

#95 THE DREAM.....

Some time later another dream of elevators...

I am on a swiftly rising elevator that comes to a stop. When the doors open I find in front of me a circular room with several openings. The doors to these openings have been removed from their hinges and are no longer there.

This dream is a continuation of the previous dream. Once we get in one door it leads up to another level or to further insight. Sometimes when doors open we need no direction for it is plain what we are to do. God will open some doors and close others, thus making it clear to us. Sometimes several doors may open at once, and then we need wisdom to know which is the better door. The enemy will even open a door to attempt to mislead us if he can. When several doors open at once we should stand still and wait with an expectant heart for further instruction from our Master.

Faith does not presume to move when God has not given direction or a clear word. Faith also can wait and rest in peace, but still watches for the manner and way in which the Lord will lead. True faith is not blind faith as some teach. That faith is mere stupidity! Faith comes by hearing and hearing a word from God. It does not presume on God. He will lead forth with peace and go before us to make the crooked ways plain. Major decisions should never be made in a spirit of rush and haste. Let peace rule in our minds.

Faith moves by spiritual insight which is given by God. Many attempt to step out in faith when God has not given them direction or instruction. This leads only to failure and being misled. Satan attempted to get Jesus to jump off the temple to prove that God's angels would keep Him safe. Satan even quoted a wonderful verse out of Psalm 91, yet that verse did not apply at that time. For Jesus to have jumped would have been presumption, not faith in God's protection. Now if God had told Christ to jump, then Christ could have relied on God's protection and surely the angels would have caught Him.

Remember this! God opens doors and, when He does, it is easier to have more faith for the next doors. Only the wisdom and Spirit of God can show us which doors to go through, which closed doors to open and which doors to avoid. Let us trust Him in these leadings.