

# Dream of 3 Generations

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## **Dream of 3 Generations** **Jim Moore / 4.16.2016**

I was with a Family and we were getting ready to sit down for a meal together. The table had a number of people, but there were two that stood out to me. There was **an elderly man** with white hair who seemed to be a Grandfather, sitting at the honored head of the table. And seated next to me was **a young child**, a girl perhaps 6 or 7 years old. We sat down and were patiently waiting for our meal to arrive. As we waited, the young girl suddenly got excited and asked me if she could do a magic trick. I figured we had time while we were waiting, so I told her to go ahead. However, I then saw the reaction of an elderly man who was sitting at the head of the table. He was visibly upset because he believed that it would take too long, and may interfere with the meal we were waiting for. So I asked the little girl if she could please wait. She frowned and sat down, seeming a bit disappointed.

Then the older man, looking somewhat frustrated, got up and went outside. A few moments later I heard a commotion so I got up and looked out the window. A group of young people who were **the 20-30 something** age group. They had surrounded the Grandpa to pray for him and he had been instantly healed! I excitedly told everyone what had just happened, and I ran out to see all that God was doing. As soon as I got outside, the Spirit of the Lord came suddenly upon me and I started to fly all around. When the young people saw me flying, they all really got excited and wanted to fly too! After a few moments I "landed" and went back inside and shared again with everybody what the Lord was doing.

Then the scene changed and I was standing in the entry of a building used for training YWAM Missionaries. I looked into one of the rooms and saw a DTS class was in session. I pulled my head out just as a large group of young missionaries started coming from outside into the lobby area. Many of them recognized me and started greeting me and seemed really appreciative of the prayer-work that we were doing. There were others however who were offended at what we were doing, and refused to greet me or even look at me.

Then I went outside to the place where the prayer room was located. It was being held in a small camping tent. It seemed like not many were using the tent for prayer at that time, and everyone was starting to become discouraged because of it. A man named David was there and he started taking the tent down. I got really angry and told them:

"God is moving! He's healing people! I..just..flew!! Everyone saw it and now they all want to fly too! This is what we've been praying for! It is not the time to pull back but to press forward!!"

Then I started making plans to expand the tent and make it bigger so the people who were coming would have a place to pray. I knew they were coming.

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In the dream there were three age groups represented. The elderly, the children, and the in between. Although age groups could be broken down into many more categories, I believe the purpose of using three basic groups is for the purpose of illustrating the different gifts, strengths, and challenges that come with each season of our lives. We are never ineffective or obsolete in the Lord's House because of immaturity or length of days. God not only *can* use us, He greatly *desires* to use us, in each phase of our lives. What's more, we greatly need the giftings and challenges of each generation if we are to mature as disciples and become effective in the harvest that is coming.

In the days ahead, there will be a harvest of souls like the world has never seen. A global outpouring "on all flesh" will result in a harvest of *all* ages. Children will be saved in droves. Teens and college age youth will come by the millions as another "Jesus Movement" embraces the earth. And the elderly, who have lived all their life in separation from God, will suddenly see the light as they encounter an unusual Presence of the Lord that is increasing on the earth. All ages will be coming to the Lord, so all ages will be needed in the harvest of the Lord. The Lord of the harvest has already declared it.

## Every Knee Shall Bow

*"That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth" (Isa 45:23 Rom 14:11 Php 2:10)*

If this scripture is true (and it is), then God is actively working for the regeneration of every living soul on planet earth. So should we be working in active partnership with Him for the same end. He is "not willing that any should perish" (2 Pet 3:9), and so is not inactive in the bringing to pass of His will. As a matter of fact, we don't have to beg Him to win the lost; He's the One begging us to get involved with what He's been doing for thousands of years. The time of the end is approaching and we must engage in the harvest while it is still "day:"

## John 9:4-5

*"I must work the works of Him who sent Me while it is day; the night is coming when no one can work. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world."*

## John 4:34-35

*Jesus said to them, "My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me, and to finish His work. Do you not say, 'There are still four months and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest!"*

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## **Jeremiah 8:20-21**

*“The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved! For the hurt of the daughter of my people I am hurt. I am mourning; astonishment has taken hold of me.”*

## **Acts 2:17, 21**

*“And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams...And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”*

## **Matthew 9:37-38**

*“Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth laborers into his harvest.”*

