

FALL 2018



# Fatherhood APOSTOLIC SUMMIT CONVERGENCE

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25TH - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28TH, 2018**

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## **THE BECOMING FATHER:**

## **“FOUND IN THE FOREPLANNING FATHER:**

## **FORESEEN, FOREKNOWN, FOREPLANNED, FOREORDAINED”**

**\*\*\* SOME VERY PRESSING, EVER-PRESENT CONCERNS BEFORE WE ADDRESS THE TOPIC OF THE FALL 2018 SUMMIT CONVERGENCE: \*\*\***

We are rapidly approaching another Summit Convergence – Fall 2018! It is hard to fathom how it is possible that time flies by so speedily, and also how *drastically* the world has changed in a relatively short time. There has been a desperately-prayed-for reprieve granted to God’s people through the results of the 2016 Presidential Election. Regardless of each individual’s political viewpoints, there is no denying that the current President of our nation has been instrumental in bringing to pass MANY decisions and legislations that are God-honoring and favorable to Christianity, and everyone who names the Name of Jesus Christ should be deeply grateful to the LORD that He has allowed this to take place (*and we must continue to pray for God’s will, laws, and ways to be re-established into every area of our daily society, as much as it is possible*). **HOWEVER!!!** We are now two years into this reprieve given us, coming from the civil arena. And **WHAT ABOUT THE STATE OF THE CHURCH?????** **WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THE PRECIOUS, CENTRAL PLACE THAT THE CHURCH USED TO HOLD IN PEOPLES’ LIVES?????** **WHY HAS IT BECOME OBSOLETE?????**

What was the point in God giving us this badly-needed reprieve in the first place? **It was to give His men and His people a peaceable opportunity to cause His Church to be BUILT UP AGAIN** as it is meant to be, in sound, complete, truthful Apostolic doctrine, and accompanying Holy Ghost power, anointing, and righteous living. The real breakdown of America’s historic, *relative* godliness did not originate with fiends in the civil arena (*of which there have never been any shortage*). **Rather, this nation’s strength was safeguarded by a core backbone of dedicated, uncompromising, Bible-upholding, Holy Ghost apostolic set men, preachers, and people of God, who centered their lives, families, activities, passion, time, talents, abilities, service, funding, prayer, participation, and unrivaled focus, ON THE HOUSE OF GOD TO WHICH GOD HAD CALLED THEM TO BE A PART!**

Yes, American Christianity of yesterday was far more intent on “being about God the Father’s business” and working for His Kingdom at all times, compared to the hideously morphed, cyber-influenced, satanically strategically dismantled, watered-down, neo-pagan, witchcraft-infiltrated, pseudo-Christian nightmare that is calling itself “the church” today. And if men of God and ministries do not *immediately* take stock of themselves, and become life-and-deathly serious about obeying the LORD and doing their part to re-build and strengthen the true New Testament Church in this generation, **they will inevitably end up going one of a few routes:**

- **ONE**, they will dutifully hold fast to promoting some semblance of “ministry”, based on an outdated formula which never delivered God’s Voice in entirety, even when it was being utilized during its prime, but rather, at best, repeated a distant echo of an echo of an echo of a partial truth. **THIS TYPE OF “MINISTRY” NEVER POURED FORTH, NOR POURS FORTH TODAY, THE FULL, LIFE-GIVING...**



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**LIVING WATER OF THE LORD MOST HIGH.** Instead, it ladles out brackish, green, algae-covered sludge from a stagnant cistern, giving **NO ONE GOD'S LIFE WHATSOEVER**, and leaving an unfulfilled thirst within the people, to whom the devil is more than eager to furnish his own potion, if he has the opportunity. This brings sure defeat to the current generation, and utter doom to future ones.

