### 《天路导向》双语讲义

# 英雄的肖像 - 13 PORTRAIT OF A HERO - 13

#### SECTION A 甲部

- Hello, listening friends.
   亲爱的朋友,你好!
- Thank you very much for tuning in to this broadcast.
   非常感谢你收听这个节目。
- 3. We have been talking about Moses 我们一直在谈关于摩西的事,
- 4. and, today, I want to tell you that God commanded Moses to build a tabernacle. 今天所要讲的是神命令摩西建造会幕。
- This large tent would symbolize God's dwelling among His people.
   这个大帐篷代表神居住在祂的百姓中间,
- 6. Imagine a large arena surrounded by houses 请你想像一个极大的运动场,四周围绕著许多房屋,
- 7. up the hills, down the valley everywhere, so that, from every window, people could see the arena. 满山满谷到处都是,而每一家人的窗口都对著运动场。
- 8. This large tent of the Lord's was in the middle of the town 耶和华的这个巨大的帐篷就在市中心,
- 9. and it was surrounded by the tents where God's people dwelt 四周围都是神的百姓所居住的小帐篷,
- 10. so, every time they looked outside their door, 所以每次当他们在家门口往外看时,
- 11. they remembered the presence of God. 他们都记得神与他们同在。

的预表。

12. The tabernacle was a foreshadowing of the literal presence of God among His people, the church, 会幕其实就是神与祂的教会,祂的子民同在

- 13. and that is what John said about Jesus in his Gospel, Chapter 1 -- 也就是约翰在他的福音书里,第一章讲到耶稣时所说的;
- 14. that "he 'tabernacled' among us and we beheld his glory."祂的帐幕在我们中间,我们也见过祂的荣光。
- 15. Not in a symbolic form, but in person. 并不是象徵,而是真人;
- 16. Not in a shadow, but in reality, 并不是影像,而是实体。
- 17. and John said, "He dwelt among us and we beheld his glory, 约翰说;祂住在我们中间,我们也见过祂的荣光,
- 18. the glory of the only Son of the Father." 正是父独生子的荣光。
- 19. After the people of God were judged for the sin of idolatry, 当神的百姓因犯奸淫,也就是信仰上不忠的罪,而受到刑罚之后,
- 20. now, they were ready to obey the Lord; 他们总算愿意顺从神了。
- so we see the response to the building of the tabernacle.
   因此我们看见他们回应神,来建造会幕。
- 22. God had, so far, supernaturally provided for their protection from the plagues of Egypt. 在此之前,神曾以超然的大能保护他们,免受那些降临在埃及的灾难;
- 23. God, so far, supernaturally provided for their escape from the land of slavery. 在此之前,神曾以超然的大能,带领他们逃脱奴役之地;
- 24. God, so far, supernaturally provided for their crossing of the Red Sea. 在此之前,神曾以超然的大能,带领他们过红海;

- 25. God, so far, supernaturally provided for them manna from Heaven.在此之前,神曾以超然的大能,从天上降下吗哪;
- 26. God, so far, supernaturally provided for them sweet water out of bitter water. 在此之前,神曾以超然的大能,使苦水变甜;
- 27. God, so far, supernaturally provided them with a cloud by day and pillar of fire by night; 在此之前,神曾以超然的大能,使他们白天有云柱、晚上有火柱来领路。
- 28. then, why on earth didn't God just provide them with a tabernacle to worship in? 但此刻,神为什么不自己造一座会幕给他们来敬拜呢?
- 29. Because Deuteronomy, Chapter 2, verse 7, tells us, 因为在申命记第 2 章第 7 节那里告诉我们:
- 30. "The Lord your God has been with you and you have not lacked anything." 耶和华你的神常与你同在,故此你一无所缺。
- 31. God gave and gave and gave. 神一给再给,不断供应给他们。
- 32. He gave when they praised Him. 他们赞美时神供应,
- 33. He gave when they complained and murmured. 他们发牢骚、出怨言时神也供应。
- 34. He gave to them, not because of their faithfulness, but because of His faithfulness. 神供给他们,并不是因为他们对神忠心,而是因为祂是信实的神。
- 35. Now, I want you to imagine a father who gives his son everything, 你可以想像一位父亲,把所有的一切都给予儿子,
- 36. but he asks nothing of his son. 却对儿子没有任何要求。
- 37. The boy grows up to be a teenager, 当儿子进入青少年期,
- 38. and he gets everything he asks for. 他的每一个要求都得到了满足,
- 39. He never lifts a finger to do anything around the house; 他在家里连一根手指头也不需要动。

