



The Way Things Should Be

Side-by-Side Operation

IMPORTANT: This topic only relates to the family unit of a husband and a wife. It does not have relevance to any other set of relationships, situations or circumstances.

We are a new species, we are not normal human beings. Having been born-again by the Spirit of God, we are back where Adam was in Eden in regard to who we are as sons of the Living God. Therefore, both ‘Adams’ and ‘Ezers’ of today must become who they were created to be. This means we need to change. The change requires us to alter our functionality, because the metamorphosis has already taken place, but we have to emerge as the appropriately operating being, every day.

For us then, every day will have to change. So, what is the meaning of each new day for us?

Our creator placed us on Earth for a purpose. Every day is about fulfilling our role in this purpose. Our days are not about us. We can make them self-centric, but that's not what we are alive for. We know we were originally placed here to manage the Earth for our creator. We were given the responsibility to administrate Earth for the Kingdom of Heaven. With this in mind, let's look at Adam and Ezer as they live life carrying out their God-given responsibilities.

Adam and Ezer have different functions, which is why each of them must become who they were created to be. They both aren't Adams, despite each being classified as ‘sons’ of God. ‘Sons’ is a relational function between us and Father. However, Adam and Ezer need to function relationally with each other in the way that it was determined for them by God.

We don't have any say in our function, it was given to us when we received our gender. Yes, our sex determines our roles and functions. Adam and Ezer have equity, not equality – equal but different. They are both sons who have equal standing before God, but that have different roles.

NOTE: Today, if Adam doesn't have an Ezer or Ezer doesn't have an Adam then what is covered in this talk is not applicable.

Once married, Edenic roles must come into play with all of Father's sons. These roles could be expressed this way:

General Adam has as his Kingdom partner, Colonel Ezer.

Why this arrangement? Adam was given precedence over Ezer as Ezer was given to him as a support for the tasks he had been assigned to undertake.

Many object to what I've just stated, but there is a spiritual principle operating here: ‘The initial, or what comes first, has precedence over what comes next or is subsequent’. This means that the first always has priority, unless God intervenes to alter the arrangement.¹

- First-born was always sacred and dedicated to God, both man and beast²
- First-born male was always the heir

1 – Romans 9:12 (NKJV) – “The older shall serve the younger.” [from Genesis 25:23].

2 – Exodus 13:2



There are OT examples of this alteration of priority: (1) Jacob was the younger twin of Esau but he became heir; (2) Vice-regent Joseph was one of Jacob's youngest sons; (3) King David was the youngest in his family; (4) King Solomon was one of David's youngest sons. Here are some NT examples: (1) The 'Second Adam' (Jesus) replaced the first, fallen Adam as our forebear; (2) The Melchizedek priesthood replaced the Levitical priesthood; (3) The New Covenant replaced the Old Covenant.

This reversal is NOT the case with Adam and Ezer.

Ezer is equal to Adam as a son, heir and administrator of Earth, however, she functions under Adam's leadership. She is not a law to herself or a maverick operator.

Each member of the team is significant and essential. As they focus on their work together there is no sense of being unequal because each is highly valued.

Now, this is very important. Together, today's Adam and Ezer are a single unit, set in place to function as the original humans were to function. They are to become one person³ and operate as one.

Their union is meant to be **total oneness in action**. We've missed out on this component of oneness because we've been taught about sexual oneness and not total oneness. This incomplete teaching comes from Paul's statement about the spiritual implications of adultery with a prostitute where "the two become one flesh".⁴

Adam & Ezer today are to be a close-knit team working together on the affairs of life, family and the Kingdom. The team is not a democracy, although many would like it to be that way. The team is not a despotic empire, although many treat it as such (both men and women). The team works side-by-side in harmony under the headship of the King and the direction of the Spirit.

They have a major Kingdom assignment for their union, which is their main purpose, over and above their natural and life purposes. None of these are to be ignored, or undertaken in a less than an excellent manner. The major assignment needs to be known as quickly as possible so they can be about their joint Kingdom business before the affairs of life encroach on it and extinguish it in their lives. The affairs of life must not overshadow the Kingdom life. VIZ – notice the injunction here:

2 Timothy 2:4 (NKJV) – *No one engaged in warfare entangles himself with the affairs of this life, that he may please him who enlisted him as a soldier.*

2 Timothy 2:4 (AMP) – *No soldier in active service gets entangled in the [ordinary business] affairs of civilian life; [he avoids them] so that he may please the one who enlisted him to serve*

Adam leads the team. He receives instructions from the Spirit as to what they are to do and then they do it together, side-by-side – as one. There is discussion between them, if need be, but unnecessary wrangling destroys the unit's effectiveness. What Ezer receives from the Spirit is for sharing with Adam, for their joint Kingdom assessments, it is not to be taken as a permit to move on without being checked. Ezer is also responsible to check what Adam receives so there is balance.

~ Synergy as they work as one ~

Not all your questions have been answered in this topic. I will be covering them in subsequent sessions. Please allow what I have presented here to be used by the Spirit to retrain you.

3 – "The two become one flesh". The Hebrew word for 'flesh' also means 'person' or 'body' (Genesis 2:24; Matthew 19:5)

4 – 1 Corinthians 6:16



On the next page are some video clips that exemplify the way that Adam and Ezer should operate like in teamwork. These “Examples of Working Partnership” videos show how a team works in harmony where the 2IC⁵ submits totally to the commander, producing a synergy that sees the job done efficiently. These examples are of working animals who have such a wonderful relationship with their handler that they respond to them instantaneously without having to be told. They operate in oneness of purpose and mind.

NOTE: Hear my heart – By using human-animal teams in my choice of video examples I am not inferring in any way that Ezer is to be treated like an animal or that she is inferior to Adam. Having experienced the wonderful productive relationship that I had on the farm with stock horses and sheep dogs, I believe these are the closest examples of the teamwork that is needed in the Kingdom. Observe the teams in action as each is responsive to the other, while keeping a strong focus on the task at hand. Watch the working partner responding ideally to the desires or instructions of the handler. You have to experience the relationship with a working animal to understand the love and commitment they have for each other and the energy they both put into the work they do together.

*“Your life is significant
because I see it and
share it with you”*



Quote from the 2004 movie "Shall We Dance"

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Examples of Working Partnership

- ✓ Sheepdog and young handler compete - Part 1 _ Extraordinary Dogs.mp4
(www.youtube.com/watch?v=ykWmFLQARB0)
- ✓ 2011 AQHA World Show Senior Cutting.mp4
(www.youtube.com/watch?v=rYWt8i3bq2s)

Some Additional Examples

- Beautiful Sheepdogs (Border Collie _ Collies) in training.mp4
(www.youtube.com/watch?v=tumhp4O_IR0)
- Houston Rodeo Professional Cutting Horse Competition.mp4
(www.youtube.com/watch?v=nCRzUjn4I7I)