

Part 8 - Highlights

- Money does not allow us to live life to the fullest: John 10:10 & 1Tim 6:18-19 "Direct them (The Rich in todays age) to do good, to be rich in good deeds, to be generous, sharing, storing up for themselves a good foundation for the future, so they might take hold of the true life"
- Obedience to God in finances doesn't mean we wont suffer a loss, but rather He will steer us towards recovery. Gen 31:39-43
- The "goers" or "sent" are equal sharers with who stayed back and sent them. 1Sam 30:21-25, Rom 10:13-15, Josh 22:8–9, Psa 68:11, Mat 10:41-42, Phil 4:15-17 1 Cor 3:6–8
- The shift in those "sent" from 0 resources to needing funds Luke 9:1-6 to 22:35-38
- The mission update from Israel to the Nations: Mat 10:5 to Luke 24:45-49
- The enemy tried to stop Yeshua's Messianic earthly ministry to Israel at least 12 times!
- Yeshua had a special Grace on His ministry to allow Him to be a witness as the Messiah to Israel for a set time (3½ years). [John 2:13, 6:4, 11:55-12:1]
- The Grace on His ministry was about to end! Here comes persecution and tribulation! After the earthly ministry ended there was a mission update!

Part 9 - Highlights

- We reviewed 8 times where Yeshua's earthly ministry was provided for through Divine Favor Delivering exactly what was needed at exactly the time it was needed!
- Not a "miracle" per se, but Supernatural Favor! Through Divine Connections:
 Luke 8:1-3 Soon afterward, Yeshua began traveling throughout towns and villages,
 preaching and proclaiming the Good News of the Kingdom of God. The twelve were also
 with Him. And certain women who had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities—
 Miriam, the one called Magdalene, out of whom seven demons had gone; Joanna, the wife
 of Kuza, Herod's finance minister; Susanna; and many others—were supporting them out
 of their own resources.
- God can do whatever He wants, so direct hand of God miracles are not out of the realm of possibilities! However, it's far more common to experience Divine Favor!
- We learned through the instance of Yeshua being anointed with expensive oils, confirming He's on the right path, the Worship of Yeshua takes precedence over taking care of the poor!
- When we serve God, He will provide for us! Hebrews 13:21 & Isaiah 58:11

Highlights

Proverbs 11:18 The wicked earn deceptive wages, but a sower of righteousness reaps a true reward.

Proverbs 11:24-26 Some give freely and still get richer, while others are stingy but grow still poorer. The person who blesses others will prosper; he who satisfies others will be satisfied himself. The people will curse him who withholds grain; but if he sells it, blessings will be on his head.

The three storehouses:

- 1. Immediate use, pantry, refrigerator, starter for the next loaf

 Deut 28:5 Blessed will be your basket and your kneading bowl.
 - Yeshua roughly carried ½ years wages as resources
- 2. Intermediate use, a stockpile, longer term

 Deut 28:8 Adonai will command the blessing on you in your barns and in every undertaking of your hand, and He will bless you in the land Adonai your God is giving you.
 - Joseph in Egypt as an example
- 3. Heavenly Storehouse! For use here on earth!

 Deut 28:12 Adonai will open for you His good storehouse—the heavens—to give rain for your land in its season and to bless all the work of your hand. You will lend to many nations, but you will not borrow.
 - Yeshua and the God fearers relied heavily upon the Heavenly Storehouse

Cornerstone Texts:

Proverbs 3:9-10 Honor Adonai with your wealth and with the first of your entire harvest. Then your <u>Storehouses</u> will be filled with plenty, your vats will overflow with new wine.

Malachi 3:10 Bring the whole tenth into the <u>storehouse</u>, so that there will be food in my house, and put me to the test," says Adonai-Tzva'ot. "See if I won't open for you the floodgates <u>of heaven</u> and pour out for you a blessing far beyond your needs.

Strongs H618

ימש 'âsâm aw-sawm'

From an unused root meaning to *heap* together; a *storehouse* (only in the plural): - barn, storehouse.

What we do on Earth...

Triggers a response from Heaven!



The Ministry of Yeshua

- Shifting from divine favor and connections to divine connection with... Fish
- Reading of Luke 5:1-11
- If He's calling you, He gives you means!
- He didn't "create a bunch of fish in their nets" He ordained that the fish should be in that exact spot at that exact time.
- A divine miracle through connection through which God is demonstrating His power over creation.
- And moves them to where they can be used to supply a need!

The Ministry of Yeshua

• Fish are symbolic of Men:

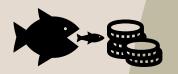
Luke 5:10b "Do not be afraid. From now on, you will be catching men."

Matthew 4:19 And He said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men."

Mark 1:17 And Yeshua said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men."

- That catch was more than enough for a weeks wages, this was a sizeable amount of Money!
- They would have money had money to put into the hands of their families so that they could go and follow Yeshua.

