Message: Understanding the mystery of dreams Texts: Joel 2 verse 28- 32 Bible Passages: Genesis 15 verses 12- 21 and Daniel 4 verses 1-7 and Verses 19-34

In Hosea 4 verse 6, the Bible says my people are destroyed for lack of knowledge, because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me; seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children" Open with me to proverbs 29 verse 18, the Bible says where there is no vision the people perish but he that keepeth the law happy is he and lastly Joel 2 verse 28- 32 the Bible says 28 ¶ And it shall come to pass afterward, *that* I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions: 29 And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit. 30 And I will shew wonders in the heavens and in the earth, blood, and fire, and pillars of smoke. 31 The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the great and the terrible day of the LORD come. 32 And it shall come to pass, *that* whosoever shall call on the name of the LORD shall be delivered: for in mount Zion and in Jerusalem shall be deliverance, as the LORD hath said, and in the remnant whom the LORD shall call.

Our teaching shall be drawn from the scriptures above and is titled, understanding the mystery of dreams. There are many authors on the topic of dreams, many messages and seminars but do you know that many are still ignorant of the mystery of dreams. There are many hidden truth in dreams that only those with understanding can decode. Before we go further I will like to open your understanding to the way people see dreams

- Some see dream as coming due to fatigue
- To some dream is just the imaginary state of mind when asleep
- Dreams to some means nothing
- To some it's a way of God speaking to his children
- To some it's a way to know hidden secrets
- While to some it's a way of warning about dangers that lies ahead

Whichever category you belong is as a result of you understanding of dreams and the mystery thereof.

In Genesis 15 verses 12- 21 "And when the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram; and, lo, an horror of great darkness fell upon him. 13 And he said unto Abram, Know of a surety that thy seed shall be a stranger in a land *that is* not theirs, and shall serve them; and they shall afflict them four hundred years; 14 And also that nation, whom they shall serve, will I judge: and afterward shall they come out with great substance. 15 And thou shalt go to thy fathers in peace; thou shalt be buried in a good old age. 16 But in the fourth generation they shall come hither again: for the iniquity of the Amorites *is* not yet full.

17 And it came to pass, that, when the sun went down, and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace, and a burning lamp that passed between those pieces. 18 In the same day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, Unto thy seed have I given this land, from the river of Egypt unto the great river, the river Euphrates: 19 The Kenites, and the Kenizzites, and the Kadmonites, 20 And the Hittites, and the Perizzites, and the Rephaims, 21 And the Amorites, and the Canaanites, and the Girgashites, and the Jebusites.

It was in the deep sleep and dream that the Lord showed Abraham about what will come of him and his descendants. The lesson to learn from this chapter is that secrets are revealed by God, directions are given in the dreams, instructions and guidance, also what you must do to be blessed are also revealed in the dream. Hear this as the Lord gives good information in the dreams so also he gives warnings and destructions. In Daniel 4 verses 1- 7 NEBUCHADNEZZAR the king, unto all people, nations, and languages, that dwell in all the earth; Peace be multiplied unto you. 2 I thought it good

to shew the signs and wonders that the high God hath wrought toward me. 3 How great *are* his signs! and how mighty *are* his wonders! His kingdom *is* an everlasting kingdom, and his dominion *is* from generation to generation. 4 ¶ I Nebuchadnezzar was at rest in mine house, and flourishing in my palace:

5 I saw a dream which made me afraid, and the thoughts upon my bed and the visions of my head troubled me. 6 Therefore made I a decree to bring in all the wise *men* of Babylon before me, that they might make known unto me the interpretation of the dream.

7 Then came in the magicians, the astrologers, the Chaldeans, and the soothsayers: and I told the dream before them; but they did not make known unto me the interpretation thereof" in this passage the King had a dream that he could not interpret, meaning there is no dream without interpretation, pray like this Lord Jesus give the understanding and interpretation of all my dreams in the name of Jesus also in the same Daniel 4 verse 19- 34, "19 ¶ Then Daniel, whose name *was* Belteshazzar, was astonied for one hour, and his thoughts troubled him. The king spake, and said, Belteshazzar, let not the dream, or the interpretation thereof, trouble thee. Belteshazzar answered and said, My lord, the dream

be to them that hate thee, and the interpretation thereof to thine enemies. 20 The tree that thou sawest, which grew, and was strong, whose height reached unto the heaven, and the sight thereof to all the earth; 21 Whose leaves *were* fair, and the fruit thereof much, and in it

was meat for all; under which the beasts of the field dwelt, and upon whose branches the fowls of the heaven had their habitation: 22 It *is* thou, O king, that art grown and become strong: for thy greatness is grown, and reacheth unto heaven, and thy dominion to the end of the earth. 23 And whereas the king saw a watcher and an holy one coming down from heaven, and saying, Hew the tree down, and destroy it; yet leave the stump of the roots thereof in the earth, even with a band of iron and brass, in the tender grass of the field; and let it be wet with the dew of heaven, and *let* his portion *be* with the beasts of the field, till seven times pass over him; 24 This *is* the interpretation, O king, and this *is* the decree of the

