# THE WORD AND SPIRIT

WATCHING IN THE SPIRIT - EZEKIEL 33:7

# **ELON MOREH**

Now the Lord had said to Abram: "Get out of your country, From your family and from your father's house, To a land that I will show you. I will make you a great nation; I will bless you And make your name great; And you shall be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, And I will curse him who curses you; And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." So Abram departed as the Lord had spoken to him, and Lot went with him. And Abram was seventy-five

years old when he departed from Haran. Then Abram took Sarai his wife and Lot his brother's son, and all their possessions that they had gathered, and the people whom they had acquired in Haran, and they departed to go to the land of Canaan. So they came to the land of Canaan. Abram passed through the land to the place of Shechem, as far as the terebinth (Oak-Hebrew 'Elon') tree of Moreh. And the Canaanites were then in the land. Then the Lord appeared to Abram and said, "To your descendants I will give this land." And there he built an altar to the Lord, who had appeared to him. And he moved from there to the mountain east of Bethel, and he pitched his tent with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east; there he built an altar to the Lord and called on the name of the Lord. (Genesis 12:1-7)

#### THE LORD JESUS SPOKE TO ME

A few weeks ago, I started hearing the words "*Elon Moreh*" in my spirit. I kept hearing this over and over, to the point that I knew the Lord was trying to communicate a spiritual truth to me about this place. I also received a spiritual song about Elon Moreh. It is where the Lord first appeared to Abraham and told him that He would give his descendants that land.

I also knew that there was a spiritual connection between Elon Moreh and Ornan's Threshing Floor that the Lord was trying to get across to me. The Lord has revealed spiritual applications about these places that I will tell you about in this newsletter that will be a great blessing to you. *(Continued next column)* 

#### **ELON MOREH HISTORICAL INFORMATION**

The Bible first mentions Elon Moreh when God tells Abram (his name is not yet Abraham) to leave his father's home and go to the land He will show him. (Genesis 12:1). "And Abram passed through the land unto the place of Shechem, unto the terebinth (Oak) [Hebrew 'elon'] of Moreh." (Genesis 12:6) Here God tells Abram "to your children will I give this land." (Genesis 12:7)

When Jacob returns from Laban's home, he goes to Elon Moreh and purchases a parcel of land (Genesis 33:19) which he bequeaths to his son Joseph (Genesis 48:22) on his deathbed.

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It was also at Elon Moreh that the children of Israel stood on Mt. Gerizim and Mt. Ebal and received the Blessings and the Curses. (Joshua 8:30) Joshua built an altar on Mt. Ebal and the Bible says that on that day and at that place the children of Israel became a nation. (Deuteronomy 27:9)

#### **OBEDIENCE WILL BRING YOU TO ELON MOREH**

Abram was just as human as you or I and I am sure he could have thought of many other things to do besides pack up and go where God showed him to go. The Lord was looking for someone to obey Him when he spoke to Abram. The Lord may have spoken to others that did not obey before He spoke to Abram. The Lord was looking for someone to establish His covenant with in the earth.

Today the Lord is looking for someone that will obey what He tells them to do. Sadly, some Christians and

> ministers are too busy today take time to listen to the Lord and do what He says and it grieves the Lord.

Dr. Kenneth E. Hagin was called by the Lord to leave what he was familiar with and travel. He left his family for eight to nine weeks at a time to obey the Lord. I

believe that is why the Lord appeared to him as many times as He did. Dad Hagin was willing to pay the price to do what the Lord told him to. From time to time I drive by his burial site and ask the Lord to help me obey Him like Kenneth E. Hagin did. I ask for a portion of the anointing that Dad Hagin had so that the will of the Lord can take place in the earth. (Con't. Pg. 2)

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I know that it is not about me or my ministry, it is about the Kingdom of God being established in the earth. I choose to obey the Lord Jesus Christ and I will, in Him.

