

THE ALTAR MESSAGE

THE LAND AND ITS WAYS

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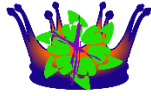
SUSANNA: Lord, there is something on my mind. May I share it with You?

YAHWEH: Speak your heart, Susanna. Speak your heart.

SUSANNA: I was thinking about nations, how there are those who serve You and those who do not. Some practice great sin, as those mentioned in Scripture—detestable wickedness, yet they claim to be Your people. Do You see this today, where You do not punish, or do You choose to overlook the sin of a nation because of grace or if a nation was first established upon Your principles?

What if a nation that was once Yours chooses to walk in sin by partaking in detestable practices as those who are mentioned throughout Scripture? And with those nations who have turned their face away from You to serve other gods, they were stricken. Some were destroyed. Some experienced great hardship within. How could a nation that once served You turn their back on You yet assume all is well, where they are in Your will? What needs to take place within a nation for them to see they are truly not Yours?

The hypocrisy is deep, and many are deceived because they rely on a nation's establishment even while living in sin against You, the One True God, Creator of Heaven and Earth.



MESSAGE FROM THE LORD

YAHWEH SAYS:

Susanna, you are seeing well concerning My will, where I have a covenant with nations who choose to follow My will. When a nation comes under a will that I have promised, they are then within My will where they are given My laws, My benefits, My Spirit, My protection. A nation that says they want to serve Me will show this by the way they truly live their lives. And those beliefs will be reflected in their laws as their governing will.

The laws that a nation (the people) follows show their true heart, regardless of what was in place during inception when they were established. This is how a covenant works. When one side chooses not to follow the ways of the covenant, the covenant can no longer be included, where the side who has broken the will assumes it can still be carried out.

And this is what many nations have promised. They told Me they would serve Me and be a nation that is holy unto Me. Yet after so much time, that nation chooses to worship other gods in place of Me and still say they are Mine. My plan will not change where I require a people who are holy, who do not serve false gods.

When a nation as a whole turns their face against Me, they are, in turn, walking away from the covenant that was set in place. I will not break My will where I go against My will with any nation who chooses to serve Me. But when a nation who once made covenant with Me turns away and serves other gods, this brings a break in relationship, in covenant, where there is

a separation due to sin. And many people claim to be Mine when they are not in covenant with Me.

What truly needs to take place within a nation: the laws of the land must reflect the true hearts of those who claim to be Mine. When those of a land rise up and say, "We want our land to serve God," they will, in turn, have laws that show their heart's desire to serve Me. They will not blame those they elect to serve for their sin yet choose not to move forward, where they come to Me and repent.

You can say you are Mine, but if your land chooses otherwise and you embrace the will of your land, you are partaking in the sin of your land. Sin separates one from God, and if one chooses to embrace the sin of a nation, where they say they are joined in with that nation, there is a covenant that can no longer be connected, where it is enforced because the sin must be dealt with.

It's as with the children of Israel: They showed that they would only serve Me when they repented from their hearts and removed the idols and altars to other gods. There had to be a cleaning done within the land itself, where they practiced what they believed as a whole. But when they allowed other beliefs to take their will, they turned from following Me with their whole heart.

And this is what those who say they are Mine would do. They claim My will with their mouths, yet they take hold of the detestable ways of their nation, where they partake in their sin, or they pretend it isn't there, yet in My eyes, the sin is before Me, where it stinks. It rises up to Heaven, yet people will do rituals instead of truly seeking My will for the nation as a whole.

I cannot turn My will where I make it to please sinners. And yet, sinners are trying to say they are in My will. These are not those who never knew Me. These are those who are in sin, where they have lost their First Love, where I am no longer first in their hearts or will. They serve Me with their lips, and their heart is far from Me. They blame those they place in positions of authority for their sin instead of truly seeking My will and serving Me with who I choose to lead.

They would rather have pleasure instead of doing My will. They are lukewarm, and some are cold. They are living a lie, for they are not truly in My will; for they have broken covenant with Me. Yet I want them to see that the way to restore this covenant is to change the will of the land itself, where the land follows My will, not man doing his will to stir the heart of the nation. No, this is not right. This is backward.

My will is for those who claim to be Mine, for them to serve Me from their hearts, where they live a life that is holy unto Me. This is what needs to be done, where a land that was once in covenant with Me turns its face towards Me so I can hear from Heaven, forgive their sin, and truly heal their land. And I will if they would truly, as a land, turn to Me, where they embrace My will for the land as a whole.