



MASTERCLASS

The Role of the Prophetic in Chaotic Times

Prophetic Word: “Latitude & Indulgence”

A number of years ago, the Lord just began to drop one word into my spirit and every time I woke up in the morning, that word was there... every morning. The word was latitude.

It means the scope to go further than you ever have before. And each time it came into my heart, there was a permission attached to it. The Father was saying, "I give you latitude to explore who I am." To create an opportunity for an upgrade in your ability to go deeper. To go further in God than you ever have before.

Latitude is the Lord releasing to you and in you, a new liberty to explore the extent of a new found internal freedom to be with the Father.

Latitude. The Holy Spirit is going to work with you to develop an ability and an authority that is authentic in your life - for you to come into a whole new place, a whole new dimension of spirituality and to enable others to press into that same place.

So the Lord says to you, there is a season of favor upon each one of you to go into a deeper place in the Lord. Latitude.

It's not available to a casual seeker, so the Father says to you that you must step up and conduct yourself like the gold prospectors of old. Be as passionate and excited about the search as you are about discovering something precious. When you study times like the Gold Rush in America's history and listen to the testimony of real prospectors. They said that many people went out there just looking for a new life,

hoping to make enough money to start a new life.

Most of those people found nothing. They said that real prospecting is as much about the search as it is about the discovery. Real prophets love process. They know that it is the process we engage in with God that makes us rich, not the discovery at the end. It's the process, the prospecting that enables us to discover who the Lord really, really is.

Space is opening up before you to enter into a new place in Him. Explore this space for yourself. The Holy Spirit extends to you an anointing to explore who the Father is for you. Fresh permission has been granted for you to come up into a higher place.

Some of you have heard this before, but you gave up on the search. You looked in the wrong place. You looked for an upgrade in gifting. You searched for a higher place in ministry, a greater profile in the church and the Kingdom. You looked in every place but the one that the Father had chosen for you. Had you looked internally at your own life and your own responses, you would have seen Me waiting there for you.

Now behold, I tell you clearly, the upgrade is not about what you do but it is concerned with who you are becoming in Me. Know that I am a jealous God. Know that I desire you for My own possession, My own delight.

Come to Me. I'm not hiding. Look for me passionately, diligently - and I will make sure that you find Me. You have latitude with Me. You have latitude with Me; freedom to explore My love and favor upon you.

Make no mistake beloved, this is highly personal. I am drawing you into an unrestricted place. A place where limitation is frozen. Where restraint is held back for your sake.

It is a place of indulgence, for Me, says the Lord. I will indulge Myself with you in this place for I will satisfy My own desire in you. I will luxuriate in My fondness and My affection for you. I will revel in My Fatherly role in your life.

And you? You shall explore the heights and the depths and the length and the breadth of My love and favor for you. Past promises, freely given and still remembered by Me will come to pass in this next season. The Father says to you to put ministry firmly in the back of our mind. Do not abandon or forsake it, just do not make provision for it. I will make provision for it.

I bestow upon you a peculiar grace to speak to others out of what you are learning, seeing and discovering about Me. Make time for Me and me only. When you come to minister to My people, speak freely, honestly and openly about your journey, your process and your discoveries. And like nuggets of gold, your words will create new wealth, fresh hope and faith.

Healing will flow out of your own freshly healed heart. Water will stand in the footprints of your life. As you walk through the lives of other people's desperation, they will drink deeply of My truth that lives in your heart.

As you grow in your new place of freedom in My heart for you, an anointing will come in time that will enable you to bring release

and freedom to others. It is important that you speak continually for a season, even though there is no impartation to release. My people need to become more desperate in their own search for Me.

America will no longer be the land of the quick fix. But I tell you, desperation creates its own momentum. Your story? Is one of prospecting with passion, of seeking and finding. The landscape of your life will be filled with signs of My presence. Enjoy searching for Me as I will enjoy revealing Myself to you.

In this season of favor, My word is "yes". I will say "yes" to the speed of your movement. I say "yes" to your searching heart.

Will you find Me? Yes.

Will you be changed? Yes.

Will you be filled? Yes.

Will past words come to pass? Yes.

Will it be everything that you ever dreamt about? Yes. For you and for Me.

For I have dreams too says the Lord, I have plans for your welfare, not your calamity. To give you a future that is excellent and a confidence that is profound.

My goal? Is your total, absolute confidence in My name and My nature. That you would know Me by radical experience and that you would be the ambassadors of My heart. I will teach you to minister to Me and I will minister to you. Then we will minister both to the Body and to the world. And goodness will flow forth from heaven. Favor will overwhelm the earth.

My people will rise, strong, passionate, unapologetic. The battle lines will be drawn between goodness with favor and political religious tolerance. And I will blow through the religious systems of man, opening prison doors and releasing spiritual captives. I will blow through the western peoples until they rise to meet My eastern family.

The Lord says there will be an uprising. There will be an uproar such as has never been seen before. For the latter days of My house will be greater than the former. I will create a new breed of prophetic people who will know how to minister to the Lord and how to live in favor.

