2026-09-12 Council - Because of Friendship

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Father – Yahweh, Father (My Identity)

Lord, it doesn't feel like I have "Shameless Audacity" Lu 11:8

- I am your friend and son
- But you are asking for more (to Contend)

Accusation – You have no shameless audacity, persistence to contend
no authority to receive answers from Heaven
you are fuzzy about what to ask for

Cross – Lord, I agree and take this accusation to the cross
Teach me how to contend (Ask, Seek, and Knock in the Council)

Roots – Your paradigm was grace; everything is a free gift – only believe
Prayer was all about you
Not contending for Father's purpose

Cross – Lord I agree with this
Called according to purpose is weak
I am taking my introversion to the Cross

Decrees

1) I am equipping my Ezek 37 army of Sons to fight, contend, overcome, conquer
   Lu 13:24 – *Strive to enter through the narrow door.*
   For many, I tell you, will seek to enter and will not be able.
   1Cor 9:24 – *Run in such a way as to get the prize.*
   Col 1:29 – *To this end I strenuously contend*
   with all the energy Christ so powerfully works in me.
   Col 4:12 – *He is always wrestling in prayer for you*
   1Tim 6:12 – *Fight the good fight of the faith.*
   Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called

2) Spiritual Warfare is a component (Weapons-Not-of-This-World)
   a. Eph 6, 2Cor 10:3-5

3) I am giving you higher purpose
   Ps 2:8 – *Ask me, and I will make the nations your inheritance,*
   the ends of the earth your possession.
   Rom 4:13 – *that he would be heir of the world*
   Lu 12:32 – *Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom.*
   Lu 22:39 – *And I confer on you a kingdom, just as my Father conferred one on me,*
   Mt 16:19 – *I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven;*
   and whatever you bind on earth shall have been bound in heaven,
   and whatever you loose on earth shall have been loosed in heaven.

Jesus – Immanuel, God with us, Redeemer (Of my Story)

Asking, Seeking, Knocking is Conversations in the Council

- Sons aren't begging their Father, it's a conversation
- They are getting clarity on what to contend for on Earth

Contending has 3 components

1) Overcoming in Warfare (Accusations and Strongholds)
   (With Weapons-Not-of-This-World)
2) Strategic Co-laboring on Father's purpose to build (Isa 61)
   Reformation of People, Businesses, Cities, Nations
   Building Ecclesia around shared purpose
3) Mid-Course corrections, dynamic nature of Kingdom
   Conversations in the Council are a way of Life
   The Path of Life
4) Decrees from Father
   Proclaiming the Year of the Lord's favor
   Releasing the Spirit of truth

Ps 16:11 – *You will make known to me the way of life; In Your presence is fullness of joy; In Your right hand there are pleasures forever.*

Jn 10:10 – *I came so that they would have life and have* it *abundantly.*



Holy Spirit – I AM the Bread of Life, Spirit of Truth (Purpose)

Shameless Audacity is mighty men with Clear Purpose

- Living Words that make strategy clear
- What father is doing is seen/visible
- Greater works, signs and wonders flow like oil, anointing

