*Tuesday, April 23, 2013*

**John**

John 15:3 Now ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you. (KJV)

Jesus Christ came to earth to deliver words that are Spirit and life. You will not find this life in the outward realm; it only exists within. When you think of cleansing it’s time to rethink and look to the spiritual realm rather than blindly following man’s outward, vain interpretations and see what God considers clean in His sight.

Titus 3:4-6 But after that the kindness and love of God our Saviour toward man appeared, 5 Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost; 6 Which he shed on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Saviour; (KJV)

3067 loutron (loo-tron'); from 3068; a bath, i.e. (figuratively), immersion, baptism: KJV-- washing. (Strongs Definition For Washing)

So what kind of water are you immersing yourself in today and which one do you think will truly cleanse you, the outward carnal washings, or is the Lord looking elsewhere to see who is truly clean in His eyes?

Ephesians 5:25-27 Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it; 26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word, 27 That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish. (KJV)

Spiritual stains require spiritual water to remove them. Given the fact that we serve a Spiritual God we need to look beyond the carnal in order to be cleansed and truly show up clean in His sight.

Malachi 3:1-2 Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me: and the Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to his temple, even the messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in: behold, he shall come, saith the LORD of hosts. 2 But who may abide the day of his coming? and who shall stand when he appeareth? For he is like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap: (KJV)

You now have access to living spiritual waters, and here is a spiritual bar of soap to go with it, now it’s time to clean up your act.

2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1 And what agreement hath the temple of God with idols? For ye are the temple of the living God; as God hath said, I will dwell in them, and walk in them; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. 17 Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, 18 And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty. 7:1 Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God. (KJV)

I spent time in the past in some pig pens of man’s limited fallen doctrines, though they appeared to look good on the outside, inwardly they were a mess. Once I concentrated more on the inward man, I was able to come clean before God.

Dearly loved, come clean before God this day through His Son Jesus Christ. God bless and have a very prosperous day in Christ Jesus our Lord.