"Come, behold the works of the LORD, what desolations He hath made in the earth. He maketh wars to cease unto the end of the earth; He breaketh the bow, and cutteth the spear in sunder; He burneth the chariot in the fire. 'Be still, and know that I am God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth.' The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah." Psalms 46:8-11 KJV

God eradicates rebellion, resistance, and revelry with His very presence and spoken Word! Nothing can exceed nor replace, the "I



AM!" His presence is Peace; the absence of clatter, chaos, and confusion! He obliterates war as none nor nothing can withstand Him! He renders all implements of war useless, from hand to hand combat to nuclear weapons! Even the Beloved Apostle, John, fell "as one dead" at the feet of the risen LORD until Jesus touched him. Laser, a beam composed of a thin, single red-spectrum of light, burns a hole in titanium in seconds. Imagine your hand in that beam! Now, imagine a laser beam of infinite diameter, composed of every spectrum of light! "God IS Light!" How long would your rebellious flesh exist in the LIGHT that IS God Almighty? How long would anything stand? What would it do to war implements and the men who brandish them? Without protection from the very God they defy, neither angels, demons, nor men would last a nanosecond! Mortal flesh cannot exist in the LIGHT of God! God, however, has given believers this assurance through the pen of the Apostle Paul: "Behold, I shew you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, (die) but WE SHALL ALL BE CHANGED. IN A MOMENT, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: For the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. For the Lord Himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord." God will give all those who come to Him through faith, in an instant, a body of new flesh that can stand in the LIGHT that God is! You will not find God in revelry, chaos, nor confusion. He cannot be found in the desires or gratification of your flesh. You must find Him in the stillness of your heart as you read, study, and meditate on God's Word. His Voice will be heard in the stillness of thoughts that ponder Truth. "Be still, and KNOW that I AM God!" Knowing God is not a maybe, a wish, nor a guess! If you find Him, you will KNOW it by the Word of God!

> The stillness of your musing heart, Will hear the Voice of God apart, In thoughts of Truth and ceaseless prayer, For God will always find you there! ~*CGP*

You cannot find God apart from the written Word. "These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may KNOW that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God." If you've never read His Book, how will you ever know His Voice? A man knows the letters of his of his love, because he knows her and knows what she will say by virtue of the time spent alone with her. There are things only he and she know. You can never KNOW God unless you spend time alone with Him and His Word.

Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on Him, "If ye continue in my Word, then are ye my disciples indeed: And ye shall KNOW the Truth, and the Truth shall make you free." – He then prayed to the Father, "Sanctify them through Thy Truth: Thy Word is Truth." John 8:31-32 – 17:17 KJV