Shameless Audacity is higher purpose

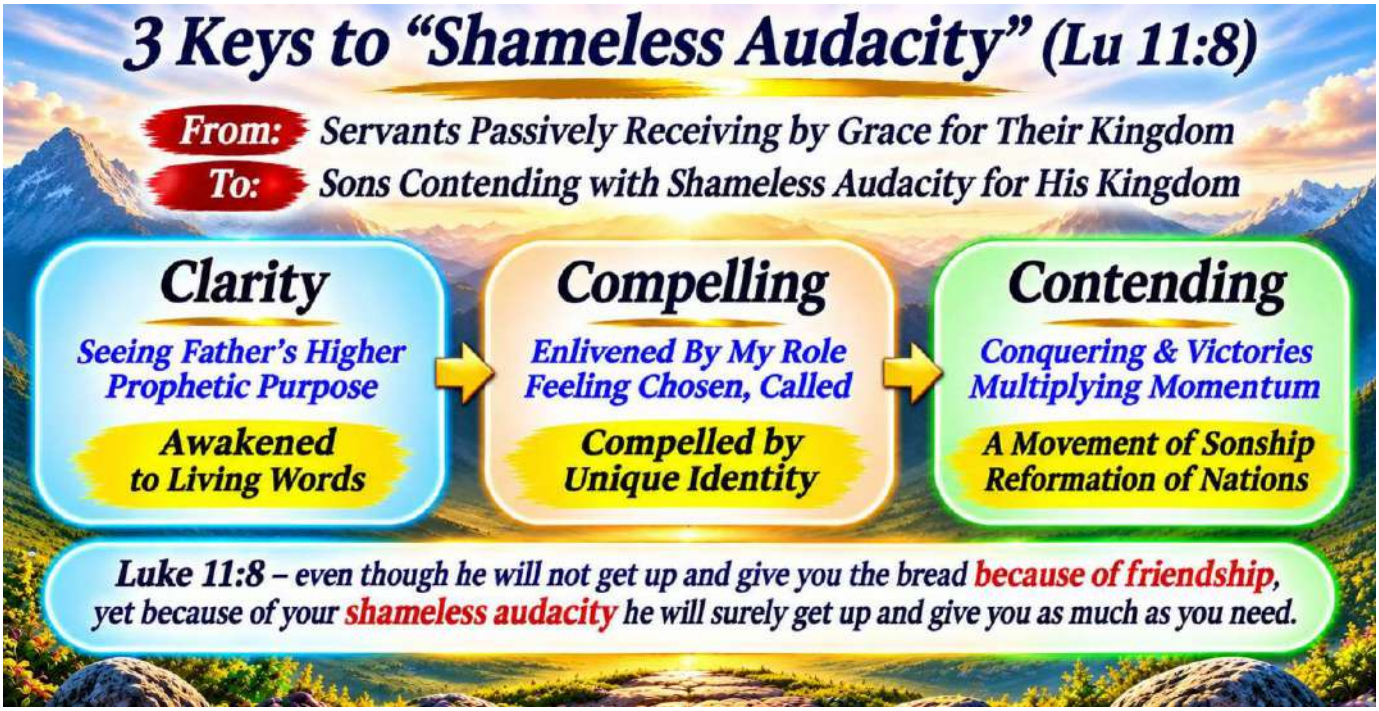
- What would you give your life for? Work for all your life?

Wisdom – I AM the Light of the world (Strategy)

Lord, how to shift to Sonship

- From Selfish ambition, presumption, carnal appetites
- To: Shameless Audacity for your Living, Moving Purpose
  - The ability, willingness, and weapons to Contend

1) Clear – Sons are fervent, earnest, striving, engaged
   a. When they are clear on Father's higher prophetic purpose
2) Compelled – When they are "compelled" by their own purpose, role
   a. When they feel chosen, called
3) Contending – When the contend and conquer
   a. See victories (Multiply Momentum)
   Lu 10:17 *the 72 returned with Joy… Lord, even the demons are subject to us*



Understanding – I am the Door (Tactics)

The battle is the Lords, yet we are warriors, co-laborers

- If your contribution works (celebrate)
- If results are delayed, just get the mid-course corrections
  - Don't get frustrated trying to play God and control results
- Every battle has adjustments, pivots
  - Learn to flow with what Father is doing, not fight it
  - Learn to counter unexpected enemy schemes in the Courts of Heaven
  - Use your Weapons-Not-of-This-World

Counsel – I am the good Shepherd (Heritage)