- **TWO**, they will compromise and be swept up into the emerging One World, Apostate, Illuminati, Pope-Leaguening, Mega-Church-Loving movement, and will become a part of the Antichrist's system, risking for themselves an eternal spot in the lake of fire with their master.
- **THREE**, they will abandon the **LORD**, Christianity, and ministry altogether, OR – (*and just as bad*) – they will abandon their **PARTICIPATION** with the **LORD**, Christianity, and ministry altogether, fade out into the secular world, disobedient to the **LORD** and His intended calling upon their lives, rejecting His commandment to be **AN ACTIVE, WORKING PART** of the House of God He has assigned them to, making every excuse as to why they didn't make it to church, or why "they don't come anymore", and end up **WASTING** the days God has allotted to them, only to stand before Him one day and hear Him issue the eternal, fiery decree, "Depart from Me, ye that work iniquity, **I NEVER KNEW YOU...**" (*Matthew 7:23*)

**And NONE OF THESE THREE OPTIONS ARE THE PATHS GOD WANTS FOR ANY OF US TO TAKE...HE HAS MUCH GREATER THINGS IN STORE FOR EVERYONE WHO WILL HEAR, OBEY, COME TO HIM IN HIS FULLNESS, AND DO HIS WILL!!!**

So, with no time to waste and no more excuses to be had, where do **YOU** measure up? Are you dragging along in an outdated, incomplete, lifeless ministry? Or following the misled into the watered-down, apostate megachurch movement? Or withdrawing from God, Christianity, ministry, and **YOUR** God-ordained responsibility to Him in it? Or will you **HEAR AND RESPOND** to God the Father's call, and immerse yourself in **HIM**, giving your life, time, and service to **HIS TRUE APOSTLES**, who are the **FIRST ONES COMMISSIONED WITH GOD'S TRUE APOSTOLIC MINISTRY**, which will turn your life and entire existence into an overflowing fountain of the pure River of Life, pouring the **LORD** out onto everyone and everything with which you come in contact???

Then you must sink yourself deep in the unbridled, unadulterated, apostolic things of **GOD** in all that you do. **CHANGE YOUR LIFE AND HABITS!** More and more today, people's focus is on their domestic/biological families, secular endeavors, and recreation, much more than their focus is on God and the Church. They are not building their and their children's daily lives around God and the Church anymore. Fathers are commanded to raise up their children in the nurture and admonition of the **LORD** [*Ephesians 6:4*]; but it is much more common today to see daddies "hanging out" with their children in the "nurture and admonition" of **SPORTS and RECREATION**. So **STOP BEING CARRIED AWAY BY THE TV, MOVIES, INTERNET, SPORTS, SO-CALLED "RELATIONSHIPS" that are not beneficial, EXCESSIVE VACATIONS, TEMPORAL SO-CALLED "PLEASURES", IN ANY WAY THAT THESE VIE FOR YOUR AFFECTIONS, AND BECOME A TIME-CONSUMING IDOL AND RIVAL TO GOD'S CALL TO YOU!!!** Too much focus on these things **TAKES PEOPLE AWAY FROM GOD!!** And for heaven's sake, **PULL OUT THAT IV TUBE THAT IS KEEPING YOU JUICED UP WITH THE THINGS OF THE WORLD, and REPLACE IT WITH A GIANT, APOSTOLIC CONDUIT OF A HEAVENLY BLOOD-AND-LIFE TRANSFUSION OF THE MOST HIGH GOD!!!**

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**IN KEEPING WITH THESE THOUGHTS**, which weigh heavily on me and on all of us **DAILY**, we want to invite **EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU** to be with us at our upcoming

