

Day 37

- I wanted to let you all know that I am going to take a few days off from doing the Daily Devotional because I am in the middle of “finals week” basically — of a very intense Bible college course I am taking. But, I couldn’t just leave you with nothing for the next few days, so I am going to share something with you, something for you to think on or “chew on” as my Mom would to say. Talk to Father God, and ask Him to reveal this powerful revelation to you, so you can consecrate yourself to it.
- In my dream last night, I kept hearing chesed, chesed...then I heard chesed of God. I don’t remember the dream, but I was in a class with Robin D. Bullock teaching it, which makes sense because he is teaching the course I am taking right now. In the dream when I kept hearing the word chesed, which I didn’t fully recognize, so my brain was trying to figure out what my spirit was hearing from God. I heard it hesed— H-E-S-E-D, but when you don’t know a word your spirit is hearing, your mind tries to make sense of it. I knew it was a Hebrew word; I knew that in my spirit.
- I looked it up, and I found the Hebrew word Chesed — C-H-E-S-E-D — The chesed of God. Chesed is a powerful word, that I know God still has a lot to teach me on, and since He gave it to me, knowing I would study it and discover Him through it, I know He will bringing me to a place of deep revelation regarding the word, so I can consecrate myself to the truth of the chesed of God.
- Chesed means grace, mercy, and lovingkindness, but it means much more than that. It is directly connected to covenant. And as westerners, understanding covenant is very hard. Chesed is God’s steadfast (firmly fixed in place, immovable), loyal (dedicated, devoted, faithful), covenant (unbreakable, blood bonded agreement) of love for us.
- Another definition of chesed — the consistent, ever faithful, relentless, constantly pursuing, lavish, extravagant, unrestrained, furious love of our Father God.
- In scripture, we see the chesed of God in Jeremiah 31:3 — God’s covenant love for us. “The LORD appeared of old to me, saying: “Yes, I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore with lovingkindness I have drawn you.”
- Psalm 89:28 - God’s covenanted lovingkindness through mercy (chesed). “My mercy will keep for him forever, and My covenant shall stand firm with him.”
- Isaiah 55:3 — God’s everlasting covenant of mercy. “Incline your ear, and come to Me. Hear, and your soul shall live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you — the sure mercies of David.”
- Psalm 136 — which has chesed in all 26 verses — I encourage you to read that Psalm and instead of saying mercy in each verse, replace it with chesed — it transforms it, deepens the power of what is written in the Psalm.
- Isaiah 54:10 — God’s covenant of kindness through mercy — “For the mountains shall depart and the hills be removed, but My kindness shall not depart from you, nor shall My covenant of peace be removed.” Says the LORD, who has mercy on you.”
- You know how I have tried to drive home that God cannot deny Himself — “If we are faithless, He remains faithful; He cannot deny Himself.” 2 Timothy 2:13. This is why God will not override His system of government and all the laws He set in motion from the beginning. His faithfulness knows no bounds.
- This concept is hard for most of us because we have most likely had at least one, if not many, relationships where we have witnessed complete unfaithfulness, deceit, broken promises, broken agreements, and even broken covenants (like marriage in divorce), and we’ve also been that person who has broken those promises, broken those agreements, or maybe even walked away from a marriage— And when we “live according to the flesh” Romans 8:5, it is hard for us to see the chesed of God in its fullness. This is why the same verse admonishes us to “live according to the Spirit.”

- If we look at the broad definition of chesed, and we “live according to the Spirit” as we are reading the scriptures and asking Holy Spirit to let us see and know, a deep revelation of the the incredible, all encompassing, covenanted, true, pure, unwavering, unbreakable, never failing chesed of God, Holy Spirit will open our spiritual eyes to see what Paul described when he had his “chesed of God” revelation — “For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.” Romans 8:38-39. The beautiful blood covenanted chesed of God, through our blood covenant keeper, Jesus Christ — powerful!!
- I hope this amazing revelation of God’s unwavering, unbreakable, and unbending love is washing over you. I strongly encourage you to research it through scripture for yourself, asking Holy Spirit to open your spiritual eyes to the amazing, complete, and never failing love, mercy, and grace of Father God. The chesed of God!
- When I am done with my “finals week”, I will continue with the Daily Devotional. Until then, I speak blessings of revelation of Father God’s lavish, pursuing love over you, and I encourage you to deepen your relationship with Him by listening to Him and knowing Him through His perfect love letter to us, the Word of God, the Bible.