"Lord, Pour Me Some Tea" [CLARITY]

Proverbs 4:5, 7 (KJV)

"Get wisdom, get understanding: forget it not; neither decline from the words of my mouth. Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding."

[Fact] The word **CLARITY** is <u>NOT</u> in the King James Version of the bible, however, it is mention (7) times in (5) other English Translations:

- (3) CEB = Common English Bible
 - o Daniel 7:19
 - o Daniel 7:20
 - o 1 Esdras 5:40
- (1) NET = New English Translation
 - o Isaiah 32:4
- (1) CPDV = Catholic Public Domain Version
 - o Psalms 15:6
- (1) NLT = New Living Translation
 - o 1 Corinthians 13:12
- (1) NKJV = New King James Version
 - o Exodus 24:10

WHAT IS CLARITY?

• **CLARITY** (understanding) is best defined and described as to be clear or comprehensibly simple to understand; to make apparent or transparent

CLARITY is the combination of Wisdom and Knowledge wrapped up in Divine Intellect. Almost everywhere biblically, where you find the word <u>UNDERSTANDING</u> (clarity) it will be connected to the words <u>WISDOM</u> or <u>KNOWLEDGE</u> ... **1** Kings 3:9-14

CLARITY is extremely important to spiritual sight and insight.

[Dissect The Thematic Text]

GET

(qanah *kaw-naw*: to attain or to acquire)
WISDOM

(chokmah *chalk-mah*: to be skillfully empowered with discernment),

UNDERSTANDING

(biynah *bee-nah*: to clarify or to have divine intellect to mentally separate):

FORGET IT NOT

(don't forget that you have it)

NEITHER DECLINE FROM THE WORDS OF MY
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(don't lose or let go of what I've already told you)

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According to scripture, Jesus says, "He that hath (ears), let him hear!" ... Matthew 11:15; 13:43; Mark 4:9; Luke 8:8; 14:35

However, John (Patmos) receives the same word with a different meaning, "He that hath (an ear), let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches." ... Revelations 2:7, 11, 17, 29; 3:6, 13, 22

What's the difference?

- John 1:1, 2, 14 In other words, the Word was <u>PHYSICALLY</u> present with them so when the <u>WORD</u> gave them a <u>WORD</u>, it was up to them to receive the <u>WORD</u> that they heard from the <u>WORD</u> ... <u>"He that hath (physial ears)</u>, <u>let him hear</u>."
- John 14:23-26 In other words, we should steer clear of those who just have A WORD, because it's our responsibility to not get A WORD from God, but THE WORD of God ... "He that hath (a spiritual ear), let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches." ... Psalms 119:130

So how would you receive this **CLARITY**?

- **Jeremiah 3:15** In other words, in order to receive this **CLARITY**, you have to be connected to a pastor after God's *HEART* and with a great *HUNGER* for His word (he can't feed you nothing if he doesn't like to eat himself) ... Romans 10:13-15(a)
- As ministers of the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, we must make sure we simplify the Word so those that hear, it can keep it and ultimately maintain it ... Psalms 119:11/Psalms 119:34

Job 32:7, 8 ... In other words, experience should teach you wisdom but the inspiration of the Spirit within you that will give you CLARITY ... Proverbs 3:5, 6

CLARITY brings happiness to those who find it ... **Proverbs**3:13, 14