Theres something fishy about taxes



Matthew 17:24-27 When they came to Capernaum, the collectors of the Temple tax came to Peter and said, "Your teacher pays the Temple tax, doesn't He?" "Yes," Peter said. Now when Peter came into the house, Yeshua spoke to him first, saying, "What do you think, Simon? The kings of the earth, from whom do they collect tolls or tax? From their sons or from strangers?" After Peter said, "From strangers," Yeshua said to him, "Then the sons are free. But so that we do not offend them, go to the sea and throw out a hook, and take the first fish that comes up. And when you open its mouth, you'll find a coin. Take that, and give it to them, for Me and you."

- Somehow it eat a coin and was waiting to be caught
- Supernatural provision! Divine connection!

Fish & The Ministry of Yeshua

John 21:3-11 Simon Peter said to them, "I'm going fishing." "We're coming with you too," they said. They went out and got into the boat, and that night they caught nothing. At dawn, Yeshua stood on the beach; but the disciples didn't know that it was Yeshua. So, Yeshua said to them, "Boys, you don't happen to have any fish, do you?" "No," they answered Him. He said to them, "Throw the net off the right side of the boat, and you'll find some." So, they threw the net, and they were not able to haul it in because of the great number of fish. Therefore the disciple whom Yeshua loved said to Peter, "It's the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tied his outer garment around himself—for he was stripped down for work—and threw himself into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat from about two hundred cubits offshore, dragging the net full of fish. So when they got out onto the land, they saw a charcoal fire with fish placed on it, and bread. Yeshua said to them, "Bring some of the fish you've just caught." Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net to shore. There were 153 fish, many of them big; but the net was not broken.

Fish & The Ministry of Yeshua

- "Cast your nets on the other side" = Take it to the Gentiles! Deut 32:21
- 153 Big Fishes = Men
 - 153 People that Yeshua ministered to in the Gospels "Ten lepers"
 - 153 Gematria = "Benai Ha Elohim" or "Sons of God"
 - Jer 16:16a "Behold, I will send for many fishers," says Adonai, "and they will fish for them.
 - 153k Gentiles 2Chron 2:16 / All Israel Rom 11:26 / 144k Rev 7:4-9
 - The net was not torn! We will be able to catch everything He has for us! The ministry to reach the world will not fail!
 - He is bringing us back into the business that He called us to when we first began to follow him. We are going to catch the sons of God. 12

Peter & Our Mission:

- Peter had denied Yeshua three times, after he said he never would. Yeshua is re-establishing Peter here. Removing guilt & speculation.
- When we are apart from the Lord and stray from His path, we often times revert to what we know "I'll go fishing"
- Three times denied, three times "Confessed" John 21:15-17
- Cementing Peter the Apostle back into the ministry. Restored to your place, time to go back to what I called you to, not what you "know"
- Not just miracles of provision, but the way that they are given also teaches us something about the mission we are to have!
- 3 Miracles of divine connections! Just what we need at the right time!

Miraculous Provision

Read: John 2:1-11

- "Do whatever He tells you." He must have been a known problem solver...
- Roughly 180 Gallons! Perhaps mocking the Pharisees?
- John 2:11 "Yeshua did this, the first of the signs, in Cana of the Galilee—He revealed His glory, and His disciples believed in Him".
- Didn't catapult His ministry financially but cemented the Disciples belief in Yeshua's ministry. His first miracle, and a sign.
- There were times when He said "See that you tell no one" Not every miracle is meant to be a sign or advertisement, sometimes its just because He loves us and wants to meet our needs.

Supernatural Provision

Luke 9:12 Now the day began to wind down, and the twelve came and said to Yeshua, "Send the crowd away, so they might go into the nearby villages and countryside and find food and lodging; for we are in a desolate place here." But Yeshua said to them, "You give them something to eat!" But they said, "We have no more than five loaves of bread and two fish, unless we go to buy food for all these people." For there were about five thousand men. Then Yeshua said to His disciples, "Have the people recline in groups of about fifty each." They did so, and all reclined. And He took the five loaves and the two fish; and looking up to heaven, He offered the bracha and broke them. And He kept giving them to the disciples to set before the crowd. Then they all ate and were satisfied. And what was left over was picked up, twelve baskets of the fragments.

Remote desolate place, no options – meeting the needs to those dedicated. Multiplies existing food, unlike manna, dependent upon needs.

Provision of Necessity

Matthew 15:32-39 Yeshua called His disciples and said, "I have compassion for the crowd, because they've stayed with Me for three days now and have nothing to eat. I don't want to send them away hungry, because they might pass out on the way." The disciples said to Him, "Where in this wasteland is enough bread to satisfy such a large crowd?" Yeshua said to them, "How many loaves do you have?" "Seven," they said, "and a few small fish." After directing the crowd to recline on the ground, He took the seven loaves and the fish; and after giving thanks, He broke them. And He began giving them to the disciples, and the disciples to the crowds. And they all ate and were satisfied. And they picked up the broken pieces left over—seven baskets full. And those who ate were four thousand men, besides women and children. And after sending away the crowds, Yeshua got into the boat and went to the region of Magadan.

- Again, in the wilderness, it was the only way!
- Again, a multiplication of what was on hand, just like in Kings with oil and flour.

