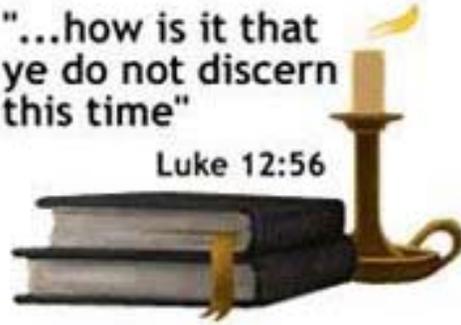


Discernment Newsletter

"...how is it that
ye do not discern
this time"

Luke 12:56



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A recent advertisement arrived in the mail:

The Wagner Institute with Glory of Zion presents:

National School of the Prophets Conference.

Mobilizing the Prophetic Office for the next Century.
The World Prayer Center, Colorado Springs, Colorado -
January 28, 29, 30, 1999.

Prophetic Presbytery will be available to minister and
release you into a new level of prophetic anointing. 1-888-
965-1099.

Speakers include: C. Peter Wagner, (convener), Chuck
Pierce, Cindy Jacobs, Bill Hamon, Dutch Sheets, Rick
Joyner, Kingsley Fletcher, Mike Bickle, Jim Laffoon, Barbara
Wentroble, David Morris, Ted Haggart.

Worship with David Morris and John Dixon.

We stand at the most crucial crossroads in the history of
our nation! We must hear the Word of the Lord that will
prepare our way into the next century! The future
generations depend on this word! The prophetic streams
across this nation are uniting to sound a clear trumpet for
the future! This uniting of the streams will form the bedrock

for revelation for the River of Revival! Prophets help to prepare the way for the Apostles to establish the Lord's Church.

Join us for this historical event at the New World Prayer Center!

\$125.00 per person before January 1, 1999. After January 1, 1999 \$175.00 per person.

Only \$75.00 for a spouse! Call for special group rates. Cancellation fee is \$25.00.

No refunds after January 15, 1999.

Just imagine it! You are the cutting edge of world-wide Christianity! The whole world has been waiting for You! The Body of Christ, up to this time in history, has been lacking this one office. Now in order to be fully restored, the Church just needs You to burst upon the scene. The Kingdom of God will only advance if You arise! You are the key!

Yes, you to can launch out personally into this new stream of the Holy Spirit. You can actually become on of these truly anointed leaders that will actually take their place with the Kings and Statesmen of the World.

The 1990's are to see the fruition of what the "prophets" have been prophesying. Their words have been taped, transcribed and e-mailed far and wide as those excited by the latest have swooned in their embrace.

If you truly are of the "enlightened" ones, you will already have your reservations at \$125.00 per person mailed in for the conference. As you find your seat you will be privileged to learn what the Holy Spirit is seeking to accomplish today.

The Prophetic-Apostolic movements are destined to bring full RESTORATION of the Prophets and Apostles in the Church.

It is so exciting to know that God has prepared you for a great ministry. Many throughout the church age have failed in fulfilling their destiny. But, now you have that privilege because you are part of the present truth. If you attend these conferences you will learn how to avoid the pitfalls and become a national, yes even an international leader in God's kingdom.

Streams, Rivers, Floods, Avalanches

Streams. The last fifty years have been remarkable. Some of us are old enough to remember the various "streams" as they developed. We were perhaps part of one stream or another. In various ways these streams have been coming together in the past 10-15 years in order to form one mighty river. They have lain aside their differences and have agreed to show an united front under the banner: UNITY AT ALL COST.

In 1947, George Hawtin became very excited as he realized that he could depart from PAST TRUTH and become part of PRESENT TRUTH.

The streams that have been converging are based on PRESENT TRUTH or NEW REVELATION.

The River that we have been hearing so much about started as a drinking party. Time to celebrate, drown your sorrows at Joel's Place, "Belly up to the Bar" as admonished by God's Bartender, Rodney Howard-Browne, "laugh away your woes".

Even while the pastors and parishioners were rolling in the aisles, the handwriting was on the wall.

"I said of laughter, it is mad: and of mirth, what doeth it?" Eccl. 2:2

"The heart of the wise is in the house of mourning; but the heart of fools is in the house of mirth." Eccl. 7:4.

River, However, this stream has also happily fed into the River that was charging full speed ahead. Those that are part of this River are joyful in signs, wonders, deliverance and supernatural experiences.

However, soon they will be caught aimlessly wandering about looking for something else.

Flood (the Apostolic Reformation). It does seem that the next stage is soon to appear. As the River rises, it will soon overflow its banks. Remember, this River is muddy and is full of impurities. Every Stream has been allowed to feed into it. Now septic systems are bursting as the flood stage starts overflowing the banks sweeping across the land.

This stage is supposed to bring about a new paradigm or a new way of thinking. The church must now become "a disciplined army under dominion".

A National Symposium on the Post-Denominational Church was convened by Dr. C. Peter Wagner at Fuller Seminary, May 21-23, 1996. Bill Hamon said that "this was a historical occasion in God's annals of Church history. It was prophetically orchestrated by the Holy Spirit to fulfill God's progressive purposes of bringing His church to its ultimate destiny. . . the consensus of the panelists was that there are still apostles and prophets in the Church, and there is an emerging Apostolic Movement that will revolutionize the 21st Century Church". [Quote book]

The "Prophets" have scattered throughout the earth making place for the soon to be anointed Apostles. These Apostles will:

1. Remove man-made traditions in the Church. Pastors will be redefined. They will be rather like a coach of a sports team.
2. Bring Cell groups into being. The Pastor (Coach) will make sure everyone works together to fulfill his vision for the Church. This method of organization will actually help maintain more control as the cell groups network.

Avalanche. This Reformation will include apostles and prophets who walk in PRESENT TRUTH. It is so important to understand what this term PRESENT TRUTH means! It can totally redefine the Church of Jesus Christ into a world religious system bound together by mystical experiences. Gone is the plumb line of the Word of God which is changeless! Now we have "super-hero" apostles and prophets walking about with miraculous ministries with signs, wonder and miracles and seems to be sweeping the earth.

This Avalanche seems to be gathering its momentum by "networking". Networking is illustrated by a fish net with knots that tie the lines together. The new apostles believe that networking should be multi-level and world-wide in each nation and continent on earth to unify the corporate vision based on PRESENT TRUTH.

The avalanche will soon overwhelm you, dear folks. Where do you stand? Are you still in the valley of decision wondering if you should step into the River?

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