

ORDAINED COVENANTAL RELATIONSHIP

“Ordained Covenantal Relationship, Marriage and Family are the same in the Spirit, and it is the only relationship that has the ability to reproduce after a Yahweh kind.”

Joint and Jointed = Being joined at the heart by Holy Spirit.

And he has appointed some with grace to be apostles, and some with grace to be prophets, and some with grace to be evangelists, and some with grace to be pastors, and some with grace to be teachers. And their calling is to nurture and prepare all the holy believers to do their own works of ministry, and as they do this they will enlarge and build up the body of Christ. Eph. 4:11-12 TPT

[and He did this] to fully equip and perfect the saints (God’s people) for works of service, to build up the body of Christ [the church]; Eph. 4:12 AMP

Equipping- gk-wd- (katartismos) from the root wd - katartizo [word study] = mend, repair, make whole or perfect, of setting bones, mending nets in turn from katá = with + artízo = adjust, fit, finish related to means to make something or someone (in this case (the body of Messiah) completely adequate or sufficient for something)

The English word equip means to furnish for service or action by appropriate provisioning. Equip describes the supplying with the items needed for a particular purpose, both of these definitions providing excellent pictures of the effect the gifted men should have on the body of Messiah.

True apostles and prophets have been gifted and graced to help the sons of Yahweh discover the purpose for which they were born. That involves watching for their souls, speaking into their lives and working with them to make our calling and election sure.

"All Relationship starts with fellowship."

"Real and living relationship is a two-way street that is teeming with life and mutual benefit."

Relational Realities

1). Relationship building takes time even if you have some things in common. (Love, Grace & Patience)

The difference between mature and immature relationships.

Mature sons relate beyond their differences because impasse represents an opportunity to adapt and change.

Immature sons break fellowship because impasse represents irreconcilable differences that challenge our current position.

2). Relationship building involves embracing the Messiah in one another until we are able to identify the son in each other.

We are all from different backgrounds and walks of life, and different timelines and spiritual dimensions.

We need to relate based on the essentials of the faith, and choose NOT to know anything among one another but Messiah and Him crucified.

*For I determined to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified.
1 Corinthians 2:2 NASB2020*

3). If we only walk and work with people who agree with us, how can we be challenged to consider anything from a different perspective?

Finally, brethren, farewell (rejoice)! Be strengthened (perfected, completed, made what you ought to be); be encouraged and consoled and comforted; be of the same [agreeable] mind one with another; live in peace, and [then] the God of love [Who is the Source of affection, goodwill, love, and benevolence toward men] and the Author and Promoter of peace will be with you. 2 Cor. 13:11 AMPC

If what we presently believe to be true cannot be challenged and openly discussed, then we will gravitate toward those who mostly validate our present position and current understanding.

Therefore if there is any encouragement in Christ, if any consolation of love, if any fellowship of the Spirit, if any affection and compassion, make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose. Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility consider one another as more important than yourselves; do not merely look out for your own personal interests, but also for the interests of others. Philippians 2:1-4 NASB2020

If we spent as much time getting to know one another as we do looking for a reason to disagree, we may discover that we are sons of the same Father and brothers of the same family.

You are always and dearly loved by God! So robe yourself with virtues of God, since you have been divinely chosen to be holy. Be merciful as you endeavor to understand others, and be compassionate, showing kindness toward all. Be gentle and humble, unoffendable in your patience with others. Tolerate the weaknesses of those in the family of faith, forgiving one another in the same way you have been graciously forgiven by Jesus Christ. If you find fault with someone, release this same gift of forgiveness to them. For love is supreme and must flow through each of these virtues. Love becomes the mark of true maturity. Colossians 3:12-14 TPT

If apostles and prophets were walking and working together in every locale and region around the world, their known worlds would be changed in the moment.

How truly wonderful and delightful it is to see brothers and sisters living together in sweet unity! It's as precious as the sacred scented oil flowing from the head of the high priest Aaron, dripping down upon his beard and running all the way down to the hem of his priestly robes. This harmony can be compared to the dew dripping from Mount Hermon, which flows down upon the hills of Zion. Indeed, that is where Yahweh has decreed his blessings will be found, the promise of life forevermore! Psalms 133:1-3 TPT