

## **When We See Spiritually, We Win!**

When we say that a person is blind, we normally mean they cannot see physically in this natural world. When Jesus called people blind, He meant they couldn't see spiritually even though they could see in the natural.

Now how do we see spiritually? I've learned that if we study the Bible and let the Holy Ghost paint pictures in our minds of what the Bible is saying, we will actually see through those pictures the world in which God lives. Also as we listen to anointed ministers preach or teach the Word of God, the Holy Ghost will show us the things of the Spirit.

**Matthew 13:13-14,16 KJV** Therefore speak I to them in parables: because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand. [14] And in them is fulfilled the prophecy of Esaias, which saith, By hearing ye shall hear, and shall not understand; and seeing ye shall see, and shall not perceive: [16] But blessed are your eyes, for they see: and your ears, for they hear.

Now in **Proverbs 29:18** I want to show you, through several translations of the Bible, what happens if we don't have spiritual vision. Let's read them.

**KJV** Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.

**AMP** Where there is no vision no redemptive revelation of God, the people perish; but he who keeps the law of God, which includes that of man--blessed (happy, fortunate, and enviable) is he.

**NLT** When people do not accept divine guidance, they run wild. But whoever obeys the law is joyful.

**NCV** Where there is no word from God, people are uncontrolled, but those who obey what they have been taught are happy.

**MSG** If people can't see what God is doing, they stumble all over themselves; But when they attend to what he reveals, they are most blessed.

**NASB** Where there is no vision, the people are unrestrained, But happy is he who keeps the law.

**ESV** Where there is no prophetic vision the people cast off restraint, but blessed is he who keeps the law.

When there is no revelation, or spiritual seeing, we see death or chaos occurring in these verses. So this subject is very important to a believer!

**Amos 3:7 KJV** Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but He revealeth His secret unto His servants the prophets.

**Acts 2:17 KJV** 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:

**2 Corinthians 4:18 AMP** Since we consider and look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen; for the things that are visible are temporal (brief and fleeting), but the things that are invisible are deathless and everlasting.

God gave us our natural eyesight, but He also wants us to walk by spiritual sight as well; so we can see from the inside as well as from the outside. The future God wants us to live has to be

visualized before we can experience it.

**Hebrews 11:1 AMP** Now faith is the assurance (the confirmation, the title deed) of the things [we] hope for, being the proof of things [we] do not see and the conviction of their reality [faith perceiving as real fact what is not revealed to the senses].

The reality of the spiritual world will not be realized until we see spiritually. I've learned that if I pray in tongues for a period of time, God starts talking to me and showing me things to come. If you don't speak in tongues yet, seek and ask your Father God for it; and you will experience it. (Bro Kenneth Hagin has a mini-book in the 'Books App' store called "Why Tongues": it will help you.)

I'm going to close on this verse. Read it, and meditate on it till you see it happening in your life.

**John 16:12-14 KJV** I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now. [13] Howbeit when He, the Spirit of truth, is come, He will guide you into all truth: for He shall not speak of Himself; but whatsoever He shall hear, that shall He speak: and He will shew you things to come. [14] He shall glorify me: for He shall receive of Mine, and shall shew it unto you.

Love you,  
Pastor Paul

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#### \*This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday	Ecclesiastes chapter 6
Tuesday	Ecclesiastes chapter 7
Wednesday	Ecclesiastes chapter 8
Thursday	Ecclesiastes chapter 9
Friday	Ecclesiastes chapter 10
Saturday	Ecclesiastes chapter 11
Sunday	Ecclesiastes chapter 12

#### \*Upcoming Events

1. **Baptisms:** Sunday at end of Services
2. **Singles Eating at:** Luigi's on Cache Rd
3. **Women's Dance Aerobics:** Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am in the Gym
4. **Faith Fellowship Meetings:** Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 7pm in the Mall Chapel
5. **Women's Discipleship:** This Wednesday
6. **Mobile Prayer:** Fridays 1:30-3pm in Sam's Warehouse Parking Lot
7. **Friday Night Prayer:** 7pm in Mall Chapel
8. **Men's Friday Night Basketball:** 7pm in Gym
9. **Door to Door Witnessing:** 9:30 each Saturday. Meet on Lee Blvd side of Church house
10. **Women's Fellowship:** Saturday 9am in the Fellowship Hall

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\*\* Here is a list of the many gatherings we have for you to get together and fellowship with your brothers

and sisters. Please take advantage of them, and you will bless yourself and others also.

**Sundays**

- \* Prayer: 9-9:15am by Andra's office at Lee side entrance
- \* Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am.
- \* Services 10:45 am

**Adult, Youth, and Children classes 9:45-10:30 am**

Faith Class: -----Michael Whitley

Financial Class: -----Terry Boyd

Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul

Foundation 2 Class: ---Mike Wiggins

Healing Class: -----Lester/Monica Witherspoon

Marriage Class:-----Danny/Demetrius Williams

Prayer Class: -----Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade

Youth Services: -----Lucas/Cyndi Moore

Young Singles/College & Career —Eliav/Kim Nash

**Daily**

- \* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am
- \* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Friday in Chapel on Lee Blvd side of

**Church**

**Weekly**

- \* Adult, Youth & Children Services: Wednesday night 7pm
- \* Faith Fellowship Meeting: Each Mon, Tue, & Thur 7-8pm in Mall

**Chapel**

**Monthly**

- \* Friday Night Prayer: 7-8pm in Mall Chapel
- \* Men's Friday Night Basketball: Friday 7pm in Gym
- \* Door to Door Witnessing: 9:30am every Saturday
- \* Men's Meeting: 9am 1st Saturday of each month at Golden

**Corral**

and Cache Rd.

- \* Crosses at the Corner: 12-1pm 1st Saturday at corner of Sheridan
- \* Women's Meeting: 9am 2nd Saturday of each month

\* Horse Ministry: 10am-1pm 3rd Saturday of each month