

5 Interpretation

according to Jesus

Revelation **Interpretation** Presentation Restoration (These 4 sections were designed to be stand-alone sections — some material might be repeated)

5 - 1 Interpretation Introduction

This SECOND Step is understanding the intentions of God's heart.

This second step is what qualifies that revealed revelation for its full impact. All interpretation needs to come into proper alignment with an understanding of what it is that God is actually doing in our midst. This is where pressing into the heart of God is needed for that interpretation, and that will include the needed intercession for that interpretation. As we become more and more familiar with how the Lord speaks to us personally in the Spirit, the interpretation will start to flow more easily as we become familiar with the prophetic language of God. Until then, it can always be a bit of a process. As the wisdom of God is revealed through the proper interpretation, there is now a knowing of what God is up too. This section reveals how to bring interpretation into its proper alignment and what the qualifiers are for that proper interpretation, because out of those qualifiers, choice words will start to develop as the language of God begins to consume your spirit. As your heart begins to beat with the revelation that is upon His heart, heaven begins to translate that heavenly revelation into something that we can communicate in our language.

5 - 2 Interpretation of the Heart

(This Section 5-2 is also in the Section 3-2)

Prophecy, Prophetic Revelation, Gifts of Prophecy and the Office of a Prophet are all access points for Prophetic Language. It really is the doorway that reveals the heart of God's intentions and strategies, — a language that is not only foretelling, but also reveals strategies, secrets, and the person Jesus himself (directly or indirectly). Why?

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Well first of all Jesus is not only the doorway, but also the Chief Cornerstone. As a matter of fact He is the whole building where all involved know Him as King of kings and Lord of lords to be exact, no different than the Ark of the Covenant being emblematic of Jesus. He is not only the Ark, He is the Holy of Holies, the Outer Court and the Inner Court. He is a manifestation of the Father manifesting His Father's business, not only in Word, but also by His physical actions, and spiritually by the unleashing of His Father's Kingdom, all fuelled by Prophetic Ministry.

He is also defined in scripture as "The Spirit of Prophecy". So if He is the total and complete package when it comes to prophecy then any prophecy today should be a continuation of that "Spirit of Prophecy" and it should automatically line up with what the Father is building with the nature of Jesus, to restore what was lost, take back what was stolen, prepare earthen vessels to walk with holy fire, and to see a Bride arise for His Sons' return. If everything Jesus did represented His Father, and everything that the Father established was for the hidden mystery of Jesus to be revealed, then any prophetic language needs to follow the same spiritual flow. Our safeguard is to default any prophetic language upon the Chief Cornerstone. For the chances of any revelation coming forward with the proper interpretation, application for restoration, it would be wise to place it upon the cornerstone that heaven has provided for us.

5 - 3 Interpretation comes out of Unity

Prophetic Ministry, Ekklesia, and the Five-Fold all need to flow together

"But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it says, "When He ascended on high, He led captive a host of captives, and he gave gifts to men." Now this expression, "He ascended," what does it mean except that He also had descended to set the captives free. He who descended is Himself also He who ascended far above all the heavens, so that He might fill all things. And **He gave some as Apostles, and some as Prophets, and some as Evangelists, and some as Pastors and Teachers**, for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ." - **Ephesians 4:7-13**

Jesus plans to build and release His Ekklesia, where we all flow together in unity, and the gates of hades will not prevail against it. With Ekklesia now coming to the forefront, the keys of the Kingdom will now have the ability to bind and loosen whatsoever is needed to cause extreme movement. In other words, If I had to guess, based on what Jesus released while travelling for three years from place to place, based on all that was witnessed, based on all that was being testified, and based on all the signs and wonders that followed, Jesus was demonstrating and releasing Ekklesia, a gathering, a movement, a Kingdom government, with Kingdom authority, to set captives free. In other words, Jesus plans on building His Father's House, with full authority, backed with angels, fuelled by the Holy Spirit and with a ton of prophetic ministry and revelation, so that He may release the very things that are upon His Father's heart. All that Jesus was modeling was not in a static form, but in more of a fluid form. This Kingdom, this house, this authority was totally mobile, and because it was designed to be far reaching, He made it highly transferable. His original intent was that we, too, would walk in the very model that He has laid out as we pursue the Father's business with the heart of the Father, prophetic ministry, prophetic intel, releasing the Kingdom. Here is that five-fold model. With proper prophetic ministry going through the proper filters, — this team will go down the field a long ways!

