

Daniel 10:1-8 (NIV)

¹In the third year of Cyrus king of Persia, a revelation was given to Daniel (who was called Belteshazzar). Its message was true and it concerned a great war. The understanding of the message came to him in a vision. ²At that time I, Daniel, mourned for three weeks.

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³ I ate no choice food; no meat or wine touched my lips; and I used no lotions at all until the three weeks were over. ⁴ On the twenty-fourth day of the first month, as I was standing on the bank of the great river, the Tigris, ⁵ I looked up and there before me

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was a man dressed in linen, with a belt of fine gold from Uphaz around his waist. ⁶ His body was like topaz, his face like lightning, his eyes like flaming torches, his arms and legs like the gleam of burnished bronze, and his voice like the sound of a multitude.

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⁷ I, Daniel, was the only one who saw the vision; those who were with me did not see it, but such terror overwhelmed them that they fled and hid themselves. ⁸ So I was left alone, gazing at this great vision; I had no strength left, my face turned deathly pale and I was helpless.

Pray For Revelation

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PRAY FOR IT.

John 15:15 (NIV)

I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you.

Revelation:

A disclosure of information or knowledge to man by a divine or supernatural agency.

A disclosure of facts to those previously unaware of them.

Not All Revelation is Visual

Most revelation comes from the Word and translates into deep spiritual impressions upon our heart.

Jeremiah 33:2-3 (NIV)

This is what the Lord says, he who made the earth, the Lord who formed it and established it---the Lord is his name: 'Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know.'

Revelation Has A Cost

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Jeremiah 29:13 (NIV)

You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

Hebrews 11:6 (NIV)

And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

When We Separate to Seek Him, We See What Others Don't

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“God’s revelation does not need the light of human genius, the polish and strength of human culture, the brilliancy of human thought, the force of human brains to adorn or enforce it. But it does demand the simplicity, docility, humility, and faith of a child’s heart.”

E.M. Bounds

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Psalm 25:4, 14 (NKJV)

Show me Your ways, O LORD; Teach me Your paths . . . The secret of the LORD is with those who fear Him, And He will show them His covenant.

Revelation Serves Us

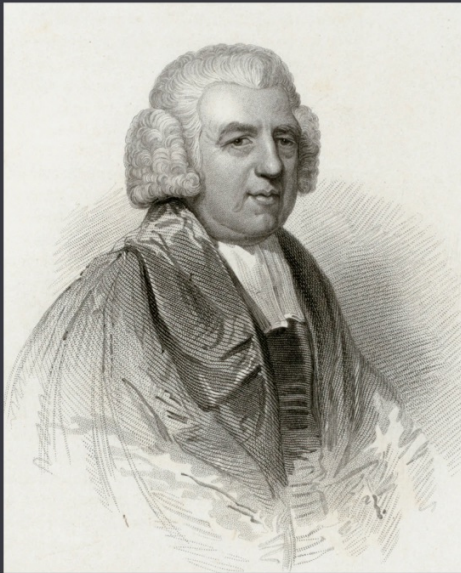
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God Gives Us Internal Revelation That:

1. Assures Us
2. Transforms Us
3. Leads Us

John Newton, 1725-1807



1747: Converted during a ship storm when he recalled Proverbs 1: “Because I have called and ye have refused, ... I also will laugh at your calamity.”

1769: Began pastoring and felt led to start writing hymns.

1787: Wrote, *Thoughts Upon the Slave Trade*, which led to the abolition of slavery in British colonies in 1807.