

## **Proud Waves Be Stayed**

On our Powerline prayer meeting in January, we began to pray more strongly and offensively and at one point, I even started praying directly addressing the enemy. Toward the end of my prayer, I said to myself, "I hope I didn't cross any lines into an area that is not my authority. I hope I don't get any retaliation." That was Sunday night, Monday everything was ok, and Tuesday morning, I woke up and I couldn't talk, I couldn't think, I couldn't breathe and I felt like I was having a stroke. I felt like someone was choking me. It was about 4:00 or 5:00 in the morning and I knew that a friend of mine gets up at around that time in the morning to pray, so I called her and we began to pray. I heard in my spirit: It's an attack!

We agreed in prayer together, the symptoms left and I was fine. There was nothing wrong with me and I got off the phone. I had had a powerful dream before I woke up with the symptoms, a dream which I believe was the response to our prayers on Sunday night. The enemy was trying to stop something in the realm of the spirit. After I got off the phone with this friend, I heard part of the interpretation of the dream which I will share below.

In the dream I was in Israel in a very large room with a lot of people including some of the Israeli Messianic leaders and it looked like it was a conference. In the first part, one of the leaders was on the phone and he was having a conversation in perfect Greek! I'm listening and I am waiting for him to get off the telephone but when he got off, he looks straight at me, speaks directly to me and says, "Don't take the vaccine. You don't need it. You will be fine." I have been praying for a whole year since the vaccines came out, "God, what should I do?" I believed that I was not supposed to take the vaccine, but I wanted to have a sure word from God.

I try to do everything in my life with a word from the Lord because you know, when you have a word from God, it's your stability, it's an anchor for your soul. You know that everything will be ok because you heard God. All that's needed is to hear God and do whatever He says. If He tells you to take the vaccine, if He tells you not to take it, you know that you have heard the Lord. He will be there with you! So, I was excited that although it took a year, the word of the Lord came! Through a spiritual leader, God was speaking to me directly.

In the next part, I was looking out a very big glass window that stretched all the way to the right and to the left. You could see out into the distance and everything in front of me was sea and there were waves coming. There was one wave coming after another and they were getting bigger and bigger, but when the last wave came, beloved, it was so tall and it was getting bigger and bigger, with more and more power. I kept thinking, "Oh God, if this wave crashes, we are dead ducks! This is going to be a great disaster." It just kept getting taller and taller like a skyscraper.

As it reached its peak, I was thinking, "this is going to crash on us all," but suddenly it stopped and the wave became huge, tall trees. You know, trees don't move. The wave was stopped. That's when I woke up with the physical symptoms that I couldn't breathe and I felt the presence of evil in my room. We've been praying fervently that God will show us mercy and that the Coronavirus will come to an end and we have also been praying about the Eastern Med situation, Israel, and much more.

After the symptoms left that morning, I heard a clear word in my spirit, "Your proud waves be stayed." So, I checked it in Job 38:11.

"Who shut up the sea behind doors when it burst forth from the womb, when I made the clouds its garment and wrapped it in thick darkness, when I fixed limits for it and set its doors and bars in place, when I said, 'This far shall you come but no further; and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?" (Job 38:8-11)

That was the interpretation that I was getting about the waves, I felt in my spirit that God was saying, I am going to put a stop to this proud wave. I felt like God's response had to do with the authority that we have been taking in our Powerline Prayer in the name of the Lord. Now I know that we have to be very careful how we pray. We need to be covered in the blood, we need to declare everything in the name of Yeshua. We need to be clearly led by the Spirit. But God has given us authority as believers. That's why we are here.

Then He gave me Psalm 93, where it says:

"The floods have lifted up, O Lord, the floods have lifted up their voice; the floods lift up their waves. The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters, yea, than the mighty waves of the sea." Psalm 93:3-4

This was another confirmation that we have been praying in the right direction and we continue to declare those verses. The Coronavirus is coming like waves and we've been repenting and praying for God to show us mercy, to stop the proud waves. There is more evil coming. Evil against Israel, evil against Greece, evil against Europe. Evil against America. And God is saying, "Proud waves be stayed. God is mightier than the proud waves." The Lord had me think about Moses. Pharaoh would not let God's people go, so He said, I am going to bring plagues until he lets them go. It was a judgment on Egypt! The power of God! The plagues came and Pharaoh, a type of Satan, a type of the ruler of this world, calls Moses and says, "Entreat your God to lift this, to stop this plague. And I will let your people go."