- 40. never having any type of chores to take care of; 从没有做讨家务事,
- 41. never to help anyone else in the family. 从不帮家人做事,
- 42. He only gets and gets and gets. 只是不断的接受,接受,接受。
- 43. Then, he grows up to be a man 然后他长大成人了,
- 44. and the same thing just keeps on going. 还是维持同样的情形。
- 45. Imagine what kind of a husband he would be. 你想他将成为一个怎样的丈夫?
- 46. Imagine what kind of an employee he would be. 你想他将成为一个怎样的雇员?
- 47. Imagine what kind of a citizen he would make. 你想他将成为一个怎样的公民?
- 48. Imagine what kind of a church member he would be.
  你想他将来在教会里是一个怎样的信徒?
- 49. Would anyone in his right mind say that this son is healthy emotionally, let alone spiritually? 任何一个心智健全人都会认为,这个孩子在心理和灵性上是个健康的人吗?
- 50. No. 不会的。
- 51. In the same way, God was training His people to be emotionally and spiritually healthy. 同样的,神也要训练祂的百姓,成为心理和灵性上都健康的人。
- 52. In the same way, God longs for those who claim to be saved by His grace 同样的,神也盼望所有愿意靠著祂的恩典得救的人,
- 53. to be emotionally and spiritually healthy. 在心理和灵性上都能健康。
- 54. How does He do that? 神怎样达到这目的呢?
- 55. By teaching them to give of their substance. 就是让他们拿出自己拥有的东西。
- 56. You receive salvation by grace. 你靠著恩典得救;
- 57. You receive His protection by grace. 你靠著恩典得到神的保护;
- 58. You receive His provision by grace. 你靠著恩典得到神的供应;

- 59. You receive your daily needs by His grace. 你靠著恩典得到每天所需用的;
- 60. You receive guidance by His grace, 你靠著恩典得到神的引领;
- 61. and on and on and on. 以及许许多多。
- 62. What kind of a Christian will you be 你是一个怎样的基督徒?
- 63. if you cannot see it in your heart to give back to God?
  如果你不从心底愿意奉献给神。
- 64. What kind of a son or a daughter would take and take; receive and receive; get and get and give so little in return?
  为人子女的,就是一味的接受,却不懂得回报,那么,他是一个怎样的人呢?
- 65. That's why God told His people first to give ten percent to the Levites,
  因此神要求祂的百姓,先奉献十分之一给利未人;
- 66. then, the second ten percent as a first fruit; 再献上十分之一作为初熟果实的奉献;
- 67. then, a third tithe every third year, to the poor, 然后每三年再奉献十分之一賙济穷人;
- 68. and, on top of that, a free will offering. 除了这些之外,还有甘心乐意的奉献。
- 69. What is God doing? 神为什么要这么作呢?
- 70. Is He trying to make them miserable? 是否叫他们为难呢?
- 71. No. He wanted them to remember that He is the owner.不是的,神要他们记得,祂才是万有的主宰。
- 72. God told the parents to teach their children all of these things. Why? 神为什么要求作父母的,要这样教导他们的儿女呢?
- 73. So that their children grow up understanding the debt they owe to God. 这样,当儿女长大成人后就会明白,是我们欠了神的债。
- 74. Giving back to God the firstfruit not only demonstrates God's ownership, 把初熟的果实献给神,不但表明这些是属于神的,