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Apostle Seymour and Elder Seymour will continue to unfold the key foundational revelation of **THE BECOMING FATHER**, and it will never cease to amaze you how **LEARNING** this, **APPLYING** this, and **EXPERIENCING** God in this dimension, will realign, reconstruct, revitalize, and practically **RESURRECT** you into His fullness from any incomplete state in which you have found yourself!!! Understanding God in the level of Him being **FATHER** – which is the core part of His entire Being – is the grounding and centering point from which we are to build all of our lives, perceptions, values, and priorities. Some well-meaning people hear about "Fatherhood", and their mind instantly goes to a biological/domestic father-son (or daughter) relationship. But **FATHERHOOD BEGINS and ENDS with GOD THE FATHER, and our relationship TO HIM.** No one can ever become a complete, genuine father of any dimension on the earth without **FIRST** becoming a true, sincere, dedicated son (or daughter) to God the Father. This cannot take place unless you are being raised up in the House of God by a true Spiritual/Ministry Father in the House of God, who will teach you God's Word and ways, and set you in proper Divine order. You can never be a real **FATHER** until you have become a real **SON** to a father. Then a true **SON** can mature into a real **MAN**. Then and only then would a male be qualified to become a real **HUSBAND**, and finally a real **FATHER**. (*And whether or not a male ever becomes domestically married or fathers biological/domestic children, God intends for their character to mature into that of a real husband and a real father. This is part of being "made in the Image of God", as First man Adam was originally created. It is also part of being transformed into the Image of Jesus Christ, ...*



...Who is the Express Image of God the Father. It is God's predetermined intention for all of His people to grow up into each of these levels of maturity, and it absolutely takes **THE FATHERHOOD OF GOD** to get us there.)

Apostle Seymour is planning to focus on the **FOREPLANNING** aspect of God the Becoming Father in more depth during this Convergence. Some people would think that the foreplanning of God mostly would deal with “who their domestic companion would be”, “their biological families/children/grandchildren”, “what their academic and career involvements would be”, and so forth. But those issues are not the primary importance. God's **FOREPLANNING** is first oriented to **HIS COMMISSION**, given to **HIS APOSTOLIC MEN OF GOD**, passed on to the **SPIRITUAL/MINISTRY HOUSE** on the earth, and each person's part in this. In the Old Testament, the children of Israel camped (lived) **AROUND THE TABERNACLE** – God's Presence, Guidance, and Leading was the center, top priority, and focus of the entire spiritual family, and each domestic family therein. In the New Testament church, they continued **“...DAILY IN THE TEMPLE, AND IN EVERY HOUSE, THEY CEASED NOT TO TEACH AND PREACH JESUS CHRIST.”** [Acts 5:42] It used to be standard in many American towns that the church was built in the center of the town square, and the overall life of the community revolved around the church before anything else. God the Father's goal is to have a people who are built up into **HIM** before anything else, who know, love, and serve **HIM** above all else, and whose time, character, activities, and involvements reflect this! God the Father wants **HIS FAMILY** – a **FAMILY** that will always first be centered on **HIM** and on **ETERNAL THINGS!** And for a **FAMILY** like this to come forth, it takes constant, wholehearted, daily participation in the Church/Ministry environment, being transformed and raised up firstly by true Apostles, by the House itself (“the spiritual womb” or “mother”), and finally on down to the domestic/biological fathers and mothers, who continue the raising of the **LORD** within their own individual domestic homes. When the true raising of the **LORD** is not present within individual domestic homes, those people turn to temporal, secular, worldly, and carnal things to fill them up. People who choose to live only to this level are not experiencing God's eternal FOREPLANNING. What are you raising yourselves and your family in more than anything else – in academics? In sports? In recreation? In secular and financial endeavours? In domestic/biological family events? Or are you raising yourselves and your children in **GOD** and **HIS MINISTRY**, before anything else? The **FOREPLANNING** of God the Father has the overall purpose in mind of the role that each person is to play **IN HIS COMMISSION** on the earth. Every other detail of our lives that is included in God's **FOREPLANNING** is secondary, and not the topmost priority. Even though every facet of our lives is very important to God, we must always have **FIRST THINGS FIRST**. Jesus said, “...seek ye **FIRST** the Kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.” [Matthew 6:33] When we put God **FIRST** in everything we do, ALL of the other assigned areas of our lives that He has **FOREPLANNED** will take care of themselves in the time that He sees fit.

