### **Introduction:**

- "Holy Sweat" by Tim Hansel, 1987, Word Books Publisher, pp. 104-105 "There's a wonderful story about Jimmy Durante, one of the great entertainers of a generation ago. He was asked to be a part of a show for World War II veterans. He told them his schedule was very busy and he could afford only a few minutes, but if they wouldn't mind his doing one short monologue and immediately leaving for his next appointment, he would come. Of course, the show's director agreed happily. But when Jimmy got on stage, something interesting happened. He went through the short monologue and then stayed. The applause grew louder and louder and he kept staying. Pretty soon, he had been on fifteen, twenty, then thirty minutes. Finally he took a last bow and left the stage. Backstage someone stopped him and said, "I thought you had to go after a few minutes. What happened?" Jimmy answered, "I did have to go, but I can show you the reason I stayed. You can see for yourself if you'll look down on the front row." In the front row were two men, each of whom had lost an arm in the war. One had lost his right arm and the other had lost his left. Together, they were able to clap, and that's exactly what they were doing, loudly and cheerfully." Application: What we can't do alone, we can accomplish together--and the results are nothing less than inspiring!
- Pr 29:18 Where there is no revelation, the people cast off restraint; But happy is he who keeps the law. NKJV
- Pr 29:18 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. THE MESSAGE
  - If we can't see what we are called to then we will cast of restraint. Proverbs 29:18
  - When the vision gets in you, you restrain yourself from doing other things so as to apply yourself to what God is calling.
  - Thought the following was a good word for Freedom Christian Center from one of our worshipers: "Happy New Year.. As I have been praying for my family and our Freedom family concerning this new year, I keep hearing: set your hand to the plow. I feel like this is a year of productivity as we set our hands to the plow for the kingdoms sake! Love you both and we are so happy to be a part of what God is doing at Freedom and through Freedom"

## 1. Revelation is Light

- **a.** Revelation is light to us. David said in Ps 119, "Your Word is a lamp unto my feet and light to my path." Ie. Revelation= "light bulb coming on!"
- **b.** Revelation as light gives us:
  - i. Revelation gives us guidance.
  - ii. Revelation gives us direction.
  - iii. Revelation gives us identity.
  - iv.Revelation gives us vision, the ability to see.
- **c.** Where there is no revelation (guidance, direction, identity) people live wildly, unrestrained.
  - i. One of the beautiful aspects of God is that He gives us, if we allow Him, He gives us guidance, direction, and identity and vision.
  - ii. Prophetic history reveals God's desire for what He wants us to become. It is where vision comes from. It is God giving us glimpses of the big picture.
    - 1. What the excitement of vision doesn't give us is how much we will have to struggle or how long it will take. When God gave Abraham the word that he would be the father of many nations there was no mention of the next 50 years of struggle before the word became a reality.
    - 2. We see Abraham both winning victories and creating struggles as he moved toward that word.
    - 3. 1 Ti 1:18 This charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare, NKJV

# 2. What You Should Know About Freedom

- **a.** What Defines Us:
  - i. Holy Spirit
    - 1. The Supernatural. We want to be naturally supernatural.

- 2. The moving of the Holy Spirit in His gifts, in the fruit of H.S., and supernatural signs and wonders.
- ii. Prayer
  - 1. Revelation 5:8=Prayer and Worship
  - 2. We believe prayer changes things.
- iii. Prophetic Revelation
- 1. Prophecy is God communicating His thoughts, will, intentions, and purpose to His people. iv.Apostolic
  - 1. The planting of local churches and the establishing of the Kingdom in all facets of society.
- v. Raising up forerunners discipling well, those who desire to live on the edge!
  - 1. People who live knowing the sound of heaven.
  - 2. People who live the Word of God radically.
  - 3. People who live to the Kingdom established in the earth.
  - **4.** We all must commit to making disciples of Jesus and getting each one functioning in their kingdom gifting.

