# **Servant Leaders – Preparing to Launch**

To launch is to throw intensely or violently; to pour out; to pour into Strong's GR 0906 [ballo]

## Shifting into a another mode

#### John 21:3, 6

"Simon Peter saith unto them, I go a fishing. They say unto him, we also go with thee. They went forth, and entered into a ship immediately; and that night they caught nothing." "And he said unto them, **cast the net on the right side** of the ship, and ye shall find. They cast therefore, and now they were not able to draw it for the multitude of fishes"

The message does not change, but our approach and methods should.

Past actions were effective, but we must shift with the seasons; adjusting to today's culture.

Remember ... THE MESSAGE DOES NOT CHANGE!

## Prophesy Life

*Ezekiel 37:9-10 KJV* "Then said he unto me, Prophesy unto the wind, prophesy, son of man, and say to the wind, Thus saith the Lord God; Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live. So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army."

Everyone **can** and **should** prophesy.

1 Corinthians 14:1 NET "Pursue love and be eager for the spiritual gifts, especially that you may prophesy."

When we prophesy, we strengthen, encourage and console and as we do we -

- > Speak the heart of God
- > Speak life into dead places
- > Speak purpose
- > Testify of the life of Jesus

# Many are waiting for you

#### Consider John 5:2-9

- This man had been in this condition for a long time (38 years).
- ➤ He was asked if he would be made whole and the man spoke of his plight.
- Ask yourself, was he content with his condition?
- > Those we encounter may have many excuses.
- ➤ With authority, you can release healing and declare the Gospel of the Kingdom.
- ➤ With authority you can tell your story..

#### Luke 9:1-2 KJV

"Then he called his twelve disciples together, and gave them power and authority over all devils, and to cure diseases. And he sent them to preach the kingdom of God, and to heal the sick."

### Make no excuses

#### Mark 11:2-4

We may have been forgotten about in the past, but the Lord needs you and me **now**!

Trust the Word of the Lord.

Now ... Launch into the deep.

"Now when he had left speaking, he said unto Simon, **Launch out into the deep**, and let down your nets for a draught. And Simon answering said unto him, Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing: nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net." *Luke 5:4-5 KJV* 

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