



## END-TIMES APOSTOLIC WINESKIN

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***On this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it!***

**Matthew 16:18**

***And he said to them, in a story, No man takes a bit of cloth from a new coat and puts it on to an old coat, for so the new coat would be damaged and the bit from the new would not go well with the old.***

***And no man puts new wine into old wine-skins, for fear that the skins will be burst by the new wine, and the wine be let out, and the skins come to destruction.***

***But new wine has to be put into new wine-skins.***

***And no man, having had old wine, has any desire for new, for he says, The old is better.***

**Luke 5:36-39**

The wineskin represents a church structure that holds the wine of the Holy Spirit's presence and enables Christ to build His church in His way.

***After that, He appeared in another form to two of them as they walked and went into the country.***

**Mark 16:12-13**

Jesus' disciples were walking on a road to Emmaus and were joined by the risen Saviour. They did not recognize Him at first because He appeared to them in a different way than what they were accustomed.

He is constantly manifesting His light from different vantage points of His infinite glory through history.

***For the time has come for judgment to begin at the house of God; and if it begins with us first, what will be the end of those who do not obey the gospel of God?***

**I Peter 4:17-18**

God is not judging us for salvation or eternity, but rather dealing with our impurities and mixed motivations.

The fiery judgment of the Lord is upon us and will consume wood, hay, stubble and flesh (**I Cor. 3:12, 13**).

The intended outcome is for a church to be built that will walk in the Spirit and talk in complete agreement with the Head, even Jesus Christ the Righteous One.

***"I'm baptizing you here in the river, turning your old life in for a kingdom life. The real action comes next: The main character in this drama-compared to him I'm a mere stagehand-will ignite the kingdom life within you, a fire within you, the Holy Spirit within you, changing you from the inside out.***

***He's going to clean house-make a clean sweep of your lives. He'll place everything true in its proper place before God; everything false he'll put out with the trash to be burned."***

**Matthew 3:11-12 (Message)**

The Lord is zealous to cleanse his threshing floor and will accomplish this great task (**Zechariah 8:1-3**).

God is going to release this fire as we rebuild His altar as Elijah once did (**1 Kings 18:30**).

## **JESUS CHRIST WILL BUILD HIS CHURCH**

***Now when Jesus had come into the parts of Caesarea Philippi, he said, questioning his disciples, who do men say that the Son of man is?***

***And they said, some say, John the Baptist; some, Elijah; and others, Jeremiah, or one of the prophets.***

***He says to them, but who do you say that I am?***

***And Simon Peter made answer and said, You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.***

***And Jesus made answer and said to him, A blessing on you, Simon Bar-Jonah: because this knowledge has not come to you from flesh and blood, but from my Father in heaven.***

***And I say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock will my church be based, and the doors of hell will not overcome it.***

***I will give to you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatever is fixed by you on earth will be fixed in heaven: and whatever you make free on earth will be made free in heaven.***

***Then he gave orders to the disciples to give no man word that he was the Christ.***

**Matthew 16:13-20**

Revelation from above is the key to enable a corporate son to partner with Jesus to build His church. Jesus promised to give the revelatory keys of the kingdom to His sons and declared that the Father was pleased to release them to us (**Luke 12:32**).

### **The Revelation Of Jesus As The Christ Is The Cornerstone Of Building The Church.**

Jesus told us to build the house of our lives upon the rock of revelation released through His words (**Matt. 7:24-27**).

God's living words are spiritual keys released by the Holy Spirit to give you authority and power to enter into new spiritual places in Christ and advance God's kingdom on earth.

Power over the enemy comes from using the revelatory keys God gives us.

***There shall come forth a Rod from the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots. The Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon Him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD.***

**Isaiah 11:1, 2**

*When He had said this, He spat on the ground and made clay (mud) with His saliva, and He spread it [as ointment] on the man's eyes.*

*And He said to him, Go, wash in the Pool of Siloam-which means Sent. So he went and washed, and came back seeing.*

**John 9:6, 7**

The love of the Father for the Son motivates Him to show Him all things that He wants to do in every situation of life **(John 5:19, 20)**.

God loves us and will flow His revelation to us so that we have the counsel of heaven to live as faithful servants before Him. The revelation He gives us is the key for that situation to unlock the door of heaven's resources and bring them into the earth realm through following the counsel of God.