Beloved, what did Moses do? He went out and stretched out his arms to the God of Israel and when he did that, the plagues stopped. We are under a superior covenant than Moses who was a great friend of God, a great deliverer of Israel. I believe God wants us to take authority, to declare the word of the Lord with authority, to take the authority that God has given us in His blood and in the name of Yeshua. If we don't do it who else is going to do it?

We are the only people on planet earth that have the authority to cast out demons. To be honest, I was really concerned after the attack on me physically on Tuesday morning. I thought, "Did I do something wrong?" I felt the Lord tell me to call a pastor friend in America to share what happened. I asked, "Do we have the authority to speak directly to Satan on these issues?" Together we remembered all the places where Yeshua spoke directly to the devil. He said to Peter, "Satan, get behind me!" (Mark 8:33).

Paul met up with the magician, Elymas Bar-Jesus (Acts 13:6-11). The demonic spirit in the magician was trying to stop the work of the Lord so Paul rebuked him directly and said, "You will not be able to see." A mist came on him, and a blindness and he couldn't see where he was going. There is another case in the Book of Acts where Paul was ministering and a woman who was into divination kept troubling him. After many days of this, Paul speaks to the spirit and says, "Come out of her now!" (Acts 16:18) and the demon came out of her in the mighty name of Jesus.

God wants His Ekklesia not to be afraid of demons, not to be afraid of the devil. He wants us to walk in the fear of God alone. He doesn't want us to fear demons or Satan because He has given us authority over serpents and scorpions and over all the work of the enemy and nothing will by any means harm us (Luke 10:19).

When the disciples were on the sea during a storm, Jesus was sleeping and they were terrified of dying and so they woke Him up. He rebuked them! He didn't say, "Oh, you poor things. I will help you." He rebuked them saying, "Oh, you of little faith." (Matthew 8:26).

I am not saying that you you should cast out demons if you're full of sin and not walking in holiness. You know what can happen to you? The same thing that happened to the Sons of Sceva in the Book of Acts (Acts 19:13-16). They wanted to do what Paul was doing by the Spirit, but Paul was a holy man and they were not living right with God and so when they tried to cast out the demons, the demons jumped on them and started beating them. I am not telling you to rebuke demons just like that. I am talking about being led by the Spirit. I am talking about God speaking to you to take the authority that He has given you in submission to God. It says, "Submit to the Lord, resist the devil and he will flee." (James 4:7).

Now, I am saying all this for a reason, beloved. I believe God wants us to take authority in our nations: in Israel, in Greece, in the Eastern Mediterranean. He wants us to take authority by the Spirit and not shrink back. God rebuked His disciples when they couldn't cast the demon out of someone's son. Yeshua didn't say, "Oh, it's ok. I'll do it for you." He rebuked His disciples and told them it was because of their unbelief! (Mathew 17:14-21). I believe that God is saying to His Body today, "rise up in the authority that I have given you."

Then he called his twelve disciples together, and gave them power and authority over all devils, and to cure diseases (Luke 9:1).

Paul writes to Timothy, I haven't given you a spirit of fear but of power, love and a sound mind (2 Timothy 1:7). It's that same root from the word, superstitious,  $\delta\epsilon\iota\lambda(\alpha/dilia)$  (cowardice). It's a fear of demons. God wants His people to ONLY FEAR THE LORD! God has always been looking for people of faith and courage who would fight His battles. All the spies sent to the Promised land were AFRAID, except for Joshua and Caleb! They saw the enemy as giants and they saw themselves as grasshoppers. Joshua and Caleb had a different Spirit! God wants His people to rise up in this hour in the Spirit of the Lord, RISE UP!

As I said, if your life is not right, if you are living in sin, don't try to take authority or cast out demons. If your life is not right with the Lord, get it right. We need to walk in holiness. But you know what, beloved, when you are walking in the holiness of God, taking the authority that God has given you will not harm you. The world is waiting to see disciples of Yeshua who can take authority because their life is clean and holy as they are in union with Him. So, I want to encourage you not to let the enemy bully you! Beloved, we need to stand.

I believe that we need to have courage in this hour. We need to have boldness. It's not enough to just be a nice believer. You can't be passive in a world that is ruled by the prince of the power of the air who is the devil (Ephesians 2:2). You can't be passive and nice. Let's be loving to God and to each other, but nowhere in the word does it say to make peace with the devil. You are not to make peace with the devil! You are to take authority over him with a right spirit in submission to God.

Take authority in the name of Yeshua! Declare His word with boldness. Don't let a thief come to the front of your door. Don't let the thief break down your door and come inside. It's the same thing with your house, it's the same thing with your marriage, your friendships, your ministry, your city, your nation.

We need to take authority in Jesus' Name!

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