

## **Time to Get Back into God's Order**

Recently while in a gym I walked past a machine with a notice on it. It said "Out of Order".

Now, normally, I have seen this sign many times on a piece of equipment in the gym when something needs to be fixed or addressed.

Basically, out of order speaks of something which is of no use, which is non-operational and non-functioning. It also speaks of something which can out of sequence, therefore out of line. In a court of law, when someone is out of order they are out of line within the parameters of the law.

Yet, this morning, as I briefly glimpsed at the sign, the Lord spoke into my spirit and said there are many people (remember the believer is the church – the royal priesthood) that are walking around in this world but they might as well be wearing an out of order sign.

This gave me a moment of pause. Why I pondered. Because so many of my children are OUT OF MY ORDER said the Lord.

Not any order. Not the order of the world. Not the order of any pastor or spiritual leader or denomination. Not the order of the institutionalised church. Not out of the order of religion.

But out of God's order.

For the Lord said so many times we live according to our own order and deem what it means to walk by order, yet there is a difference between God's order and the order as enforced by man. For My order is disregarded says the Lord, and My order is regarded as old, futile and of no use. True freedom lies in My order.

Yet again it was placed in my spirit that so often we are out line within the parameters of His Kingdom – which is a Kingdom of Law and Order (we do not serve a lawless God). So often we seek our own path, our own way, and our law and so easily we become a law unto ourselves (dictating our own truth and order).

We are out of order when we rebel against what God has commanded, thus ordered.

For when the Lord makes an order, it is a command, thus a law of the Kingdom. Unless we understand the concept of Kingdom Law we shall remain rebellious and without law and thus without order.

For many churches are run according to order says the Lord, but not His order. It is the order of religion. It is the order of tradition. It is the order of man-made rules and regulations. For the order of the Lord is the order of the Kingdom. It is the order of the Spirit. And such order can only be understood in Spirit and in Truth. It is for the pure of heart. It is for the ones who truly seek Him above all. Such order of the Lord comes by adhering, following and abiding in the will of the Lord. It comes by obedience. It comes by submission to His way. It comes by loving and fearing the Lord. It comes by holiness and purity.

For Am I not the way and the truth and the life says the Lord?

This I understood. For too long we have followed our own ways and remain out of order. We are out of line when it comes to His will, to His Commandments (Law) and to His Kingdom. We are supposed to seek His Kingdom above all, yet fail to even know

what His Kingdom is, so we are out of order. We are therefore not functioning and not operating in the complete will, mandate, purpose and authority of God. We are therefore out of order when it comes to His will, His way and His Truth.

Something which is out of order is essentially broken. We are thus essentially broken when we abide not in Spirit, when we abide not in the Kingdom and when we abide not in His will. For when the Lord said in John 16 to abide in Him, it means comes into alignment with His, thus come into order.

It is time for my people to get in order says the Lord so that My people can move in My authority and by My power. And by such order comes life, rest and peace.