



CAPTURING THE DNA OF THE HOUSE

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Numbers 11:1-7, 11-17

Your authority only extends to the limit of your responsibility. To the degree you have been given and accepted responsibility – to that limit you have authority. If you have NO RESPONSIBILITY – you have no AUTHORITY!

The mandate that God has given me is to bring His Supernatural power to this generation. However, I cannot do it alone. I need every one of you to help me fulfil it. But to do this, we must understand how to capture the DNA or the spirit of the house.

Then I will come down and talk with you there. I will take of the Spirit that is upon you and will put the same upon them; and they shall bear the burden of the people with you, that you may not bear it yourself alone.

Numbers 11:17

Vision versus Ambition

There is a great difference between vision and ambition. Vision is the perspective of God concerning the future. Ambition is linked to ego and it is the enemy of the vision. To attack it, it uses weapons such as personal agendas and lack of commitment. A person with a personal agenda and who lacks commitment does not allow God to be God.

The greatest obstacles to vision in a house are personal agendas and lack of commitment.

What is the DNA of a House?

The DNA of a house is the “particular way” of how things are done in that house. It is the particular way in which the Spirit of God moves and operates through the head: the Set man.

Capturing the DNA of the House

Our house—Soteria—has a seal that identifies it: the Supernatural. In our house, the power and the presence of God are evident and manifest, not just in the services, but also in the Life groups, discipleships; in prayer, in the family, doing business, through deliverance, healing, and in every activity we do.

The sign that people have received the vision of the house is that they have caught the spirit of the vision and not just the letter of it.

Implementing the Vision

God has called us to be ambassadors of the church where we are (ambassadors of the Kingdom) and to bring the Supernatural wherever we go. For that He has given us anointing, ability, talent, and charisma, which are perfected in our faithfulness. We can be very talented, but if we are not faithful, we cannot fit in with the vision. God places us where He can turn us into vessels capable of ministering His Supernatural power. God doesn't just want to see us involved in the vision. He wants to see us committed!

I do not write these things to shame you, but as my beloved children I warn you. For though you might have ten thousand instructors in Christ, yet you do not have many fathers; for in Christ Jesus I have begotten you through the gospel. Therefore I urge you, imitate me. For this reason I have sent Timothy to you, who is my beloved and faithful son in the Lord, who will remind you of my ways in Christ, as I teach everywhere in every church.

1 Corinthians 4:14-17

When we don't have the spirit of the man of God (the father of the house), we contaminate the original vision of the house. When we capture the vision—the spirit of the vision or the DNA of the house—we will have it not just in our head but also in our heart.

Catching the spirit of the house is one way to receive our inheritance and blessings.

Chosen to Serve

You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you.

John 15:16

The sign that confirms if God sent you is the fruit you produce in all areas of your life.

Service implies sacrifice. God was the first to sacrifice His Son out of love for humanity. God has empowered us to serve. We cannot pretend to serve God if we are not willing to serve His people, and that service must be motivated by love. The ability to lead and to rule comes from service. If we don't serve, we cannot lead others, not even our own children.

It doesn't take faith to serve when things are going well, but it does take faith to serve when things are chaotic.

Instruments of God

We are instruments of God used to release His power to the people. We are all assigned to a territory, but not everyone is called into the fivefold ministry.

We have to be activated for our gifts to become alive. I am not here merely to enable you. I am here to empower you. This means that rather than helping you just a little bit, I am here to give anyone who desires it the power to overcome sickness, the devil, and the flesh.

If we don't have power, we are dead.

Once we get the power, what should we do with it? When we get the impartation, we have the duty to take it to our family, job, and school, and bring the kingdom of God to earth. We must impart to others what we receive today.

Be Activated Today!