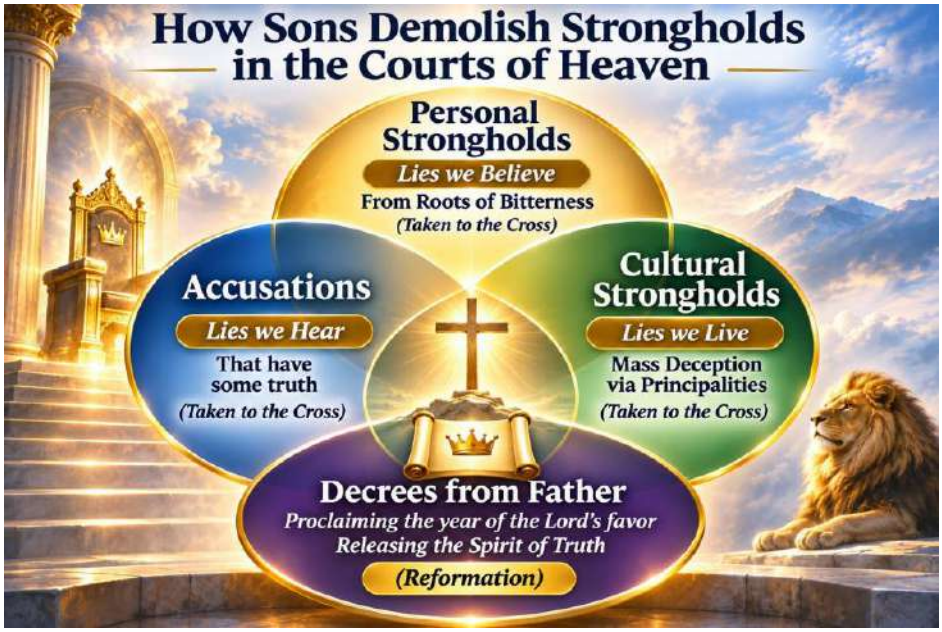
John, your heritage as a son is

1) Clarity on Father's purpose
   a. Jn 5:22 – Father loves the son and shows him all he does
   b. Jn 15:15 – Everything I learned from my Father I have made know to you
2) The Nations, the Earth, His Kingdom on Earth (Ps 2:8, Rom 4:13)
3) Authority over all the power of the enemy
   a. Lu 10:19
   b. Weapons-Not-of-This-World
      i. Courts of Heaven
      ii. Releasing the Spirit of Truth from the Council (Decrees)

Might – I am the resurrection and the life (Courage)

Use you Weapons-Not-of-This-World (Instead of flesh and Blood, deal with the Spirit)

1) Free of accusations – Lies we hear
2) Demolish person strongholds – Lies we believe with roots
3) Demolish cultural strongholds – Lies we share



Knowledge – I Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life (Clarity)

Mighty men and Sons are clear on co-laboring

- Living words free them to be shameless/audacious
- Play above their heads, anointing

Fear of the Lord – I Am the vine (Culture)

Sons learn by examples of exploits

- A culture that is clear and courageous
- Business cultures can be shamelessly audacious

That Father is your friend, loves you, and is gracious isn't enough if you are passive

Sons contend in prayer and work (Ecclesia – on the same page with Father)

- Persistent, courageous, different spirit
- Hear and co-labor (Rom 15:30 strive together)
- Father's heart is moved by sons who interact

Lu 11:8 – give you as much as you need

Mt 6:33 – add all these things will be given to you as well

Ps 37:4 – Delight yourself in the Lord and He will give you the desires of you Heart

Jn 4:10 – *If you knew the gift of God,*
and who it is who is saying to you, 'Give Me a drink,'
you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.

Lu 18:7 – *And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones,*
who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off?
8) I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly.
However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?

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Wisdom – I AM the Light of the world (Strategy)

Have the faith (purpose) and do the work (e.g. like practice for professional golfers)

Have the Conversations in the Council

1) See the purpose (What and why) (Have your Identity, Story, & Purpose)
2) Work, be engaged and motivated
3) Plan the Approach, How? (Know the Strategy, Tactics, & Heritage)
4) Make the mid-Course Corrections, Learn to Follow the Lamb (Get the Courage, Clarity, & Culture)

In Writing

Pro 3:14 – *for she (Wisdom) is more profitable than silver and yields better returns than gold.*

15) She is more precious than rubies; nothing you desire can compare with her.

16) Long life is in her right hand; in her left hand are riches and honor.

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What Sons Bring Back to Business From 9 Conversations in the Council

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Our Hunger	God's Council	Topics	9 Fruits from Conversations
Who Am I? Why Am I Here? Sons With Purpose	*Father* (I AM Yahweh)	→ Identity	I'm Loved as a Chosen son, a Solutionary; Overcomer
	Jesus (I AM Your Redeemer)	→ Story	I'm Rejoicing – My past, present, & future are redeemed
	Holy Spirit (I AM Bread, Spirit of Truth)	→ Purpose	At Peace; in step, in sync with Father's purpose, engaged
How Lord? Ascend and Align	*Wisdom* (I AM the Light)	→ Strategy	Patience – Living Words release Father to *add "Life"*
	Understanding (I AM the Door)	→ Tactics	Kindness – Living Words release my creativity, initiative
	Counsel (I AM Good Shepherd)	→ Heritage	I can see the Goodness of where my purpose will take me
Where Am I Going? Passion for Reformation	*Might* (I AM Resurrection Life)	→ Courage	Faithful to defeat Accusations in the Courts of Heaven
	Knowledge (I AM the Way)	→ Clarity	Gentleness in bringing Heaven to Earth (Reformation)
	Fear of the Lord (I AM the Vine)	→ Culture	See Strength in people, *Ecclesia@Work* = shared purpose