5 - 4 Let All Things be done Decently

(This Section **5-4** is more in-depth in Section **3-6**)

1st Corinthians 14:26-40

"How is it then, brethren? When ye come together, every one of you has a psalm, has a doctrine, has a tongue, has a revelation, has an interpretation. Let all things be done for the building up. If any man speaks in an unknown tongue, let it be by two, or at the most by three, and that by course; and let one interpret. But if there be no interpreter let him keep silence in the Ekklesia; and let him speak to himself, and to God. Let the prophets speak two or three, and let others weigh what has been said. If any thing be revealed to another that is seated by, let the first hold his peace. For you may all prophesy one by one, that all may learn, and all may be comforted. And the spirits of the prophets are subject to the prophets. For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints. . . Wherefore, brethren, covet to prophesy, and forbid not to speak with tongues. Let all things be done decently and in order.

5 - 5 **Dream Interpretation**

Aligning to receive Dreams, Visions and the Rhema Word of God

These are just guidelines that have worked for me, its not a formula. When doing this, eventually your personal time with Him will develop into something absolutely beautiful.

- 1.) **First of all you need to be a lover of Jesus!** He's the one who made it all happen!
- 2.) The line of communication needs to be opened! As you plug in, your dialogue, your communication, will cause a response from the Lord Himself. Why?

 Because He loves to communicate!
- 3.) **If you speak in tongues**, it would be good to spend at least a half hour to an hour a day praying in tongues!
- 4.) If you don't speak in tongues, then I would pray for five minutes and listen for five minutes and do this for about a half hour to an hour a day. It is those loud daily voices that will eventually fall to the back of the pack, while that still small voice of the Lord starts to make its way to the front of the pack.
- 5.) And the most obvious, you need to be reading His word, and I would put the emphasis on the New Testament and then drift into the Old.
- 6.) And finally, go for those walks. God loves to go for walks. Check out Adam and maybe even Enoch! They had some pretty amazing walks. And when you're going for those walks, don't be the one doing all the talking!

A Personal Relationship will bring that Intimate Interpretation

Because we have a personal God, our relationship and the language in that relationship will be defined more and more with each passing day. If that is true, then any prophetic language that comes out of that would have a personal touch to it. That would mean any dreams, visions, and the rhema word of God coming our way will not always have that cookie cutter interpretation.

Here's an example of what I am talking about! A "black dog", to most people, would be interpreted as some form of a demonic presence; but it could also be interpreted as a "friendly unbeliever". So when your unbelieving cousin shows up the next day, you might miss his or her day of divine visitation, as you are totally blinded to the fact that God is sending him your way.

Another example, "A fish" being interpreted as the souls of men. But to the one who was swallowed by a whale, it could mean something completely different. It could be a warning of the need to be obedient! The first interpretation has a divine call to be that fisher of men, a call to walk in the ministry of an evangelist, while the second one has a clear warning about disobedience.

This language can only be developed as we walk with the Holy Spirit who is revealing Jesus in our midst. Everything lines up with Jesus, as does our personal walk with Him, and any language coming out of those walks are developed as we spend that one-on-one time with Him. As He speaks to us personally more and more, a personal language is uniquely carved out creating an amazing relationship with God.

Basic Dream and Vision Interpretation

But for the sake of basic interpretation, here are some cookie cutter examples to help you get started.

Numbers	4 – Rule and reign	5 – Grace	6 – Man
	7 – Completion	8 – New Beginnings	9 – Finalized
	12 – Government	14 – Double Anointing	15 – Mercy

Places Windo	w – Vision	House – Family
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Vehicle – Ministry **Field** – Harvest ministry

High Rise – Spiritual perspective **Tent** – Meeting

School – Training Garden – Place of growth **Basement** – Hidden issues **Kitchen** – Spiritual preparation

Farm – Provision **Stadium** – Large impact

Others Wind – Holy Spirit **Rain** – Blessing Coat – Mantle

> Storm – Trouble **Bride** – Ekklesia Wine – Spirit of God Water – Refreshing **Grapes** – Fruitfulness **Bread** – Word of God

Bicycle – Personal ministry **Chariot** – Spiritual encounter

Arrow – Accusation **Ring** – Authority

Shoes – Depends on shoes **Bus** – Ekklesia, church or ministry **Trees** – Leadership **Flying** – Moving in a spiritual realm

