

## HIND'S FEET ON HIGH PLACES

### Chapter 1 Study Notes

Today's Scriptures:

1 John 4:17-19

<sup>17</sup> Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world. <sup>18</sup> There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. But he who fears has not been made perfect in love. <sup>19</sup> We love <sup>1a</sup>Him because He first loved us.

2 Corinthians 10:4-5

<sup>4</sup> For the weapons of our warfare *are* not <sup>1a</sup>carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, <sup>5</sup> casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ,

Isaiah 62:2

The Gentiles shall see your righteousness,  
And all kings your glory.  
You shall be called by a new name,  
Which the mouth of the LORD will name.

Psalms 4:3

But know that the LORD has <sup>1a</sup>set apart for Himself him who is godly;  
The LORD will hear when I call to Him.

Hebrews 13:5-6

<sup>5</sup> *Let your conduct be* without covetousness; *be* content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you." <sup>6</sup> So we may boldly say:

"The LORD *is* my helper;  
I will not fear.  
What can man do to me?"

- How do you relate to "much afraid"?  
*Ashamed when I disappoint Him so I withdraw, feeling very unworthy*  
*Afraid He won't come when I call for Him in my time of need*

*Alone & hopeless at times*

- What is your greatest fear you desire the Lord to make go away in your life?  
*Losing someone I love*
- What do the high places in our book represent in your own life?  
*Struggles, oppositions, weariness*  
*Times we lean on our own understanding when faced with adversity*  
*Questioning God's plan and will, in place of trusting in Him*
- What does the family of Fearings represent in your own life?  
*That which opposes God's promises and plans that cause us to question Him. Those things we cling to as comfort due to familiarity that enable us to stay lame and unable able to walk as a Child of God. Our mindsets we allow placement in our hearts and minds that we entertain that rise up against His promises over us.*
- What does the idea of Much Afraid "marrying" Craven Fear represent?  
*A stronghold in the mind... a way of thinking that opposes the purity of truth – as a man thinks so is he or she for that matter. It can only be broken by truth and a willing vessel to believe what the Lord says over self and others. It says marry, because it is so intricately entwined within the mind, one is not sober and it sets inside the heart – because what you love you worship. That which you love... even a stronghold... you cling to and refuse to turn away from and be set free. In these cases, it takes a direct touch from the Lord Himself to be delivered.*
- Do you desire to go upon the high places with Jesus? If so, what is stopping you?  
*Trusting fully in Him*  
*Times we look back into the past, perceiving it's influence in our present or future by permitting our past to dictate what lies ahead for us.*
- Why are we so fearful to look upon the eyes of Jesus?  
*We do not want to see the truth of ourselves most often, therefore we remain in captivity.*
- Why do you think the Chief Shephard wanted the journey to be kept secret?  
*Staying in a place of humility is a requirement for entering into the secret place. Our personal walk with Jesus is intimate and when we share anything regarding our testimony, it should only be to glorify Him.*  
*We will feed the enemy arrows to use against us anytime we boast on self or brag about our position with the Lord. Apart from Him, we do nothing.*
- Are there people in your life or situations that prompt you to respond and react like Much Afraid?  
*Give them to Jesus*  
*Write them down, imagine handing all that troubles you over to Him for Him to carry – our worries are effortless for Him and weariness sets in when we try to walk alone with the weight of the world on our shoulders.*  
*We cannot be delivered of that which we are not willing to acknowledge.*

Today's Pearl...

ROMANS 8:18

For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy *to be compared* with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

Note...

Glory is REVEALED in us – not announced, proclaimed or even claimed. It is His glory, not our own that is placed within and exposed by revealing to others. If we are indeed fully grasping this concept – we are silent regarding this issue, chances are if you contain authentic glory due to His residence within – others see it way before we do... Again, we may suffer in order He be revealed in and through us.

This scripture reminds us... suffering cannot begin to compare to His glory flowing forth from within us.

Before we go... if you have not asked Jesus to impart a new heart into you, please consider doing so. To love like Jesus is the greatest blessing He can bestow upon you... Can it be painful at times? Absolutely, but the wholeness found only in Him is worth it. Once He makes you whole, you stop seeking outside resources to a love only He can provide. Your eyes are fully opened so that you abide in peace, love, joy no matter what comes... You know... all will be okay, you are His, He is yours from everlasting to everlasting.