

The Forensic Journey So Far P2

28 Days Sunday 17th April 2011 Pastor Tony Higginson

Introduction

Let me first congratulate everyone of you for the way you have willingly given yourself throughout these 28 days, as it has been something to mark down as a marker and is a testimony to what God is doing in you and in us corporately. I want to congratulate our youth for bringing themselves each night and how they have become willing to enter in. I want to thank Children's Church, in how those who have understood have also participated and entered in with us corporately. There is clear evidence, when forensically marking our journey, of just how the harbour of people's lives are beginning to rise to a new level. As we have gathered and laboured together, we have flooded the harbour building, the atmosphere, whereby we have undergone a key distinct acceleration in the life and destiny of this house. There is a clear move of God taking place within your life and within the life of this house. So much so that we have experienced a key distinct acceleration.

I have never known, personally, a time in my life, whereby I have ever received so much revelation, as serious as the revelation that we now receiving concerning Entering In. Truly the heavens are opened over us as a house, what we must now do is to ensure that we do not refuse Him who speaks. Hebrews 12:25.

Accelerate: verb - to advance, to go forward, to take it further, hurry, to pick up speed, to precipitate, quicken, to speed up, to step up.

All these things can be felt within the life of you, the people of the Dream Centre.

Illustrate: From the harbour to Mount Zion: On Thursday I shared about Noah building the ark. As God sent the rains, the boat divinely begun rising to a new height, whereby it rose above even Mount Everest. The ark had no technology in which to pilot itself, it relied on God divinely steering it. All those in the ark had entered in, into their season called Now, whereby God caused the ark to rest on a mountain called Ararat. I found myself in a similar position to Noah when God spoke to me concerning how all the boats in a European coastline lie on their sides lifeless waiting for the tide to lift and move them. God told me, "I am doing the same thing with the Dream Centre, but I am not bringing you to Ararat but to Zion."

So now if I may explain to you what Zion is and how it can be entered.

Hebrews 12:22 *But you have come to Mount Zion, to the heavenly Jerusalem, the city of the living God. You have come to thousands upon thousands of angels in joyful assembly, to the church of the firstborn, whose names are written in heaven. You have come to God, the judge*

of all men, to the spirits of righteous men made perfect, to Jesus the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. See to it that you do not refuse him who speaks

But you have now come: It's a journey with a fixed destination. You were over here but now you have come.

The heavenly Jerusalem: It is not a physical location but is a spiritual dimension to be entered into.

You have come to thousands upon thousands of angels: It's a place where redeemed transformed humans dwell with the angelic host.

You have come and entered into the joyful assembly: This is an atmosphere with a distinct difference, it is not an atmosphere filled with humanism, philosophy, intellectual pride, but is an atmosphere filled with heavenly joy.

You have come to the church of the first born: It doesn't matter what time line you were born, what nationality you were born, or what colour, though we are not Jews we get first born rights and privileges.

You have discovered that your name is not only written, but your name card has been placed on the banqueting table, which allows you entrance.

You have come to God: I will speak tonight about what this means.

You have come to Jesus the mediator: The One who speaks up and speaks out on our behalf.

You are entering a new and better covenant: Entering Zion you have to twin this with **Isaiah 65 & Psalm 91** to fully understand the power of this covenant.

You have been brought to a place where you hear things and see things that you have never heard or seen before, so much so that you are warned not to refuse Him who speaks and why because He brought you here so you could enter in.

Now, let me make a very clear statement here to all those attending and hearing me in the Dream Centre: WE HAVE BEEN BROUGHT TO, WE HAVE NOT YET ENTERED IN, for this is our journey still yet to be made.

Genesis 6:7-9 *So the LORD said, "I will wipe mankind, whom I have created, from the face of the earth men and animals, and creatures that move along the ground, and birds of the air—for I am grieved that I have made them. **But Noah found favour in the eyes of the LORD.** This is the account of Noah. Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked with God.*

Key ingredients

Noah found favour in the eyes of God: God has found a church where the people value His presence and as a consequence favour has been given to us. (Welcome to a church with a difference.)

What is the difference?

Noah was a righteous man –So much of today's church are distorting the presence and the message centring on subjects such as prosperity, deliverance and though these in themselves are not unbiblical, nothing is being built into the people and the work of the church polarises around these issues only.

Blameless among the people of his time and generation: Noah had a different behaviour, a different approach, a different stature in God than others, this is what attracts God to us. The issue is a generation, can you cross them over? Noah did, but many, many pastors will not, despite them talking about it.

And he walked with God: This is it in a nut shell - do we walk with God? You don't want to be brought in front of a God that you don't know, for you will fear judgement.

Genesis 6:17-18 *I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish. **But I will establish my covenant with you, and you will enter the ark —you and your sons and your wife and your sons' wives with you.***

I will establish my covenant with you (The Dream Centre) **Hebrews 12:24** says it's a better covenant.

You will enter in –I have brought you to mount Zion to enter in. Brought to and entering in are two different yet progressive stages.

Remember the promise is for You and your son's wife and sons wives, with your Spiritual sons, family members, legacy generation are all entering in as this is our portion.

Genesis 6:21 & Genesis 7:1 *You are to take every kind of food that is to be eaten and store it away as food for you and for them. Noah did everything just as God commanded him.*

Why must we take in every kind of food? The food we partake of today will be needed for others in the future, every revelation will keep the boats entering into our water buoyant and God sustained.

1. We must receive
2. Retain
3. Mature
4. Multiply

Genesis 7:1 *The LORD then said to Noah, "Go into the ark, you and your whole family, because I have found you righteous in this generation."*

Gen 7: Noah entered because he was righteous- Zion. God is bringing His righteousness near.

Genesis 7:17-20 *For forty days the flood kept coming on the earth, and as the waters increased they lifted the ark high above the earth. The waters rose and increased greatly on the earth, and the ark floated on the surface of the water. They rose greatly on the earth, and all the high mountains under the entire heavens were covered. The waters rose and covered the mountains to a depth of more than twenty feet. – This is consistent with what God showed me was happening to the Dream Centre.*

Genesis 7:24 *The waters flooded the earth for a hundred and fifty days. 5 English months.*

Acts 19:8-12 *Paul entered the synagogue and spoke boldly there for three months, arguing persuasively about the kingdom of God. But some of them became obstinate; they refused to believe and publicly maligned the Way. So Paul left them. He took the disciples with him and had discussions daily in the lecture hall of Tyrannus. This went on for two years, so that all the Jews and Greeks who lived in the province of Asia heard the word of the Lord. God did extraordinary miracles through Paul, so that even handkerchiefs and aprons that had touched him were taken to the sick, and their illnesses were cured and the evil spirits left them.*

Genesis 8:4 *And on the seventeenth day of the seventh month the ark came to rest on the mountains of Ararat.*

Genesis 9:7-17 *As for you, be fruitful and increase in number; multiply on the earth and increase upon it.” Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him: “I now establish my covenant with you and with your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you—the birds, the livestock and all the wild animals, all those that came out of the ark with you—every living creature on earth. I establish my covenant with you: Never again will all life be cut off by the waters of a flood; never again will there be a flood to destroy the earth. And God said, “This is the sign of the covenant I am making between me and you and every living creature with you, a covenant for all generations to come: I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant between me and the earth. Whenever I bring clouds over the earth and the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will remember my covenant between me and you and all living creatures of every kind. Never again will the waters become a flood to destroy all life. Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth.” So God said to Noah, “This is the sign of the covenant I have established between me and all life on the earth.”*