

SEEING AND HEARING THE INVISIBLE

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What would we miss without sight and hearing? Even though our eyes and ears provide the vast majority of our perceptions of the world we live in; we still only see and hear, a very small portion of that which surrounds us. To give you a better picture of this, let's consider our sight. We only see 2.3% of the entire electromagnetic spectrum (97% is invisible to us). The same types of observations can be made with our senses of hearing and smell as well. We are aware of light and sound outside our senses through observation, logic and discovery. We use machines to reveal those parts of our world that our senses cannot process.

If we compare our sense of smell with a dog... the human brain is ten times larger, yet the part that controls smell, is 40 million times larger in dogs! While we have up to five million scent receptors, dogs can have as many as 300 million. Thus, a dog sees with its nose much more than what even our nose, ears and eyes collectively reveal. Vast amounts of natural data still remain outside of our senses and knowledge.

Jesus Christ made it possible to 'see' spiritual dimensions. 1COR 2:9 But as it is written, **Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard**, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. *There is no natural sense, that identifies the spiritual elements of the world we live in. 10* But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God. *Neither intellect nor education, alter the ability to discern spiritual realities, once we receive the Holy Spirit.*

Jesus spoke of the time and method by which the spiritual senses of the human race would be awakened. LUK 4:18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath **anointed** me (with the power and ability) to **preach** the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of **sight** to the **blind**, to set at liberty them that are bruised (**JOB 32:8** But **there is a spirit** in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding), *A miraculous mechanism that removes spiritual blindness, to the plan and power of God, that cannot be seen with our natural senses. Our spirit needs a triggering influence from God, to give us the ability to see spiritual truths... these senses need developing just the same as the natural senses. Without the Holy Spirit, spiritual senses are non-functional.*

The day of Pentecost revealed spiritual evidence of the unseen God (speaking in tongues)... ACT 2:4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to **speak with other tongues**, as the Spirit gave them utterance. **&33** Therefore being by the right hand of God exalted, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost (speaking of Jesus), he hath shed forth this, which ye now **see and hear**. *Not only were their eyes and ears open to spiritual realities, their natural eyes and ears also saw the manifestation of the Holy Spirit. The true gospel is a sign based ministry... both spiritual and physical.*

Once, filled with the Holy Spirit, it takes faith and obedience to develop the spiritual senses... 1COR 2:14 But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know them, because they are spiritually **discerned**. *People rely on natural reasoning and natural senses, rather than make the effort to understand the options and realities, surrounding life and death. The evidence is there and the willingness of God is there, but it requires faith, before spiritual realities will be revealed.*

Spiritual sight is critical as it reveals eternal life. LUK 6:39 And he spake a parable unto them, Can the **blind** lead the **blind**? shall they not both fall into the ditch? *The teachers and researchers of natural sciences, trend towards the will of those who rule... JOH 14:17* Even the Spirit of truth; whom the **world cannot receive**, because it **seeth him not**, neither knoweth him (the sciences tend to ignore all things spiritual, preferring to theorise anything and everything away from a creator... despite evidence): but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. *But God's people face the facts.*

False science, already identified 2000 years ago... 1TIM 6:20 O Timothy, keep that which is committed to thy trust, avoiding profane and vain babblings, and oppositions of **science** falsely so called:

We have the authority and responsibility to open the eyes and ears of the people. ROM 10:14 How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and **how shall they believe** in him of whom they have not **heard**? and **how shall they hear** without a preacher? *The blind have specially trained dogs, carers, aids etc.. Likewise, the deaf have sign language, implants, hearing aids, etc.*

You and I have been called by God to be a light in the darkness, so those who are spiritually dead might see!!