- 75. but it also tells us to trust God. 并表明我们要信靠神。
- 76. The nature of the firstfruit is to be taken off the top, 初熟果实的意义表明,所献上的是最好的,
- 77. not the leftover. 而不是剩馀的。
- 78. The nature of the firstfruit is both best and first, not the inferior. 初熟果实的意义代表,是最好、也是首先的,而不是次等的。
- 79. For most people are like the farmer who owned two calves, 大部分的人都像这个有两头牛的农民一样,
- 80. one brown and one white. 他的牛一头是棕色的,一头是白色的。
- 81. He told his family that he was going to give one of them to the Lord, 他对家人说,他要把其中一头奉献给神。
- 82. but he did not say which one 但他没说奉献哪一头牛,
- 83. or when he will give it to the Lord; 也没说什么时候奉献。
- 84. so, when one of the calves died, 当其中一头牛死了,
- 85. the farmer shook his head and said, "Too bad! The Lord's calf died." 农民摇摇头说,糟糕,神的那头牛死了。
- 86. That kind of attitude, when it is practiced, brings the judgment of God. 如果我们存这种心态来奉献,神要审判我们。
- 87. God said, in Malachi 3, 玛拉基书第三章那里,神说:
- 88. "Will a man rob God? 人岂可夺取神之物呢?
- 89. Yet you rob me." 你们竟夺取我的供物。
- 90. "But you ask, 'How do I rob you?' 你们却说,我们在何事上夺取你的供物呢?
- 91. In the tithe and offering. 就是你们在当纳的十分之一,和当献的供物上。

- 92. You are cursed with a curse because you are robbing Me.."
  因你们通国的人都夺取我的供物,咒诅就临到你们身上。
- 93. and God goes on to say, 神继续说:
- 94. "Bring the whole tithe to the storehouse. Don't hold back any of it." 你们要将当纳的十分之一全然送入仓库。
- 95. In fact, the only time that God says, "Test me," was in the area of money.

  事实上神只说过一次「试试我」,就是在金钱方面。
- 96. "Let Me show you whether I would not open the windows of Heaven 以此试试我,是否为你们敞开天上的窗户,
- 97. and pour My blessings on you that you cannot contain them all." 倾福与你们,什至无处可容。
- 98. Have you been praying for something and God has not answered your prayer? 你是否求神某件事,至今还没有得到答覆?
- 99. Have you considered that you may be robbing God 你有没有想过,可能你夺取了神的物?

## **SECTION B**

#### <u>乙部</u>

- and God is not going to answer prayer until you come clean with Him?
  除非你还清了你欠神的,不然神不会听你祷告的。
- Nowhere in the Bible does God say that He is delighted in self centered, spoiled children.
   圣经从来没有说过,神喜悦那些以自我为中心,被宠坏的儿女。
- The tithe of the firstfruit is not only recognizing God's ownership,
   奉献初熟果实的十分之一,不仅是承认神的主权,
- 4. it is not only saying to God, "God, we trust You,"也不仅仅是对神说,神啊,我们信靠你。
- 5. but in giving, you are saying, "God, I belong to You."当你奉献时,你乃是对神说,神啊,我属于你。

- 6. In giving, you are saying, "Everything I have comes from You and I belong to You." 当你奉献时,你乃是对神说,我所有的一切都是从你而来,我属于你。
- 7. When God asked the people of God to give different things for the building of the tabernacle, 当神要求祂的百姓,为建造会幕而奉献各样的东西时,
- 8. He was not asking them to give their tithe. 祂不是要求他们奉献十分之一;
- 9. He was not asking them to give their firstfruit, 他不是要求他们奉献初熟的果实;
- 10. but He was asking them to give a free will offering.

  而是要求他们甘心乐意的奉献。
- 11. My listening friend, this is very important. 亲爱的朋友,这是很重要的。
- 12. The tithe was the test of their obedience, 十一奉献,为了要试验他们是否顺服;
- 13. but the free will offering was a test of demonstrating of love and joy and a heart of worship.
  甘心乐意的奉献,则是为了试验他们,能否彰显爱心、喜乐和敬拜的心。
- 14. In Exodus 35 and 36, we read of the flood of generosity among the people. 出埃及记 35 和 36 章,我们看见百姓都慷慨的奉献。
- 15. There was a contagious spirit of giving -- 乐意奉献的心彼此感染,
- 16. so much so, that the people brought more than enough 以致于百姓所奉献的,超出了所需要的,
- 17. and, literally, they had to be restrained from giving.
  使得他们必须宣布,叫百姓停止奉献。
- 18. This was beyond the tithe and beyond the firstfruit. 这是十分之一和初熟果实之外的奉献。
- 19. Just think about this. 你想想,
- It is estimated that the cost of the tabernacle would be equal to five million dollars of our today's money.
   据估计,建造会幕的费用,相当于今天五百万美元的价值,

