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Be Blessed From God In 2015

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Having had the privilege to work in different countries and nations (ethnos) of the world, I have often wondered why it is so easy for some peoples to receive from God and God's Spirit, and so difficult for others.

I asked the Lord about it and this is some of what he showed me.

All nations have strongholds which are reflected in their thinking, speaking, and actions, but some nations are closer in their culture to the Word than other nations.

In a capitalistic society, capital is thought to be the most important thing and the solution to most every problem, and this, in turn, is reflected in the way people think, speak, and act.

In an intellectual society, it is the intellect--what makes sense and what can be explained--that becomes perceived truth, and is received and acted upon by the people.

In an emotional society (mostly the developing nations), what feels right is what is regarded as the truth and acted upon.

However, in God's society, which is the Kingdom of God, Faith and trust in the Word is the most important thing and the only way that we can please Him.

For without Faith it is impossible to please Him. Hebrews 11:6.

Israel was the first nation to represent the thinking, speaking, and actions of God.

It was and is a nation called to give Glory to God!

And the scripture, foreseeing that God (also) would justify the heathen (nations) through faith, preached before the gospel (good news) unto Abraham, saying, **In thee shall all nations be blessed.** Galatians 3:8

The Church came out of that nation of Israel, and later (through the ministry of Paul) that early Jewish Church was extended to include all the nations of the world, so that we all could represent the living God Jehovah, and all be part of the family of God.

This is the main reason that the Lord wants His Church to be blessed this year of 2015, to fulfill that great commission.

Be greatly blessed to be a blessing, not only for your own family and life, but be blessed for Him and His Kingdom, in order to show his Glory to a Suffering and dying world.

For God so loved that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have everlasting life. John 3:16

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