the grain carries the potential for life because of the DNA within the seed. The winnowing fan of God tosses and the wind separates out, and the heavy, nutritious grain is then stored safely in the barn or granary.

I see big groups of Christians; fellowships and organizations, sifted according to people's individual spiritual weights. They will be separated out, even within church groups. The grain will safely be stored away and taken and removed from the threshing floor and protected, but the chaff falls away and is appointed the fire. I actually had a vision of a winnowing fan upon which was written: 'It is written'! Now, John the Baptist

spoke of One who would come after him, whose winnowing fan was in His hand. The Word made flesh has the winnowing fan in His hand, and John said He will thoroughly cleanse His threshing floor. The chaff doesn't even know what is written, because they have not studied to show themselves approved, able to rightly divide the Word of God. The word for 'storehouse' in Malachi 3:10 comes from two words; the word for house, which is 'beth', and the word 'otsar', which is 'a storehouse, a treasury, or a magazine of weapons'. Interesting. So, in the storehouse are God's weapons, in the treasury are God's jewels. Malachi 3 speaks of God's jewels who fear the Lord.

Job 21:8 speaks of the wicked being like stubble before the wind, and as chaff that the storm carries along. Psalm 1:4 says, *'not so the wicked. They are like chaff which the Lord drives away'*. Remember Amos 9:10 said 'the wicked' amongst His people... So, we mustn't have the idea that those that are identified as the Body of Christ are good, and those who are not part of the Body of Christ are wicked. God says there are wicked amongst His people, and they are like chaff. Psalm 83:3 uses the word for 'stubble', which is 'chaff or stalks of a plant', and it comes from a root word meaning 'to gather together'. So, the chaff and the stubble are also gathering together in a heap. Proverbs 15:7 says *'the lips of the wise disperse knowledge, but the heart of the foolish not so'*. That word 'disperse' means 'to diffuse or winnow'. So, the lips of the wise winnow and separate out truth and error; chaff and grain. Jeremiah 13:24 and 25: God says, *'I will scatter you as stubble'*, and the reason why is *'because you have forgotten Me'*. So those who are identified as chaff or stubble are those amongst His people who have forgotten Him. Hosea 13:3 says that *'idolaters shall be as chaff driven by the whirlwind'*. So those amongst His people who are into idolatry shall be as chaff, and chaff is appointed fiery judgment. Matthew 3:12 says that chaff is burnt with unquenchable fire.

So, the reason why I called this message 'The Seal and the Sifting' is because there is both the action of the dawn army finding its place, and contributing to the shaking of the whole earth by their prayers, so that the wicked may be exposed, just as a signet seal lifts up clay. At the same time, God is shaking and sifting all the nations. He will sift Israel among the nations, and not one of the grains that are true wheat will be lost.

May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord shine light upon your heart. May the Lord give you increased understanding. As Matthew 13 says *'to him who has spiritual understanding will more be given'*. May you receive more spiritual

understanding, because to us, His disciples, it is given to know the mysteries and the secrets of the kingdom.

Selah.