I will develop pioneers who will explore the territory of deep personal fellowship with their Maker and who will guide others to the land of promise. I will create in My Body a spiritual catalyst that will change the face of western christianity to a more radical pursuit of My heart.

So the Lord says to you, rest now. Soak in this place. Take your ease. Learn the art of soaking and resting again. Then gather yourself and rise up on the inside and no longer look at the external things, but look to Me within. And I, even I, will cause you to rise up and prosper and know that nothing shall be impossible to the ones who live from the inside out. Nothing will be impossible, Nothing will be impossible.

But you will do the impossible. You will be strong and you will do exploits. And the fame of it will bring glory to Me. As the world sees My bride rising up, so they will be astonished by her beauty. I will be magnified and I will be glorified and I will be extolled. People will exalt in My name because of you and because of all that I become to you.

And because of My astonishing grace and your outrageous passion, the world will turn for a season and will come running into the Kingdom.

And the war will truly begin... and I will win. I will win. Because I have all power and all authority in heaven and on earth and I give it to the bride of My heart, to the woman of My choice I bestow it. And you will revel in it.

I give you latitude - a wide open space is before you. A wide open space. You have crossed over the borders of your previous territory and you are in the land of My promise. So now, explore. Explore this place and know that every place that your foot treads, I have given it to you.

Live before Me as a people of promise. Live before Me as those who have outrageous blessing upon them. You are My people of promise. The Father says, stop praying like a widow and pray like a bride. Pray like a woman beloved. Come and bask in My favor and ask of Me. My heart will say "yes" to you. Not to the half of My kingdom, but to the whole of it. Pray like a bride. Pray like a woman in love. Ask as a woman in love asks of her beloved. I will teach you to pray things that will astonish you.

I give you latitude. I give you latitude. I create a space in front of you and I invite you, "come". Be a pioneer. Be an explorer. Take new territory. Cross the border. Cross it. Move out of the place of unbelief into the place of faith. I will come to you. I will confide in you and you will be the object of My affection even as I am the object of your worship.

So Father, we bless you. We bless you Lord. We worship you. Holy Spirit, would you put within each one of us the will to explore? Would you take away from each of us anything half hearted or casual that we may search out

the heart of God as individuals and together? Search out your heart and explore the boundaries of your favor. Right now, where we are, we confess, we have latitude. We have permission to enter into a new place, a broad and spacious place. Bigger than we've known. Bigger than we've seen.

We're going to feel much like Israel crossing the Jordan, coming out of slavery, crossing the desert, following the cloud, coming into the land of promise where amazingly, we'll live in cities we didn't build. We'll eat from vineyards we didn't plant. We'll drink from wells that we didn't dig. Lord, this is, oh my gosh, this is winning the lottery to the power of ten. Everyone who crossed over into the promised land became wealthy beyond their wildest dreams. They owned property that they didn't pay for. They owned vineyards and wells and land that they didn't need a mortgage for. You created a whole bunch of millionaires when they crossed the Jordan.

Amazingly, the Egyptians paid for them to leave Egypt. They were funded and then you took them into the wilderness where there was nothing to spend money on anyway. Breakfast flying in every morning. Oh my gosh. So they got to eat and save money. They crossed the Jordan wealthy and then they became filthy rich.

You provided. You provided. You provided.

How astonished they must have been. How amazed. I wonder how many times they pinched themselves, "I must be dreaming. I never had this much money in my life. Three weeks ago, I was making bricks without straw. And now I'm rich."

You Lord, You. We have latitude, scope to explore. And we're going to explore. You say "yes" to us, we say "yes" right back. We have a feeling that we are coming into a place where the impossible will be every day. Where every day there will be new discoveries, amazing things happening. We have a sense that we are leaving the land of the mediocre and the mundane and we're coming into a new place, a whole new territory where our inheritance is right there to walk into. House we didn't build. I could walk right in, sit down and turn the TV on. Houses I didn't build. Wells I didn't have to dig. Vineyards I could go right in and pick the fruit from. How astonishing.

We believe that we are coming into the land of our astonishment, where we are going to learn to be astonished, to be amazed. We're going to be amazed at You, we're going to wonder at You. We're going to gasp at the wonder of everything, shaking our head at everything saying, "This is so cool". We're going to have to confess every day that we have latitude with You. I have permission to prospect and boy am I going to find gold.

So Father as we lie here, soaking, fill our hearts with promise. Fill our hearts with a sense of wonder and awe and astonishment. Our prayer is that we would never, *never* make any provision for mediocrity or dullness. But that we would live our lives astonished. We would be an astonished people living with a sense of wonder and awe for who You are.

Expand our hearts and our thinking, and our faith, and our ability to enter into fullness, to fullness, to fullness. That people round and about us will see the Kingdom of heaven come down into the earth.

And heaven will open and the Holy Spirit will descend in the form of a dove and the voice of the Lord will be heard thundering, "These are My people. This is what it means to belong to the King of heaven."

May it be so Father. May it be so, in Jesus name, for His sake, for His glory because He deserves a people of excellence. He deserves it. He deserves it.

Amen. Amen.

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