CHAPTER 14

DESIRE: THE PROOF OF PRE-EXISTENCE

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Desire Is of the Father

PRINCIPLE #1

God speaks to man through the power of desire.

God is forever seeking expression through us. Your present condition is a direct result of the desires that you have harbored in the past. Desire is the voice of the unseen speaking to you, processing so that it may deliver. Desire already exists inside of you waiting for you to declare “let there be,” and whatsoever you desire will surely come into existence. The scripture says, “what things so ever you desire.” What things do you desire? You can only desire that which is close to you or within your reach. Desire is the proof of pre-existence. In other words, desire is of the Father. Your desires come from God. However, desire is not universal. The Bible refers
to two fathers, the father of evil and God the Father. John 8:44 says, “Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.”

God exists in you, through you and as you. Ephesians 4:1-5 says, “I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.”

The New Living Translation says, “Always keep yourselves united in the Holy Spirit, and bind yourselves together with peace. We are all one body, we have the same Spirit, and we have all been called to the same glorious future. There is only one Lord, one faith, one baptism, and there is only one God and Father, who is over us all and in us all and living through us all.”

Desire originates in consciousness. Desire comes forth from deep within. Desire is like the sap of a tree. Sap is contained on the inside of a tree. In the same way, your DNA is contained on the inside of you. The core substance to everything that exists is found deep within you. God lives in you. The kingdom of God is within you. (Luke 17:21)

**PRINCIPLE #2**

Desire is an intrinsic, magnetic force that is at work within you and draws everything unto you.

Desire is like a force that resides inside of you. It is an energetic life force that is triggered within. Tradition teaches that
desire is triggered by what you see. You see something and then you desire it. Desire simply means, “of the Father.” When you begin to have “of the Father” experiences, it will be something that you cannot explain on an exoteric level because it was never designed for you to explain it. You cannot explain desire. Desire is a powerful emotion that if coupled with the right action can draw with incredible force. If a woman desires to have an intimate moment with her husband, it doesn’t matter where she is, all she has to do is visualize the intimacy in her mind and her husband will come home and have the same feeling. He will come home and look into her eyes and know what she is thinking. This is what happens when couples are in tune with each other. That is the power of desire. When you have entertained desire it is impossible for that desire to be left unfulfilled because who can deny the Father? Remember, desire is of the Father. John 12:23 says, “And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me.” I will draw all men, all ideas, all laws that bring into manifestation the very thing that I Am. Desire is an intrinsic, magnetic force that is at work within you and draws everything unto you.

Realized Desire

PRINCIPLE #3
Belief is the key to realized desire.

“What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.” (Mark 11:24) When you pray what should you do? Believe. When we look at the word “belief” we see, “be life” ? be the life thereof. Belief is an action that can only be carried out by you. You are designed to express the belief factor. I asked a number of people to define the words “belief” and “believe” and here are the results:
Belief...

- Having faith.
- To be without doubt.
- To trust.

Looking at the word “believe” I see be-live, be live in the action, be live in the thought and put it to action; believe what it is that you desire. When you put life into it, the action comes into it.

- An energy inside of you that brings forth life.
- Expecting results.

However, belief is not your final stage. James 2:19 says, even the devil believes and trembles. So belief is not enough. Until you put action behind your belief your belief is nullified. You must convert your belief into corresponding action consistently until the desire is fulfilled, where it is no longer a desire but it is your I Am expressed as you. Only you can give birth to your desires. You must go from belief to consistent action. It is only through consistent action that you come into the law of Divine mind, the I Am that I Am. You cannot create in desire. The desire is just the sensation or the feeling. You can only create in the I Am.

**PRINCIPLE #4**

*Translate belief into corresponding action.*

You have to convert the feeling into a corresponding action. Let’s go back to our example of the woman who desires to be intimate with her husband. She will set the mood for the evening; she will cook a wonderful meal, light candles, chill the wine, and put on soft music. All of her actions will correspond to her initial feeling, and as a result, the motion begins to take place. Once she converts the feeling, fulfillment will result. You have to allow the conversion process to take place.
If increase is what you desire, just wishing for increase is not enough. Praying for increase is not enough. You have to believe first, because belief implies that you are going to apply the corresponding action that will lead to the result that you’re looking for - increase. If I give, it shall be given unto me also, good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over shall men give unto my bosom. (Luke 6:38) You must translate belief into corresponding action. Set in motion the laws that will bring the results into your experience. Luke 11:9 says, “And I say unto you, Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you.” You have to set the actions in motion that will bring your desire to fulfillment. It is not necessary to explain it, just embrace it. For example, if you come in contact with acid it will burn you. Do you have to understand how the acid works? No. All you have to do is stand where the acid is and it will do its work.

Hebrews 4:12 says, “For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.” Once the prophetic word is activated in your life you go from desire to fulfillment. Desire must have corresponding action for fulfillment to manifest. Desire by itself cannot produce anything. We already know desire is of the Father, but if desire is going to be realized, you have to add the corresponding action. The fulfillment is there waiting to exhale. There is latent power within the soul that is triggered in phases. At takeoff, a space shuttle ascends as one big unit, but when it reaches a certain height it drops a part, ignites and pushes forward. Desire is the same way. It is big in the beginning, but then it has to shed something from itself for you to encounter the fulfillment. Some people try to live in pure desire. However, you have to get to the wish fulfilled. The
way to have the wish fulfilled is to simply get to the point where you and the Father are one and you will no longer need the “booster rocket” to get you there.