#### **b.** Vision:

- i. We desire to see a <u>strong local church</u> established here in east-central Florida that will <u>train</u> people in the knowledge of the word and of Christ, <u>activate</u> them by allowing them to practice what they have learned, and <u>send</u> them as mature, zealous Christians to reproduce themselves in others, both <u>on a local and global scale</u>.
- ii. We desire to become a <u>spiritual hub of activity with purpose</u> where people <u>come in</u> and go out. It will be a place for those broken and defeated in life to <u>get healed and restored</u>. It will be a place where <u>people of all races and walks of life will come to be encouraged, trained, and released into ministry.</u>
- iii. Our vision includes <u>preparing the young, from the nursery to adult</u>, not just teaching them to discern right and wrong, but also equipping them to do what is right; <u>activating them to be a righteous standard</u> in an unholy world, and <u>releasing them to confront</u> what is wrong in society and <u>restore those</u> who have been its victims.
- iv. Our vision is to see the life changing power of God heal the sick, give new life, free those mentally oppressed, and empower Christians to take the Gospel into all the earth.
- v. We desire to <u>plant at least three local churches</u> and <u>send equipped saints all over the world to make disciples</u> of all people.
- c. What God has said about us.
  - i. Missions this also reflects apostolic grace.
    - 1. What you have seen in your spirit is but a small thing of what I yet shall do. And I will give out of this place, says the Lord. And even a tithe shall come forth that shall go forth around the world. And I will enflame your youth...Glenn Miller 4/91
    - 2. Son if you will honor me, I will make you a voice in the land and I will cause your feet to travel around the world and I will enflame you with my ability, and I will even lay the prophetic anointing over your life. Glen Miller 4?91
    - 3. And this is the branch going out over the wall, this is the branch going out under the stranger, this is the ministry I've called you unto to be one that will set men on fire for Me and get them oriented in their call of what I've called them unto in light. And so it is that I send you across the seas, because there are men crying out for direction, crying out unto Me to hear a word from God and I'm going to give it to you My son...Huck 12/92
    - 4. I don't know how much you've been to Africa, but I see extensive ministry to Africa in days to come. I see your heart just beating for that part of the world. I see a lot of teams here going, and I see hubs here in Africa primarily some places you will have a long-term training base in years to come. We're speaking long-range vision. But I just see God really capturing your heart for that part of the world as well. Websters 97

# ii. Strong Local Church

- 1. I heard the Spirit say that there was a **mantle that had been given for this area**. There was a mantle that had been placed upon, maybe I should explain this, in every area there is a mantle given for there is a work that God desires to accomplish. For the Lord said there had been a mantle given for this area and other men had rejected it. They said, "Oh, the price is too great, the call is too great, the price is too much." But I heard the spirit of the Lord say that that mantle rests upon this man and it rests upon this ministry. It's going to be a flagship and a banner and a star to this area... Leslie McNulty 3/92
- 2. Let this season of their lives be the opening to a brand new level of authority in Christ. A brand new level of boldness (as we just heard Kathy speak about), brand new level of victory (like Judean warfare), a brand **new level of occupying their enemies gates.** I thank you Lord they're going to occupy everything that you have called them to have. Nothing will hold them now. No, demon, plan, or person, no fear, nothing will hold them now. Father, by the power of Jesus' name, Lord I thank you. Websters 97 Prayer and Intimacy with God

# iii. Local unity of pastors

- 1. I see you affiliating with other ministries in your area. I see you giving and receiving from other pastors and people God has put in your area and wants to make a real flow of unity and want to make you a real key to that. Scott Webster 2/88
- 2. You will have an appointment with other pastors. I believe that the Lord is going to launch you into a networking in your city and launch you into a real city move with other pastors and other churches and have you egin to pull brothers together and have them pray together and move together and be unified in the spirit and in the things of God. Metro Christian Fellowship 2/97

# iv.Supernatural

- 1. You are going to have a calling card of signs and wonders. Websters 2/88
- 2. A huge explosion in your church. I see it again and again, and again. The Lord says, "Get ready, get ready get ready because this is what you have cried out for. Get Ready! Get ready for the book of Acts. Get ready for what you have asked for and know that I will make you able to stand in the midst of it. ... I saw the Lord riding in on a white horse and busting through the door. He didn't even stop to open it. He just came right through it and came right in the midst and people were hitting the deck. He is going to mess things up really good. Acts is going to happen, but its not going to necessarily look like what most people think it's going to look like.IHOP 5?04
- 3. I believe there is going to come a people here that will be willing to wait and le the Holy Spirit tell them what God wants to do. He broke the curse of the law it is your job to break the curse of the fall. Bob Jones 12/04

## v. Prayer

- 1. You have strategic intercessors in your church. Some very keen people that God has divinely placed there. Many of those have joined themselves together in prayer, intercession and worship. There is real strong worship anointing on your church. And those things are going to increase even more.... He wants a horrendous life of prayer and fasting for those coming days when His revelation becomes so clear. He has a glorious plan for you and your church. IHOP 5/04
- 2. Restoration
  - a. Healing of those who have been wounded in the House of God. Those that have been worn down and burned out. I would not be surprised if the Lord didn't give you a building of hospitality where real ministers of God can come that are burned out, wounded and hurting, who have been awesome soldiers. Some of them are going to need spiritual healing. Bob Jones 12/04
- 3. Evangelism

a. The Lord is bringing forth leaders and making a leader ship to throw this net. If you fish cleaners will get together and prepare yourself to clean them, the Lord will let somebody throw that net. Bob Jones 12/04 Sunday a.m.