Necessity, the only way:

- Why all these wilderness provisions? Loaves, fishes and Manna?
- Because we can better hear him speaking to us in the quiet! No other distractions or voices.
- In Hebrew: Midbar = Wilderness / Midaber = Speak
- In the case of Yeshua, both locations had a natural "amphitheater effect" for voices. Just like in the Exodus wilderness journey.
- The moment Israel got into the Land, the provision stopped.
- Miracles of provision occurred because it's what they had to have...
- It was out of dire circumstances.

The Supernatural & The Natural

- Sometimes when we ask God for <u>financial</u> miracles were asking to be put into dire or extreme circumstances!
- There is a difference between:
 - 1. A Financial Provision
 - 2. A Financial Harvest
 - 3. A Financial Mircale
- Manna was probably not option A, but out of dire circumstances like being in the desert for 40 years, it became a necessity.
- Provision and Harvest is Gods primary way of channeling provision to us. Dire need Miracles are rare.
- God is God of <u>BOTH</u> the Natural and the Supernatural. (Seed/Harvest)
- It's best to know how He works and avoid dire situations

Giving and Receiving

Act 20:35 In all things I have shown you an object lesson—that by hard work one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Yeshua, that He Himself said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive".

- Paul is referencing an unwritten saying of Yeshua—part of the oral tradition known to the early believers. This statement was likely wellknown in the apostolic community and faithfully preserved even though the Gospel writers did not include it.
- Its authenticity is trusted due to Paul's apostolic authority and the general harmony with Yeshua's teachings (see Luke 6:38, Matthew 5–6).
- Why is the "giver" more blessed?
- Why is the "receiver" less blessed?

Why is it better to give?

1. Participation in God's Nature

God is the ultimate giver (John 3:16, James 1:17). When we give, especially sacrificially, we reflect His nature. It brings us into alignment with the character of Yeshua, who gave His life for others (Philippians 2:5–8).

2. Joy and Fulfillment

Giving produces inner joy that receiving often cannot match. This joy is rooted in knowing we are part of God's redemptive work. Proverbs 11:25 says, "A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed."

3. Heavenly Reward

Yeshua teaches that acts of generosity store up treasure in heaven (Matthew 6:19–21). Earthly giving is an eternal investment.

4. Freedom from Materialism

Giving loosens the grip of greed and attachment to possessions. It cultivates contentment (1 Timothy 6:6–10), which is itself a blessing.

5. Empowerment and Strength

The giver is often in a position of strength—whether emotional, financial, or spiritual. That strength is meant to uplift others (Romans 15:1), and using it righteously deepens our own sense of purpose. --- 20

Why the Receiver Is Less Blessed

1. Temporary Relief vs. Eternal Investment

Receiving often meets a temporary need, while giving has a multiplying and enduring impact. The receiver may benefit momentarily, but the giver accrues lasting reward.

2. Position of Dependency

The receiver is usually in a position of lack or weakness, as Paul emphasizes ("that by hard work one must help the weak" Acts 20:35). This isn't a moral fault, but it reflects a lower station compared to the ability to give.

3. Less Agency

Giving is an act of will; receiving often isn't. The spiritual exercise and growth that come from sacrificial choice are largely on the giver's side.

Systematic Laws of Harvest

- What we learned through this series is how God operates financially and how His supply chain works!
- Through a systematic law of Sowing and Harvesting.
- The Storehouse principle operates within Sowing/Harvesting
- He wants us to sow generously where He leads us to.
- Always putting God first in ALL things, including finances.
- When we follow God and are obedient to Him, He has us on His mind, He provides for us!
- Gods supply chain is infinite! It NEVER runs out!
- He supplies the needs of His children.
- Let God decide how to repay you! See Philippians 4:17-20

The Spiritual Application:

"For Torah will go forth from Zion and the word of Adonai from Jerusalem." Isaizh 2:3b

"and that repentance for the removal of sins is to be proclaimed in His name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem." Luke 24:47 see Acts 1:8)

And Yeshua came up to them and spoke to them, saying, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, immersing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Ruach ha-Kodesh, teaching them to observe all I have commanded you. And remember! I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Mat 28:18-20

"For I tell you, you will never see Me again until you say, 'Baruch ha-ba b'shem Adonai. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" Mat 23:39

Repayment

NOT REPAYING EVIL WITH
EVIL OR INSULT WITH
INSULT, BUT, ON THE
CONTRARY, WITH BLESSING.
FOR IT IS TO THIS THAT
YOU HAVE BEEN CALLED,
SO THAT YOU MAY RECEIVE
A BLESSING.

1 KEFA (1 PETER) 3:9



EVERY GOOD ACT OF GIVING AND EVERY

PERFECT GIFT IS FROM ABOVE, COMING DOWN

FROM THE FATHER WHO

MADE THE HEAVENLY LIGHTS; WITH HIM THERE IS NEITHER

VARIATION NOR DARKNESS CAUSED BY TURNING.

YA'AKOV (JAMES) 1:17



Read Ephesians 6:7-8

Proverbs 15:6 The home of the righteous is a storehouse of treasure, but the earnings of the wicked bring trouble.

Shabbat Shalom!

I hope you were Blessed and strengthened in the Lord through this series.

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

Time to put it in action.