***Becoming a People of Understanding - Continued***

“At the beginning of your supplications the command went out, and I have come to tell you, for you are greatly beloved; therefore consider the matter, and understand the vision:”  
Daniel 9:20-23 NKJV

We need to be a people of understanding because the rage of the nation is unleashed on Israel and on the church. Daniel saw this massive conflict and needed help to understand the essence of such a fierce conflict. Daniel labored in prayer and in intercession and fought what was happening in the Spirit realm, contending for what is being birth to manifest on earth.

Why is this relevant today? We are seeing the war in heaven unfold in our midst. It’s no longer a distant future but a NOW. The advent of a world war may be around the corner and how are we posturing ourselves?

As Forerunners, we carry a message of preparation and preparing, and we see times getting closer and closer unless God delays. But I hear the martyrs crying, “When, when?” How long, how long?

Creation groans and moans for the manifestation of sons.

In Matthew 24, Jesus describes the landscape of the generation of His return. His primary burden in this passage is:

— The increase of deception and   
— Confusion that turns hearts from the gospel.