Pregnant – God birthing, a preparation, a bringing forth Paralyzed Body Part – Spiritual hindrance, demonic attack **Butterfly** – Transformation **Tiger** – Powerful Ministry **Prisoner** – Lost person Train – Movement of God

Bear – Boundaries **Eagle** – Prophetic calling

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5 - 6 Examples of Interpretation

An "Interpretation" where the Natural spoke of a Spiritual Dynamic on a Corporate Level – actual event / The Prophetic Journey

Recently I found myself going through more of life's crushing circumstances. The roadway seemed to be getting smaller and smaller. One day as I was walking on a pebbled roadway near the horse ranch, heaven started to speak about a certain narrow road that has been laid for all of us, — a road established with lives that have been broken, and only through brokenness did they qualify to be positioned on this roadway, — a narrow humble road founded by heaven and paved by those who have laid down their lives from serving self to serving others. Those lives have allowed the grinding process of circumstances to mold true character. A refining process endorsed from heaven itself. As I continued to walk, I was overwhelmed again and again by all who have laid down their lives so that I could proceed on this road today, past generations of chosen people who have paved the road for this present generation. Those very lives that have suffered for heaven's sake are the same lives that even now look down as they cheer while seeing the baton passed for the continuance of the things of heaven here on earth.

As I stopped and continued to look down upon that road, my heart pounded with the awesome revelation of it all. I was then hit with an overwhelming sense of responsibility, — a sense of allowing the process to have its finished work in my life. At a time when some of the most amazing things are about to be released from heaven, I felt a need to stay close to this roadway, for heaven embraces the humble and brokenhearted and will not turn its face from those who have chosen to walk this path. I was humbled by the fact that each pebble in that road represented a life that was willing to lay itself down in order to pave the way so that I and others could walk on this roadway.

An "Interpretation" where a Vision spoke of a Spiritual Dynamic on a Corporate Level – actual event / The Prophetic Journey

As I laid back on my couch a prophetic movie started to play through my head. What I saw was a big white box and in it were white box leaders. They were discussing their writings and trying to iron out their up-and-coming speeches based on their important new findings. Outside the white box the winds were blowing hard.

I then saw a person walking against the raging wind. The wind was spraying him with all kinds of dirt and mud. Prior to the winds picking up he looked somewhat clean, but now in the midst of the storm he looked a little tattered. He made his way to the white box for cover and walked in looking somewhat beat up. The white box leaders sat him down and presented their latest speeches and writings. Upon finishing their presentation they sent him on his way. Days later he came back to the white box looking even more weathered and dirty because the winds were still blowing all around. Those inside the white box decided to sit him down again. This time they decided to take him through a counseling session and show him more of their writings. His time was up and once again he found himself outside the white box facing the winds.

As he stood there leaning into the winds, he reached into his coat and tucked close to his heart he pulled out an amazing jewel. The light from that treasured jewel beamed out from his coat as he slowly slid it out. Partway out he looked upon his hidden treasure and then slid it back into his coat close to his heart. I noticed there were others like him and they huddled together from time to time and they would share of their great treasures. As they stood up against the winds, I looked over and saw the leaders of the white box once again discussing their latest finds and organizing the next main event. Off they went to put their latest speeches and writings together. When the vision ended this was the interpretation that heaven gave me.

The white box represented a structure that was initially built to help people; for the real treasure was in the people. The white box leaders were always discovering bits of treasure, while those outside had the real treasure hidden in their hearts. They had the pearl of great price. If the white box leaders had only tapped into the hearts of those outside the box they, too, would have discovered the greatest treasure of all. But the white box leaders were more interested in the things they valued and forced those values upon the people.

The primary value of the white box when it was initially created was to value people, to help them along their way, but somehow things got all sidetracked. The white box is a picture of something propped up illuminating its clean image, when in fact it has missed the mark in so many ways. Now with its bold image it's become somewhat dysfunctional as it stares out into the world.

Heaven has always been known to deposit its heavenly treasures in the hearts of people, and those who have received those heavenly deposits are usually not the obvious ones. We need to spend the time to find the hidden treasure that heaven has deposited upon those that truly belong to the Lord, those who carry the true voice of the Lord, which means putting our own agendas aside at times.