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God established order in creation. He has created in nature all kinds of systems through which life can arise.

An example is pollen and a bee.

In humans, we see that sexual intercourse is meant both for loving intimacy to be enjoyed and for fertilization.

In the natural world, new birth occurs regularly. In the spiritual world, it also happens. God's Word has the same function as sperm in the conception that takes place between man and woman. Jesus, the Living Word, speaks to His heirs, congregation, His bride. This gives life and a new birth.

"God's purpose is to make us pregnant with His thoughts about who we are, who He is and what His plans are. To give us a different view of our inner I am and the world around us. That is the new life."

Everything that is alive has the ability to multiply. The Word of God needs a recipient: a bride, a believer, a congregation. God wants to give words to reproduce on earth through them.

Noah

Noah heard from God that he should build an ark to save mankind and animals. God's words were like a burning fire within him that set the rest of his life ablaze. In response, he built an ark as God had shown him.

Peter

Peter also heard Jesus' words. His **outer I am** had certain ideas about a Kingdom of God, but through his interaction with Jesus and his explanation of that Kingdom of God, Peter's **inner I am** was liberated.

Peter's inner I am was fertilized with heavenly insights. Peter's mind and God's Spirit together formed the I am that God had intended.

"The life of the Kingdom is sent to earth through words. They are words of life that can totally change us. If the recipient believes in them and trusts in them, the Kingdom becomes visible on earth."

EXERCISE:

-Do you recognize in your own life the principle of becoming pregnant with God's words?
Write down what words, dreams and/or prophetic thoughts God the Father has already committed to you.

-What steps have you already been able to take to apply those words in your life?

-What obstacles have you encountered on your path with God that have not yet fulfilled these words?

-Ask God what steps are needed to move in the direction He has shown.

-Share with each other what discoveries you have made this lesson.



PRINCIPLE 3

God the Father speaks His words to us in many ways. These words have power and life. They help us on our way to our destiny and have the potential to achieve fruitfulness in our lives.