most High, which is come upon my lord the king: 25 That they shall drive thee from men, and thy dwelling shall be with the beasts of the field, and they shall make thee to eat grass

as oxen, and they shall wet thee with the dew of heaven, and seven times shall pass over thee, till thou know that the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will. 26 And whereas they commanded to leave the stump of the tree

roots; thy kingdom shall be sure unto thee, after that thou shalt have known that the heavens do rule. 27 Wherefore, O king, let my counsel be acceptable unto thee, and break off thy sins by righteousness, and thine iniquities by shewing mercy to the poor; if it may be a lengthening of thy tranquillity. 28 ¶ All this came upon the king Nebuchadnezzar.

29 At the end of twelve months he walked in the palace of the kingdom of Babylon.

30 The king spake, and said, Is not this great Babylon, that I have built for the house of the kingdom by the might of my power, and for the honour of my majesty? 31While the word *was* in the king's mouth, there fell a voice from heaven, *saying*, O king Nebuchadnezzar, to thee it is spoken; The kingdom is departed from thee. 32 And they shall drive thee from men, and thy dwelling *shall be* with the beasts of the field: they shall make thee to eat grass as oxen, and seven times shall pass over thee, until thou know that the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will. 33 The same hour was the thing fulfilled upon Nebuchadnezzar: and he was driven from men, and did eat grass as oxen, and his body was wet with the dew of heaven, till his hairs were grown like eagles' *feathers*, and his nails like birds' *claws*. 34 And at the end of the days I Nebuchadnezzar lifted up mine eyes unto heaven, and mine understanding returned unto me, and I DANIEL blessed the most High, and I praised and honoured him that liveth for ever, whose dominion *is* an everlasting dominion, and his kingdom *is* from generation to generation"

In the dreams you can get information about

- Your calling

- Destiny
- What you are doing wrong
- What you must do to prosper
- Who are your enemies
- Where you should go at a particular point in time
- The kind of Job you should do
- Kind of friends you should keep
- Foundational problems
- Solutions to problems etc.

To every dream there is an interpretation and a time of manifestation physically. In the above passage the dream of the king came to pass, meaning that all dreams whether good or bad will in one day come to pass. Pray again like this evil dreams shall not come to pass in my family in the name of Jesus, that is why I want you to cry to God in a loud voice again saying, my father give me a retentive memory to remember my dreams in the name of Jesus, cry again saying my father give me understanding of my dreams in the name of Jesus, I want you to cry louder saying powers stealing from my dreams die in the name of Jesus. Sword of the living God cut off every evil dreams that are about to manifest in my life in the name of Jesus. Dreams of destruction and relegation release me and die in the name of Jesus

Prayer

- 1. Dreams wasters be wasted by fire in the name of Jesus
- 2. Killers dreams appearing to me die in the name of Jesus
- 3. Powers using the dreams to trouble my destiny, the God of fire shall consume you today in the name of Jesus
- 4. My testimonies that has been stolen from the dream be recovered back now in the name of Jesus
- 5. Instructions to my destinations that has been stolen in the dream be recovered back in the name of Jesus
- 6. Instructions to escape the plans of the enemies that has been stolen in the dreams be recovered back in the name of Jesus
- 7. I receive the power to pursue all those pursuing goodness away from my life through the dreams in the name of Jesus
- 8. My dream life receive fire now in the name of Jesus
- 9. Powers to see great and mighty revelations fall upon me in the name of Jesus
- 10. Powers to discover the secrets of wealth fall upon me in the name of Jesus
- 11. Arrows fired to blind my spiritual eyes back fire in the name of Jesus
- 12. Powers programming death and disaster into my dream life carry your evil load and die in the name of Jesus
- 13. Strangers holding the key to my dream life release my key back unto me and die in the name of Jesus
- 14. My dream shall not become worthless in the name of Jesus
- 15. Anointing to see, hear and discern fall upon me in the name of Jesus
- 16. By the power and authority in the name of Jesus I recover my spiritual eyes back in the name of Jesus
- 17. My spiritual eyes become new in the name of Jesus
- 18. Oh Lord arise and cage all evil forces sent to kill me in the dreams in the name of Jesus
- 19. Dreams of cancer, demotion, untimely death, failure at the edge of breakthrough release me now in the name of Jesus

- 20. Fire and thunder of the living God come upon my life and destroy all that the enemies have planted into my life through dreams in the name of Jesus.
- 21. Secrets about my life and generations stolen from the dreams I recover you back in the name of Jesus
- 22. Blood of Jesus protect and deliver my spiritual eyes from spiritual blindness in the name of Jesus
- 23. Lord Jesus empower me to start dreaming dreams in the name of Jesus
- 24. Blood of Jesus remove every blockage to my heavenly dreams in the name of Jesus
- 25. Lord I thank you for this great deliverance of my dream life in the name of Jesus