

"SCHOOL OF DREAMS"



YEAR OF THE
SUPERNATURAL

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WEEK 3 - PART 3

Principles of Dream Interpretation

Definition

- ❖ A fundamental truth that serves as the foundation for a system of dream Interpretation
- ❖ A fundamental source or basic element of dream Interpretation
- ❖ Concept, Theory, Fundamental, Essential, Ground Rules for dream Interpretation

Proverbs 2:6 - For the Lord gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding.

Daniel 2:21 – "...He gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to those who have understanding".

5 STEPS OF BREAKDOWN

- I. SOURCE
- II. KEY ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS
- III. KEY ACTION
- IV. KEY EMOTION
- V. INSTRUCTIONS & STRATEGY

The 5 Breakdown Steps

1.SOURCE

Discerning WHO is behind the dream! Is the dream from God or from the enemy or just mind over matter!

2 Timothy 3:16-17 - All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for **doctrine, (Kingdom beliefs system)** for **reproof, (Rebuke in love)** for **correction, (Amend, rectify an error)** for **instruction in righteousness**, that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly **equipped for every good work.**

John 10:10 - The thief does not come except to **steal, and to kill, and to destroy**. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

1 Corinthians 12:10- "To another discerning of spirits..."

Job 33:16 - Then He opens the ears of men, and seals their instruction.

- **Pray and ask God to reveal the source of the dream**
- **Look at the key emotion and actions in the dream to determine the source**

2. KEY ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS

Highlight all the key elements or symbols or objects in the dream.

E.g.: Place – Person – Objects – Animal – Dates - Time – Angel etc...

3. KEY ACTION

Write or describe the main activity or action in the dream; running or sleeping or fighting etc...

4. KEY EMOTION

What is or are the KEY emotions you felt in the dream? Was it fear or faith? You need to identify emotion(s) expressed.

<u>GOD</u>	<u>Kingdom of Darkness</u>
Faith	Fear
Love	Hatred – Bitterness
Warning & Instruction	Condemnation
Liberation	Bondage & Oppression
Conviction	Assault
Hope	Hopelessness

5. INSTRUCTIONS & STRATEGY

God reveals to redeem – There is always an instruction, strategy, or plan of action from every dream. What is God saying?

What is the enemy intending to do, and what am I supposed to do about it?

Remember Joseph in Genesis – gave Pharaoh the interpretation and strategy for his dream.

Isaiah 48:3 -Time and again I warned, cautioned and hinted you about what was going to happen in the future. Then suddenly I took action and all my predictions came true

Daniel 2:22-He reveals deep and hidden things; he knows what lies in darkness, and light dwells with him.
= **I. S. V.** + *He uncovers the hidden dimensions from darkness, bringing what is in deep shadow to light.*

PRINCIPLES

A. Always Identify the SOURCE of your dreams whether it's from God - Enemy or Self

B. Do not ignore any minute detail in your dreams - these details are key to understanding your dream

C. Do not try to interpret your dreams with your own mind or understanding. Dreams have a language of their own.

E. Dreams are spiritual experiences not physical - You need to have a spiritual mindset to understand your dreams. - **1 Corinthians 2:14**

F. Do not ignore the symbols in your dreams - Look for key details in each dream

G. Dreams can be direct or in most cases symbolic.

H. Always pray about your dreams - If its demonic, cancel and reverse it BUT if positive embrace it and seek instructions out of them

I. You need God Holy Spirit to help you understand.

J. God still speaks through dreams - so pray always and ask HIM to speak to you in your dreams.

K. Ask for the Spirit of Understanding and Counsel.

L. Do not take demonic dreams lightly - They are a means of attacks, assaults from the kingdom of darkness (John 10:10 - Steal - Kill - Destroy)

M. Take control of your dream life - Do not allow the enemy to show your dream at will - This is your life and soul and need your permission.

Interpretations Belong to God!

1. **From the Life of Joseph—Gen. 40:8**—*"Then they said to him, 'We have had a dream and there is no one to interpret it.' Then Joseph said to them, 'Do not interpretations belong to God? Tell it to me, please.'"*

2. **From the Life of Daniel—Dan. 1:17,20**—*"As for these four youths, God gave them knowledge and intelligence in every branch of literature and wisdom; Daniel even understood all kinds of visions and dreams. ... As for every matter of wisdom and understanding about which the king consulted them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and conjurers who were in all his realm."*

3. **From the Life of Issachar—1 Chr. 12:32**—"*Of the sons of Issachar, men who understood the times, with knowledge of what Israel should do, their chiefs were two hundred; and all their kinsmen were at their command.*"

4. **1 Cor. 12: 7,8**—"*But to each one is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. For to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, and to another the word of knowledge according to the same Spirit.*"

5. **Summation** – What God did before, He wants to do again!

ASSIGNMENT

EXAMPLE OF A DREAM

In the early hours of the morning, I had a dream that was so intense I can't remember all of it and was asking ABBA what it really meant?

In the dream, It was as if I was on a journey through woods and rivers: It was somewhat like a challenge because a lot of people were there - on that same journey.

I got to this place and I had to sing a song to cross over but didn't know the lyrics. I then asked about the lyric and while I was in the process of asking a rush of people came through and I was caught up in an avalanche. ..

I was very frightened and tried to get out of the dream. But my body started to experience different feelings. When I awoke I couldn't move; I couldn't talk and the Lord said to me – “No delay” – Now is the time, get moving.

Please submit your Answers to the follow questions

1. Who is the SOURCE of this dream?
2. What is or are the Key Emotion(s) in this dream?
3. What are the Key details (elements) in this dream and what do they mean or signify?
4. What is the Key action in this dream?
5. In your assessment what is missing in this dream?
6. Try to interpret this dream?
7. What counsel would you give to the dreamer?
Strategy!