

## **Dear Precious Friend,**

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## The Zeal Of The Lord Has Consumed Me

For the zeal of your house has consumed me; and the reproaches of them that reproached you are fallen upon me. *Psalm 69:9* 

And Jesus went into the temple of God, and cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple, and overthrew the tables of the moneychangers, and the seats of them that sold doves, and said to

them, It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer; but you have made it a den of thieves. And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them. *Mathew 21:12-14* 

And his disciples remembered that it was written, the zeal of your house has consumed me. John 2:17

As I was about to share in Prisma Church in Germany, I saw the Lord in the Spirit, break in and bound across the room, turning over tables and chairs. Immediately I heard the verse, "the zeal of your house has consumed me." It was clear that Yeshua was not breaking in to moralize, but to take His rightful place and to overturn everything in our lives that separated us from Him and the Father.

Yeshua's unleashed passion is astonishing. It must have been like that at Gethsemane when He sweat drops of blood and cried, "not my will but your will, Father." It must have been like that as He hung on the cross and cried, "Father, forgive them."

Wherefore the Lord said, Forasmuch as this people draw near me with their mouth, and with their lips do honor me, but have removed their heart far from me, and their fear toward me is taught by the precept of men. *Isaiah* 29:13

The words of Jesus always bear within them His deep heartbeat, but we must listen for it. If we don't experience His heartbeat, we will get it all wrong. We will only hear theology or condemnation. We will filter His words through our own imperfect, even wounded heart. True conviction comes when we see how purely He has loved us, how we've pushed Him aside and how it has wounded Him.

Wherefore when he comes into the world, he says, Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me: In burnt offerings and sacrifices for sin you had no pleasure. Then said I, Lo, I come (in the volume of the book it is written of me,) to do your will, O God. *Heb.* 10:5-7

Every "sacrifice" that replaces His own has to be removed so that we can come to Him alone and give Him back all our attention. Only His perfect sacrifice brings us into oneness with Him. When we are one with Him, we no longer make a sacrifice, we become one.

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. *Romans 12:1* 

And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them. *Mathew 21:14* 

After Yeshua cleansed the temple, the sick came to Him there. We are His temple. He is coming to overturn everything in our lives that blurs the vision of His perfect sacrifice. They must see HIM in His temple, IN US. Everything which puts added burdens on the people and prevents them from coming to Him for salvation and healing must be overturned and cast out.

## **Ministry in Germany:**

The Germans have been through a deep process of repentance, reconciliation and healing and it shows in how they are uniting with one another in love. It shows in the deep hunger they are expressing for His living presence. It shows in the oneness forming between believers of all denominations.

With supernatural unity, we had an outreach in the center of Stuttgart on Christmas Eve where we worshiped and ministered with some souls giving their lives to the Lord. Days were filled with prayer gatherings and visits to families where I was able to share the gospel with unbelieving relatives. One of the high points was sharing at a Church gathering for the startup of a regional house of prayer.

My friends and I also attended an amazing conference where 12,000 believers from every background, Protestant, Catholic, Charismatic, worshiped the Lord with one voice. Most importantly of all, my relationship with many of my German friends was strengthened and deepened. Stay tuned for more exciting reports as more teams come to pray and take to the streets of Greece as one body in one Spirit. Greece needs salvation and healing and the Germans are a critical part of making it happen.

Without you, my dear friends, all this could not happen. You have been so faithful. Thank you so much for partnering with me!

Shalom and Agape,

Greta

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