# 4. Church Planting

- a. John Delasio- I see three local churches coming out of this church.
- b. Noel Woodroffe There will eventually b churches coming out of this church. A place to be a production of leadership. I see three churches that God will cause to be produced out of this house. 4/93 Also in this same word—I feel that at some time God is going to give this house oversight of a number of churches. Not of acquisition but of fathering. God is going to make this a house of fathering where ministries will come to receive strong oversight.
- c. The Lord is going to have other ministries that will base out of here. Jill Austin 6/96
- d. CI Apostles Conference 5/92—prophetic presbytery. "...I declare to you that you are going to build ones that are strong, you are going to bring in many young couples, many singles, many families and you are going to see them grow and develop and you are going to see many churches planted in your own local area and already there is a stirring in a number of areas and you have zeal to go out and plant churches and I am going to give you a grace to do that.
- e. I hear the Lord saying that your church is like a launching pad. God says that there is going to be other ministries coming out of your church. God is going to raise other churches up. You are going to be like a birthing station from your church. God says there will be other churches branch off from you. 3/95 CI
- f. There are other ministries that the Lord will have you plant... Buddy Crumb 7/99
- g. There are going to be two other networked churches that come out of this very shortly. This is already beginning.
- h. Just as you have visited every one of these countries, you will send teams and you will plant churches in every one of these countries that you have visited. This will be a training center, and God will raise up this training center and you will send young people (young couples) with an apostolic team to each one of these countries that you have stepped foot in. And you will raise up a church, I see 100's of churches coming to you Tim, 100's of churches. Reecie Saunder 09/05

## 5. Children/Forerunners

- a. The Lord says I'm also going to give you the anointing for children and children's ministry. It will be a place where people will send their children just to be taught of the Lord. Even those who are not saved and don't know Christ, will hear of kid's lives being changed here. They will send their children and then they will follow their children here. I will cause mom and dad to get saved after Junior comes to children's church and Sunday school. I'm going to cause this place to be a place of family unity and restoration. Websters 97
- b. Prophet Bob Jones: I would really look this over because this is an invitation that is really awesome. I saw toddlers, running down your aisles, I saw young people, they were running down your aisles to greet one another, I saw teenagers running down the aisle to hug one another. I saw a young couple getting married, nursing babies and the vision repeated itself two more times. You are going to have a lot of extended families here—I saw them as awesome leaders of the last days church. Bob Jones 12/04
- c. The Lord is going to release a blessing of favor on your children and your children's children. Three generations of blessing that are going to come out of this church and things that are going to take place: a school of the Spirit, the ministry, the healings all of these things are at the door. Paul Keith Davis 12/04

## 6. School of Ministry

a. ...you are going to have a discipleship school. You are going to disciple people in the ways of Christ. It is going to be a program...that will get Christians to grow and mature and have

- certain tests and programs to fulfill and also those who want to go on to become more effective in ministry. It is going to be a training place for discipling people. 11/94 Ed Traut
- b. On the property, the Lord says that you will have a Bible School there. There is a teaching anointing that is going to come forth. God is going to raise up teachers but also those that will come in and teach too. Jill Austin 06/96
- c. God has placed in you a mentoring and fathering ability, I am going to send many young men to you to be mentored and to be trained. I see you writing books and training syllabuses that people will be using to be trained and mentored. ... I see television ministry even satellite. I don't know if this is in Africa or Germany, but I see like satellite dishes and your face being beamed across there and these are going to be ministry training centers you are going to have established throughout the land. Buddy Crumb 7/99
- d. I feel like you are going to be a conference center. You are called to be a center of activity where people would come in and out and where the caravans of the Spirit would come in and out. And I saw a training school, a center where you are going to have your hand in this center. ... you have been in training yourself and God is about to release you and launch you into this. Where there is a door open to disciple and train leaders, ... you are called to train leaders and also to send out missions from these leaders that you train. Shawn Bolz 4/04

#### Conclusion:

- Remember our two guys with one arm? What we can't do alone, we can accomplish together--and the results are nothing less than inspiring!
  - I cannot do this without you.
  - We can't give God what He desires without each other.
- If we can receive this revelation into our hearts it will guide us and give us direction going into this new year. Any time you are doing the will of God there will be happiness in your heart!
- But when they attend to what he reveals, they are most blessed. THE MESSAGE Pr 29:18