



“...the LORD has called me from the womb; from the body of my mother has He made mention of my name. And He has made my mouth like a sharp sword; in the shadow of His hand he has hidden me, and made me a polished shaft; in His quiver He has hidden me.” Isaiah 49:1 – 2

We are all known of God. He has a plan and a purpose for your life. He has spoken of it even while you were within your mother’s womb. As the Creator, He crafts and refines everyone a little differently for His artistry is always “one-of-a-kind” – unique and original. “For we are God’s masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so that we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.” (Ephesians 2:10 NLT)

While all His handiwork is special and could be unashamedly displayed to the world, for some reasons alone known in His eternal counsel, He chooses to hide some of His artwork from the view of either the world or the Church. Here, these treasures, He alone has access to and they must wait the purpose of that eternal council!

Wherever you are found today, whether openly being used by God or hidden away from the view of men, rejoice in His will, knowing that by faith His plan is being worked out. No need to fear that you are forgotten. If no one “sees” you or your ministry, what is that to you? The Master Craftsman is preparing the room of your life to display the gift He has already placed within you! Having been hidden in this divine quiver is not the same as having been boxed, shelved and forgotten about in some dark storage room. One day, at the perfect God-appointed time, He will draw you from His quiver and you will find yourself flying to His intended destination all-the-while fulfilling your destiny!

“Father, I do not want to be premature. Take as long as you need to prepare me for Your plan – great or small. May I be a straight and shining arrow laying aside my own aspirations – an arrow that will fly true to Your purposes! In Jesus’ Name, Amen!”

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