#### **DETERMINATION GETS YOU TO ELON MOREH**

Abram was determined to get to where the Lord wanted him to go. This determination, kept him guiding his family across the hills and plains, day by day. He patiently endured and eventually reached Elon Moreh.

While I was in prison as a born again, spirit-filled Christian, I kept sensing in my spirit that I would find great victory and success if I would take time to fast and pray. I finally decided to obey that unction and started my spiritual journey. I prayed many days for six to eight hours. I rarely felt like praying and much of the time didn't feel a thing. On April 5, 1984, after several weeks of praying, I hit a gully washer, spiritually speaking! I was overwhelmed by the Glory and Anointing of the Lord. The Lord visited me there in that prison.

I can promise you that you will have a personal Elon Moreh if you will be determined to press through to God in

prayer. Studies show that most Christians pray less than thirty minutes a day. Studies also show that anyone who has ever had a great anointing and a wonderful encounter with the Lord Jesus spent much time in prayer and in meditation of the Bible.

#### NOTHING MORE IMPORTANT

The Bible tells us to love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. Abram did not let anything in the world stop him from Elon Moreh.

There are many things that call for our attention in the world today. The flesh is attracted to the glitter and glamor of the world and desires that more than the Lord. Our minds also fall easily into the entertain-the-brain trap. You can get mentally addicted to TV, movies, sports and other visual and mental attractions and it seems you have to have your daily fix, like a drug addict. The internet, texting, blogging and high tech toys can pull you into their grasp for hours a day. You become mentally depleted, and your life energy is used



up, and you have nothing left for spiritual development through prayer and Bible study. We can never reach Elon Moreh if other things become more important than God.

No man that warreth entangles himself with the affairs of this life that; that he may please him who has chosen him to be a solider. (2 Timothy 2:4)

I have made it up in my mind and spirit that I will not let other things come between me and the Lord. I know His plan will come to pass in my life. *(Continued next Column)* 

#### (Elon Moreh, Continued)

#### THE RIGHT PLACE WAS ELON MOREH

It is very important to be in the right place to have a meeting with the Lord. Abram had to be at Elon Moreh like Moses had to be on Mount Sinai to meet with God. The Lord has assigned each of us a place to be and we must be there to receive the blessings of God.

I have received many blessings and revelations from the Lord over the years but they were all a result of me being in the place the Lord told me to be. Your blessing and revelation will be where the Lord tells you to be. If the Lord places you into a church, don't look for an excuse to leave. Your spiritual growth and maturity will be there and no where else. If the Lord places you with an organization that is where your blessings will be found.

Our society is filled with an *"I'll try it"* attitude and that attitude is ready to quit, give up or accept defeat the moment things don't go the way they want or the going gets tough.



The Bible says that Jesus set His face like flint to go to Jerusalem. The only thing that was there for Jesus was death on the cross. He never had the "*I'll Try It*" attitude, He had an attitude that I am going to stay with it no matter how hard it gets. The Bible says that our Heavenly Father highly

exalted Him and gave Him a name above all names! We must stay the course that the Lord has for us and His Glory will come upon us.

#### ELON MOREH AND ORNAN'S THRESHING FLOOR

What does Elon Moreh and Ornan's threshing floor have in common? Remember, Ornan's Threshing floor was located at Mount Moriah where Abraham offered Isaac his son and it is the temple mount in Israel today.

The first thing is both were places of obedience. Abram and David did what the Lord told them to. The second thing is they were places that altars were erected to worship God. The third thing is the Lord God met with them because of their obedience to Him and worship of Him.

#### YOUR ELON MOREH

You really don't have to be real spiritual to hear the Spirit of God calling you and I to prayer and Bible study. Through that obedience you will build an altar of worship to our Heavenly Father. He will reveal Himself to you there and your life will never be the same as He fills you with His Glory. *(End)* 

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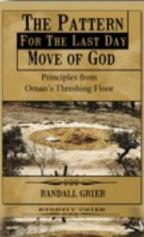
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