## Pentecost: His Voice is Coming Like a Flood

Several days ago, during my morning prayer I heard the word "flood" and right away knew the flow of the Holy Spirit is about to turn into a flood. I continued to pray and heard "heavenly voice" and then realized the **flood is the voice of God from Heaven and it is about to flood the earth. Pentecost is the manifestation of God's voice on earth.** 

The Jewish Pentecost commemorates the giving of the law on Mt. Sinai which happened 50 days after their release from Egypt on the Passover. The Pentecost of Mt. Sinai is the **birth of the Nation Israel**, when God came down and **spoke His Word** to Moses and wrote the Ten Commandments on tablets of stone.

**Ex 19:3-6** And Moses went up to God, and the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the children of Israel: 4 'You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to Myself. 5 Now therefore, if you will indeed **obey My voice** and keep My covenant, then you shall be a special treasure to Me **above all people**; for **all the earth is Mine**. 6 And you shall be to Me **a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.** 'These are the words which you shall speak to the children of Israel."

**Ex 19:17-20** And Moses brought the people out of the camp **to meet with God**, and they stood at the foot of the mountain. 18 Now Mount Sinai was completely in smoke, because **the Lord descended upon it in fire**. Its smoke ascended like the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mountain quaked greatly. 19 And when the blast of the **trumpet** sounded long and became louder and louder, Moses spoke, and God answered him by voice. 20 Then the Lord came down upon Mount Sinai, on the top of the mountain. And the Lord called Moses to the top of the mountain, and Moses went up.

The **Christian Pentecost** is the **birth of the Church** when the Holy Spirit came down and wrote the Word of God, His law in the heart of the Believers as they began to speak with the language of the Spirit. This happened on the **Jewish day of Pentecost**.

<u>Acts 2:1-4</u> When the **Day of Pentecost** had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. 3 Then there appeared to them **divided tongues, as of fire**, and one sat upon each of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and **began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit** gave them utterance.

The first Pentecost, the giving of the Ten Commandments at Mt. Sinai was external. The second Pentecost was internal. Now the voice of God and His Word is in us so we can speak and proclaim His Kingdom and His love.

**Psalms 29** uses the term "**Voice of the Lord**" more than any other chapter in the Bible. 7 of the 11 verses use the term "Voice of the Lord."

**Ps 29:1-2** Give unto the Lord, O you mighty ones, Give unto the Lord glory and strength. 2 Give unto the Lord the glory due to His name; Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

The "Mighty Ones" are to give unto the Lord glory and strength. How? Through worship, obedience and speaking His Word. In doing so, the Mighty Ones are building and advancing the Kingdom of God.

Mighty Ones: Strong's #1121 ben (bane); a son as a builder of the family name.

The Mighty Ones are the ones who honor and obey the voice of the Lord. They are the ones in covenant with God. After the 7 statements about the power of the voice of the Lord, a promise is given to His people; the Lord will give them strength and peace. \*\*\*\*He sounds just like his father! We are to sound just like our Father God.

<u>Ps 29:3-4</u> The voice of the Lord is over the waters; The God of glory thunders; The Lord is over many waters. 4 The voice of the Lord is powerful; The voice of the Lord is full of majesty. **Ps 29:10-11** The Lord sat **enthroned at the Flood**, And the Lord sits as King forever. 11 The Lord will give strength to His people; The Lord will bless His people with peace.

Psalms 29 starts out talking about God's family giving Him glory and strength. This is so He can pour out strength and peace upon His children. The Flood drowned the kingdom of darkness, the people who embraced wickedness.

**Psalms 29:7** Foot Notes SFLB; "This Psalm traditionally is recited in synagogues on the Day of Pentecost and refers to the phenomena that occurred in Acts 2:1-4"

On the Day of the Jewish Pentecost they quote the prophetic Scripture referring to the Christian Pentecost.

**Ps 29:7** The voice of the Lord divides the flames of fire. <u>Acts 2:3</u> "...divided tongues as of fire and sat upon each of them."

<u>John 7:38-39</u> 38 He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, **out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.**" 39 But this He spoke concerning the Spirit, whom those believing in Him would receive; for the Holy Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

This is bringing together the voice of the Lord over the waters, fire and the flood into our covenant with God. Through the cross of Jesus Christ and the infilling of the Holy Spirit we will speak with the fire of God and release the flow of living water that will turn into a flood! This flood is the love of God.

<u>Jer 10:12-13</u> He has made the earth by His power, He has established the world by His wisdom, And has stretched out the heavens at His discretion. 13 When He utters His voice, There is a multitude of waters in the heavens: "And He causes the vapors to ascend from the ends of the earth. He makes lightning for the rain, He brings the wind out of His treasuries."

**Ezek 43:1-3** Afterward he brought me to the gate, the gate that faces toward the east. 2 And behold, the glory of the God of Israel came from the way of the east. **His voice was like the sound of many waters; and the earth shone with His glory**.

**<u>Rev 1:14-17</u>** His head and hair were white like wool, as white as snow, and His eyes like a flame of fire; 15 His feet were like fine brass, as if refined in a furnace, and **His voice as the sound of many waters**; 16 He had in His right hand seven stars, **out of His mouth went a sharp two-edged sword**, and His countenance was like the sun shining in its strength.

<u>**Rev 14:1-2</u>** Then I looked, and behold, a Lamb standing on Mount Zion, and with Him one hundred and forty-four thousand, having His Father's name written on their foreheads. 2 **And I heard a voice from heaven, like the voice of many waters**, and like the voice of loud thunder.</u>

<u>Rev 19:6-8</u> And I heard, as it were, the voice of a great multitude, as the sound of many waters and as the sound of mighty thunderings, saying, "Alleluia! For the Lord God Omnipotent reigns! 7 Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready." 8 And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.

<u>Matt 24:36-37</u> "But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only. 37 But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

The Voice of the Lord is coming like a flood and it is coming through us! It is His love and glory raining down from Heaven. Those who love the truth will accept His love and His Word. "Those who hate to hear the Truth, hear the Truth as hate" -author unknown. Father forgive them for they know not what they do.