**It’s Already Happened**

**PRINCIPLE #5**  
*Every time you experience a desire it is proof that what you desire already exists.*

There is nothing new under the sun. Every time you experience a desire it is proof that what you desire already exists. You have to now find the path by which it is going to come into fulfillment. How do you want to receive it, by boat, plane, donkey, or elephant? You make the choice. Your decision will determine how fast it arrives. Do you like to repeat events? Some people like to repeat the same steps over and over again even though they see no progress. However, when we continue to repeat the same fruitless steps, we misappropriate the laws that God has ordained that will yield different results.

Desire is God’s signal to you that you already have what you are craving. However, you must first believe and then add the corresponding action. When you first experience the desire it is whole and complete. When you truly believe, nothing is impossible. If somebody tells you that Colgate is the best toothpaste and you believe it, you will drive far and wide to find Colgate toothpaste. Why? Because you believe what you were told.

I like to tell the story of a young Christian man who owned his own business. Every time he had problems with different individuals he would come back inside his business, pull out his .38 revolver, stick it in his waist and go back outside. When you are in
a crisis, your true belief will be revealed. Whatever you turn to in the moment of crisis reveals what you really believe. Most of us scream, “I believe God,” but let a little situation arise and immediately we turn to anything other than God. We don’t call God. We call our friends, family members. “Do you have five minutes? I have something to tell you.” Why? Because your heart is not turned towards what you say you believe. When you truly believe you will learn how to shut down everything and turn to God and say, “Father, I turn to you because I know that there is nothing new under the sun. This is not a surprise to you because you allowed it to come into my experience. Now, good night, Lord, I am going to rest, because I have nothing to fear,” and then go to sleep.

My family thinks something is wrong with me because I choose to ignore them when they try to tell me about the craziness that is happening in other people’s lives. Oftentimes, I will respond by saying “um-hmm” and go back to sleep. They think that I am not listening, but there is absolutely nothing that I can do about it. So I choose to not let it enter my consciousness. I can’t pray for your healing. I can only point you to the Lord, to the principles that trigger what is already on the inside of you. For example, if Cynthia came to Debra with a problem, Debra must know how to still Cynthia’s soul and point her back to the God that is on the inside of her. Instead of trying to pray for her, they must come together and agree in thanksgiving.

There is nothing under the sun that is foreign to God. Once you understand that there is no situation that is foreign to God, you will no longer point people to something or someone outside of them for the answer, but you will turn them back to the inside and watch them evolve in the strength of the power within. The Bible says that His strength is made perfect in our weakness,
which means that when you are weak as man, God is made strong on the inside of you.

**PRINCIPLE #6**

*God will only feed you at your level of consciousness.*

Ephesians 5:14 says, “Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ will give thee life.” When you sleep as man you awake as God. “He who soweth unto the flesh is of the flesh and he that sows unto the Spirit is of the Spirit.” (Galatians 6:8) One must be lesser in order for the other to become greater. John said, I must decrease that God might increase. (John 3:30) If you cannot decrease in your human nature, then Divine virtue cannot increase within you. God, the all powerful, can never be powerless. But like a turtle, God can appear to have no head until it is necessary for you to recognize that He is the head of your life.

Every creation holds a mystery of God. Snakes can blend into their environment. God is like a snake. He can hide. He can be still to the point that He blends in with your circumstances. It doesn’t mean that He is absent. You cannot see him because your old world is covered in a certain way. But until you learn how to move away that which is to be moved, cast off that which needs to be cast off, and lay aside that which needs to be laid aside, the nakedness of God will not be revealed. God will only feed you at your level of consciousness.

**The Reward**

**PRINCIPLE #7**

*Desire is God’s reward.*

Have faith in God and have the God kind of faith. What is the God kind of faith?
Knowing that you and the Father are One.

Nothing is impossible.

Solid as a rock.

Hebrews 11:1 says, “Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.” Faith is the substance of things. Faith gives visibility to things. It gives form to things. Faith is the cause of things. Things cannot manifest unless there is faith. Faith is the ground support of things hoped for and the evidence of things not seen. Faith brings the substance of things hoped for into view and then becomes the evidence. Faith is the seed and the tree. The seed is the cause and the tree is the result. Where there is faith, there will always be evidence.

Desire is an incubator of creativity. It incubates the idea or thought until the transforming stages have been completed. Just as the woman’s body provides a sack that protects the fetus, faith will give the substance of things hoped for a sack of protection until it is fully mature. We have to learn how to carry our desires and protect them until they are fully established within us as our own reality. Then when they have come of age we can begin to expose the beauty of our creation.

You are not a human being, but you are a spirit having a human experience. Once you begin to live in the “I Am” of God and realize that you are not flesh and blood, you will receive the reward from heaven, for desire is God’s reward. Desire is the revelation of your eternal purpose. Your present status in life is a result of your previous desire. If you do not like your present experience, then you have to go back and dream yet another dream. Desire is like a waiter who delivers your order. You will only get what is written down. If you are not prepared to write it, then you have signed up to receive your order incomplete.
You must believe that that you have no need and no lack. All that the Father has is yours. You must feel your desire. Your desire is waiting to happen. God will allow you to fulfill everything that you desire, Money is not the reason why you are in a state lack. You have to learn how to dismiss the thieves in your temple that try to squelch your desires. You must work to see the fulfillment of your desires, especially when it will benefit all of humanity. Fulfill it. Do not deny it.

**AFFIRMATION**

I am proof that God exists.

I am proof that money exists.

God and money could not exist without me.

This building is proof that I exist.

My house is proof that I exist.

Everything around me is proof that I exist.