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Unless God Builds a house, they who labor labor in vain.

By the name Lord I was not always known by Israel.

Each one of these sayings addresses a people whose efforts amount to nothing. Tho they be done with the best intent and the hardest effort, if they are done without the proper information, all the collection of expended energies have NO real pay off. All the good intentions, sincerity's and energy spent "is in vain" meaning null. The word vain indicates a gullible way of thinking.

It's kind of like when you are lost and late, if you drive faster because of anxiety, you are in truth making things worse. That means when you wake up, or get straitened out with your directions, you just have to go back that much more.

And applied to battle, or collected efforts, if everyone is doing that, and everyone is scattered in different directions, how much effort is lost? How much time and materials and how many disappointments.

To compare with a building project, does it make more sense to abandon the project and start over with a new location? How embarrassing to have that building remain as a testimony on how NOT to do it.

Well essentially that is what "all the Law and the Prophets" were. They were a temporary project for successive generations from repeating the same mistakes. If you remember that The law was added to make sin exceedingly sinful. And it was used as a destination until the change would come. But after the replacement is established, and it has for it is "established on better promises", then to go back to the old building project and work on that, is despicable.

Do you know that we were warned of a time when just such a thing would happen? That the Old Testament (testimony), the way NOT to do it, and the "New Testimony" would be blurred together? That there would be a time of confusion "as if possible to deceive the Elect? Well what makes them so special?

Well, they have been enabled by having a clear rendition of scripture at the behest and the directive of Gods Holy Spirit to discern between good and evil, Heavenly from Earth, Eternal from the temporary and the purposeful verses verses the wasteful. They have been able to correctly to divide the word of truth and extract the relevant from the obscure and to apply their efforts to what

is important to our Heavenly Father, and like the prodigal son, get back on track, to get back in place with the right focus with the right tools for the right project.

### DOING THE WORKS OF THE FATHER

The person called Jesus at a young age, having been left behind unknowingly, when his parents had realized he was not with them they headed back to Jerusalem. It was there that they found Him with the leaders of that place and time and when his carnal parents asked Him what He was doing He replies "don't you know I must be about My Father's business. Which was to restore to us the way home.

Even as the lost and wayward old Testament leaders were seen in their travels going here and there. Of "putting up and taking down" the articles that defined their faith. If you remember that the word faith is a blanket term referring to "that which is invisible" Hebrews 11. As they were instructed that "you saw no form" Deu 4. Showing to us where the building was really suppose to take place. But this they forgot and got lost in the patterns over and over as again in these Last Days.

We were warned that this time would come.

At the inception of The New Covenant, and right before Christ put off the flesh to "return to the Father" John 13 and said "you will see Me again no more". John 14. He gave certain warning for them to NOT get distracted. He told them "many will come in My name (and or titles like mine) saying I am he and deceive many". They will say "look here and look there" and in each case they would be wrong "for as the lightning flashes from the east to the west so will the coming of the son of man be???"

He warned of times of prosperity and confusion, that it would be like in the days of Noah, expound. As in the days of Lot, expound. That the end would come upon the world while it is in great confusion.

You may ask how can this be? It is because the harvest time is over. That the fruit the Father desires is no longer.