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DON'T GET LOST IN THE CROWD – JOIN A HOMECCELL

Ps Aidan – Unless the Seed



WELCOME



Welcome each member and make time to find out how it's going with each one. Give them some time to share what is happening and if there are some good testimonies.

WORSHIP



Sing 2x praise and 2x worship songs and spend some time praying in tongues during the last worship song and focus on people that are lost or who you still want to invite to church.

WORD



Read: John 12:24

- Jesus reveals the "Unless The Seed" reality to His disciples by declaring that Unless He does not become like a seed and sow His life and unless the seed does not die, the seed will simply remain a seed, but if the seed is sown it will produce much fruit.
- Jesus was also bound by a principle His Father created the earth on when He created the earth
- The principle of seedtime and harvest and even He had to apply this principle in order for His purpose to produce.
- God's word said it and He placed His word above His own name.

Read: Ps. 138:2b

Ask yourself - If seedtime and harvest was good enough for Jesus, is it not then also not good enough for us?

In Genesis it tells us when and how God establishes His creation on this incredible principle

Read: Gen. 1:11 - **Notice 3 things:**

1. Seed is the source for life on the earth.
Read: Gen. 1:11a
 - Seed - The source of plants and vegetation
 - Seed - The source of animal procreation
 - Seed - The source of human procreation.
2. Seed produces harvests that will look similar to itself.

Read: Gen. 1:11b

- Apple seeds produce apple harvests according to its kind

- Sheep seed produce sheep harvests according to its kind
 - Human seed produce human harvests according to its kind
3. Seed to keep producing is found inside God's creation.

Read: Gen. 1:11c

- Apples seed is found inside the apple.
- Sheep seed is found inside the Ram.
- Human's seed is inside the male.

So God establishes a principle upon which He hinges creation and declares Seed as the source of development and growth!!

We see it throughout scripture

- Adam and Eve although tempted, deceived by the enemy was bound by God's seedtime and harvest principle so he tempts them a seed(fruit) to sow towards their destruction
- After great flood God again re-establishes creation upon principles

Read: Gen. 8:22

- Notice that the cycle of night and day never ceases, cold and heat, summer and winter as well as the principle of seedtime and harvest shall not cease.
- Read about Abraham's blessing in Gen 14:18-20 and Heb. 7:1-3
- As Abraham applied the principle of sowing and reaping so too should we too as Jesus represent the same order as Melchizedek
- God when testing Abraham's love for Him does it through the principle of sowing, giving and sacrificing in order to produce a harvest or return.

Read: Gen. 22:1-2

- If God tested Abraham in sowing and required Jesus to sow His life, the 1st test every Christian must pass is sowing and reaping in some area of their life.
- Abraham's harvest Isaac too was bound by God's principles
- When famine struck Israel and Isaac wanted to look to man for solutions God's word said your way out of famine is seed

Read: Gen. 26:1-2, 12, 13-14

- Joseph dreamt of wheat and famine, but ultimately it was seed that saved Israel.
- Moses destiny could've ended if his mother held onto him but gave him away by letting him float down a river, that precious seed produced his destiny.

God wants to set man free from sin & bondage & burdens....He understands more than anyone that His word, His honour and He Himself is bound by His own word & principles of seedtime and harvest

- Seed is the source for life on the earth – **John 3:16**
- Seed produces harvests that will look similar to itself – **John 10:30**
- Seed to keep producing is found inside God's creation – **John 10:38**

Not only was Jesus bound by the principle of seed & harvest but He constantly taught around this principle: **Read:** Mark 4:3, Matt.6:38 -42 and Luke 6:37-38

Paul teaches on this principle: **Read:** 2 Cor. 9:6, Gal 6:7

Jesus is bound by Gods principle: **Read:** John 12:24

Greatest seed you'll ever sow **Read:** John 3:3



Do not stop to invite your world, keep reaching out to people in your community and in your work place. Make a commitment to follow up on your target lists.

Reminders:

- **Dream Week - 4 -7 October**