One common trait among the godly Patriarchs of the Bible (*and among the truly consecrated, holy, committed “patriarchs” of the completely sold-out, committed Churches of God in the New Testament, and throughout time*) was that they walked so close to God the Father in all ways, that they had a **God-anointed ability to SHARE IN GOD'S ETERNAL VISION** – to **SEE** and **FORESEE** concerning the spiritual destinies of their offspring (*both spiritual and biological*). They perceived the impact that their children *could* or *would* make, either for good or for evil, for the commission of God or against it, even to their future generations. For **GOD THE FATHER** is a **FOREPLANNING FATHER** Who “sets the horizons” of those whom He knows will be His true sons and daughters, long ahead of time, and He oftentimes reveals these hidden things unto His faithful spiritual fathers who oversee the lives of His people. Therefore, it is so crucial for each of us to **PROVE** that which He has said about us from before the foundation of the world, and to **WALK IT OUT** during time. The gifts and the calling of God are without repentance [Romans 11:29], and He will still hold you accountable if you neglect to bring forth that which He has planned for you to do. Indeed, God the Father has fully **FORESEEN, FOREKNOWN, FOREPLANNED, and FOREORDAINED** each of His faithful, obedient ones who were a **SPOKEN WORD OUT OF HIS MOUTH** before time began, and each of us must take care to ensure that we **DELIVER BACK TO HIM THAT WHICH HE SAID ABOUT US** in the beginning.

Come hear about this, and **MUCH MORE** about **GOD** our **BECOMING FATHER**, at the

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Come and see **HOW IMPERATIVE IT IS** that we discover, walk out, and accomplish that which God has chosen for us to do while we travel the circuit of time. Every one of us has a predetermined, set number of days, and only God the Father knows the number. Whenever that time comes that each of us is standing at the brink of eternity, there will be no way to go back and change the trail that we have forged. So **WE ALL MUST TAKE HEED, TAKE STOCK OF OURSELVES, AND TAKE A HOLD OF GOD OUR BECOMING FATHER** like never before, from this day onward!!! Don't miss this Summit Convergence...don't miss any opportunity with which you are presented to hear the **APOSTOLIC WORD OF GOD** that comes forth from the mouths of Apostle Seymour and Elder Seymour...**YOUR ENTIRE LIFE WILL BE CHANGED, ALL FOR THE GLORY OF GOD AND THE GOOD OF ETERNITY!!!!**

## FALL 2018 SUMMIT CONVERGENCE SCHEDULE

<u>Thursday, October 25th</u>	7:30 PM	Convergence Meeting
<u>Friday, October 26th</u>	10:30 AM 1:30 PM After lunch	Convergence Meeting Lunch (provided) Free Time
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<u>Saturday, October 27th</u>	10:30 AM 1:30 PM After lunch	Convergence Meeting Lunch (provided) Free Time
<u>Sunday, October 28th</u>	11:00 AM 4-5 PM	Sunday Convergence Meeting Sunday Dinner/Fellowship

- **LUNCHESES** will be provided throughout the Summit—both **FRIDAY** and **SATURDAY AFTERNOON**, after the Convergence meetings. **PLEASE LET US KNOW THE MEALS FOR WHICH YOU WILL BE PRESENT; we need an accurate count as soon as possible!** Your hotels should offer a continental breakfast; there are many local restaurants from which to choose for your dinner or late-night choices.
- Dress generally ranges from casual to dress-casual; of course you are welcome to dress more formally if you like. Please bring appropriate hiking attire and shoes if you wanted to walk over the property or participate in any of our outdoor activities.

**WE THANK YOU, AS ALWAYS, FOR YOUR GENEROUS OFFERINGS WHICH HELP OFFSET THE SUBSTANTIAL COST FOR THESE SUMMIT CONVERGENCES, AS WE DO NOT CHARGE A REGISTRATION OR MEAL FEE.**

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