

July 4, 1994, Evening Sacrifice      Boston

Discerning the Body of Messiah

*(We had a celebration to welcome Nehemiah, Darda, Zachariah and Tabitha who came from Manasseh to help us get ready to open our cafe.*

*(James shared about how thankful he was to be in this life with everyone — his brothers and sisters — and how thankful he is for our Master saving him.)*

When James was talking, I saw Messiah in him — it was just like Yahshua was here speaking through him. We can discern the Body of Messiah. This is a wonderful thought — that the Spirit of Messiah lives in us. We no longer evaluate each other according to the flesh, but we see each other as extensions of His love. If we are not discerning the Body we are eating and drinking judgment upon ourselves. That's reality — it's like Messiah is here speaking. We are the Body of Messiah (*Yoneq goes over and touches James*). That's who we are — the very Body of Messiah that He dwells in.

We need to see our Master in each other and don't harm one another — don't react to one another. If we discern the Body we'll submit to each another — Messiah in "you" (plural) — the hope of glory that He want to lavish on us (collectively).

The Father will honor whoever serves Him — like Nehemiah and Darda and their family. Our Father is honoring them because they serve Him where He is (in the Body). Our Father can honor each of us through each other — honor your brother as higher than yourself. Do you understand this? When we do we'll be different — we will never react adversely to one another again if we see Yahshua in His Body. We will forebear with each others faults and temperaments, not evaluating according to the flesh, but overlooking attitudes — forbearing with one another. Do unto others as you would have them do unto you. We will be judged on whether we do it or not.

Let's give our bodies as a living sacrifice — give ourselves to Him.