- 21. This is not bad for a bunch of refugees, 对那一群难民来说,真是很难得了。
- 22. but there is something else that is very important here I want you to notice before I conclude.
  在我结束前,希望你留心另一件很重要的事。
- 23. When they got swept off by the spirit of giving, 当他们被奉献的热诚席卷时,
- 24. they were transformed from being gripers and whiners into being joyful worshippers. 他们从好发牢骚、整天埋怨的人,转变为喜乐的敬拜者。
- 25. Nothing would make you a more joyful person than the spirit of giving.

  再没有比一颗乐意奉献的心,更能使你成为一个喜乐的人了。
- 27. Everyone gave. 人人都奉献。
- 28. The same thing happened when David challenged the people to give a free will offering for the building of the temple. 当大卫呼吁百姓为建造圣殿来奉献时,也是同样的情形。
- 29. Listen to what he said in 1 Chronicles 29. 请听他在历代志上 29 章里所说的话。(代上 29:1-9)

代上 29:1 大卫王对会众说:「我儿子所罗门是神特选的,还年幼娇嫩;这工程甚大,因这殿不是为人,乃是为耶和华神建造的。

代上 29:2 我为我神的殿已经尽力,预备金子作金器,银子作银器,铜作铜器,铁作铁器,木作木器,还有红玛瑙可镶嵌的宝石,彩石和一切的宝石,并许多汉白玉。

代上 29:3 且因我心中爱慕我神的殿,就在 预备建造圣殿的材料之外,又将我自己积蓄 的金银献上,建造我神的殿,

代上 29:4 就是俄斐金三千他连得、精链的银子七千他连得,以贴殿墙。

代上 29:5 金子作金器,银子作银器,并藉匠人的手制造一切。今日有谁乐意将自己献给耶和华呢?」

代上 29:6 於是, 众族长和以色列各支派的 首领、千夫长、百夫长, 并监管王工的官 长, 都乐意献上。

代上 29:7 他们为神殿的使用献上金子五千 他连得零一万达利克,银子一万他连得,铜 一万八千他连得,铁十万他连得。

代上 29:8 凡有宝石的都交给革顺人耶歇, 送入耶和华殿的府库。

代上 29:9 因这些人诚心乐意献给耶和华, 百姓就欢喜,大卫王也大大欢喜。

- 30. My listening friend, as I conclude, I want to tell you this. 亲爱的朋友,在结束前让我告诉你,
- 31. David measured their loyalty to God by their willingness to give. 大卫以他们奉献的热诚,来衡量他们对神的忠心。
- 32. To give tithe and firstfruit because God commands us to, 我们奉献十分之一和初熟的果实,因为这是神的命令,
- 33. and then we give free will offerings. 同时,我们也甘心乐意的奉献。
- 34. We give tithe and firstfruit because God commands it; 十一奉献和初熟的果实是神命令的奉献,
- 35. but, then, we give free will offering because we have discovered and experienced the joy of giving,
  但当我们经历了奉献的喜乐后,就会甘心乐意的奉献;
- 36. and, when we discover the joy of giving, we want to give all the more. 当我们经历了奉献的喜乐后,我们就更乐意 慷慨奉献了。
- 37. To those of you who have never committed your life to Jesus Christ as your Savior, 如果你还没有将自己的生命交给耶稣基督,还没有接受祂为你的救主,
- 38. you need to begin by giving Him your life first, 你需要先把自己的生命交给祂。
- 39. for He wants you before He wants what's yours. 在你献上你所有的之前,先让祂拥有你的生命。
- 40. Will you do that today? 你今天就愿意这么作吗?

- 41. It is my prayer that you will. 我祈求神你愿意。
- 42. Until next time, I wish you God's richest blessing.

愿神大大地赐福给你,下次节目再会。