## **2 Peter 3:8-9**

*“But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.*

### **Bullet-Point Dream Interpretation**

Below are a list of things that stand out in the dream as significant points. This list of combined gifts and challenges, or, “strengths and weaknesses” are not meant to be criticisms as far as the challenges are concerned. Just as it is wisdom not to glory in our gifts, it is equally important not to ignore our weaknesses, but rather to acknowledge them and ask help from God and friends to overcome them. We are put into “tribes” for this very purpose; to help one another along in our journeys:

*“Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised;) And let us **consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works.**”  
(Hebrews 10:23-24)*

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## **The Family Table**

We all eat from the same table of the Lord

## **The Elderly Man**

Breaking out of old cycles. Unperceived needs. Wisdom. Impatience.

## **The Young Girl**

Open. A blank canvas. Need to be entertained. Need to be engaged in the supernatural.

## **The 20-30 Something's**

Separation. Not at the Table. Disappointment in status-quo. Hungry for the Miraculous.

## **The Missionary / Prayer Movement**

Right hearted. Willing to go. Sees the need for training. Either appreciates, or scoffs, at the need for ongoing prayer.

## **The Prayer Tent / A Season of Advance**

Seasons come and go. Numbers rise and fall. It is easy to get discouraged when numbers dip. We tend to see increase in numbers or finances as a season of advancing and a decrease in the same as a season of retreat. However, often in the time of smaller numbers or decreased activity, God is doing an important work of advancing the heart in devotion and love for Him. It is in the quiet time that He is doing an inward work and preparing us for the next wave.

Just as a tidal wave draws out to the ocean just before it hits, it is important to remember that to the God who sees all things, nothing is being lost. All the ocean's water is still there; it is simply gathering together for a smashing down of power. When things are quiet, it is time to press in to prayer and good works. God is not still or inactive as we think it. He is always moving. Always doing. Always executing His brilliant long-ago thought out plan to save the world. It's not always about us. Jesus said "they that are whole need not a physician" (Matt (9:12), and "I came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance" (Matt 9:13). And the Great Physician Jesus is about to break forth in the world with a might wave of revival of salvation, blessing, healing, and miracles. We need to stay consistent in our places of prayer and service. It's time to expand the tent pegs.

*Isa 54:2 Enlarge the place of thy tent, and let them stretch forth the curtains of thine habitations: spare not, lengthen thy cords, and strengthen thy stakes;*

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## A Divine Coincidence?

I have a strange computer. Whenever I open my Bible program it randomly goes to some scripture passage. I never know where it's going to open up at. It's kind of the electronic version of the old "let your Bible drop open to a passage and see what it says" thing. At any rate, as I was commenting on this dream I opened the Bible app to look up a scripture. Of all the places it could open, it fell to the passage that talks about when King David brought the Ark of the covenant back to Salem (Jerusalem) and set it up in a Tent to do night and day prayer and worship for the next 33 years of his reign. You decide. I've included much of the chapter, but the bold section is the part I opened to. ☺

### EXTRA CREDIT

#### David's Non-Stop Tent

"So they brought the ark of God, and set it in the midst of the tabernacle (Tent) that David had erected for it. Then they offered burnt offerings and peace offerings before God...And he appointed some of the Levites to minister before the ark of the LORD, to commemorate, to thank, and to praise the LORD God of Israel...On that day David first delivered *this psalm* into the hand of Asaph and his brethren, to thank the LORD: Oh, give thanks to the LORD! Call upon His name; Make known His deeds among the peoples! Sing to Him, sing psalms to Him; Talk of all His wondrous works! Glory in His holy name; Let the hearts of those rejoice who seek the LORD! Seek the LORD and His strength; seek His face evermore!

**When you were few in number, Indeed very few, and strangers in it. When they went from one nation to another, And from *one* kingdom to another people, He permitted no man to do them wrong; Yes, He rebuked kings for their sakes, *Saying*, "Do not touch My anointed ones, And do My prophets no harm." Sing to the LORD, all the earth; proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples.**

For the LORD *is* great and greatly to be praised; He *is* also to be feared above all gods. For all the gods of the peoples *are* idols, But the LORD made the heavens. Honor and majesty *are* before Him; Strength and gladness are in His place. Give to the LORD, O families of the peoples, Give to the LORD glory and strength. Give to the LORD the glory *due* His name; Bring an offering, and come before Him. Oh, worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness! Tremble before Him, all the earth. The world also is firmly established, It shall not be moved. Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad; And let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns."