

**The Book of Incarnations!**  
**Part 5: Nothing to Fear, They are Here!**  
***Slide Notations***

**The difference between inspiration and incarnation is “materialization!”**

**It’s inspiring to know God has good plans for us... but those plans do not come to pass without His word materializing in us!**

**“Incarnation”** Let the word of Christ dwell in you abundantly... **Col 3.16** Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus... **Phil 2.5** We thank God without ceasing, because, when you heard the word of God from us, you received it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which actively works in those that believe. **1Th2.13** The word of God *is* alive and active, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing us to divide the soul and spirit, to discriminate between the thoughts and understanding of the heart. **Hb4.12** As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby! **1P2.2** Everyone that uses milk is unskillful in the word of righteousness... but strong meat belongs to those of full age, those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil – so, leaving the elemental doctrines let us go on to maturity... bearing things that accompany salvation... showing diligence to the end... with hope that anchors our souls. **Hb5.13-6.19**

**The Word that became flesh gives us His living word so that we can have the life (zoe) of God in us...**

**Because God desires that the fullness of life in His Living Word would be the fullness of our lives!**

**And the doorway to fullness is the written Word of God, coming alive for us!**

**2Kings 6.8-19** The king of Syria came to war against Israel but the man of God kept revealing his secret strategies. The king ordered his men to find Elisha and to report back so that he could capture him. When he found out that Elisha was in Dothan he sent horses and chariots and a great host of soldiers and they surrounded the city! Early the next morning when Elisha’s servant got up and went out, he saw a great army surrounding the city with horses and chariots. He ran to Elisha saying, “Master, we are in big trouble! We are surrounded! What are we going to do?” And Elisha said, “Don’t be afraid, those that are with us are more than those who are with them!” And Elisha prayed, “Lord, open his eyes, let him see.” Then the eyes of the young man were opened and he saw that the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha... So when the Syrians came down to him, Elisha prayed to the Lord, “Strike this people with blindness.” And He struck them with blindness according to the word of Elisha. Now Elisha said to them, “This is not the way, nor is this the city. Follow me, and I will bring you to the man whom you seek and he led them to Samaria!

**The Inspiration... *Wow! The Spirit world surrounding us!*** Surrounded by enemies who themselves are overshadowed by angelic hosts! Higher in order from us for a time (in our fallen state) **Hb2.7,9** but who will be judged by us! **1C6.3** Ministering spirits for the heirs of salvation **Hb 1.14** who operate at the command of God! **Mt26.53**

**Angels Aside... *Referred to more than 300x in the Bible! Distinct and created before man! Finite spirit-beings with free will!*** Satan coveted God’s throne. **Is14.12-14** Five “I wills!” Some “kept not” their first estate. **Jude1.6** “spared not the angels who sinned.” **2P2.4** *They help us!* **Mt 4.11 Acts 12.7-10**

**More with us than there are those who are with them!** “Of whom shall I be afraid? Though a host encamp against me my heart will not fear... though war rises against me I will be confident! **Ps27.1-3** Be strong and courageous, not afraid or dismayed for there are more with us than with them!” **2Chron 32.7**

**We never have to be afraid because there are more good angels than bad... and then we have Father, Son, and Holy Spirit with us!**

**Incarnation... *When you are God's man/woman you get to know inside stuff!*** "There is one telling the king what you plan in your bedroom!" **2K6.12** "When the Spirit of truth is come He will guide you into all truth... He will speak of things to come... He will receive from Me and show it to you!" **J16.13,14** "And the Spirit lifted me up between the earth and the heaven and brought me in the visions of God..." **Ez8**

**Most literal example of "forewarned is forearmed" and how "knowing" shapes your responses!**

***When you are God's man/woman you are unshaken by bad news/situations!*** Things can change *overnight*... Wealth to poverty... Health to sickness... Friends to enemies... Freedom to fear... But "Nothing to fear, there are more w/us"

**Nothing shakes our CONFIDENCE IN GOD'S CARE/ whether we see it or not!**

**Having true assurance in God shapes your responses to changing circumstances and hosts of enemies!**

***When you are God's man/woman you interact boldly with your enemies!*** Elisha, walked among them, led them, set the terms! (NOT A VICTIM!) Characteristic of Incarnational believers! Jesus **John 18.4ff** Peter Acts 4.5-33 Stephen **Acts 7** Paul **Acts 13.8ff**

***There is nothing to fear when the Word is alive in you, holding you, helping you, walking with you, leading and protecting you!***