Understanding-Understanding



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<u>Mishle-Prov.4: 1-5-Binah/Understanding-All binah emanates from Abba YHWH.</u> Attending to His understanding is our task as talmidim. The word in Hebrew for carpenter is "banah." The Banah is the Builder who holds all things together by what He built. So binah/understanding and builder/banah are interchangeable terms and can mean understanding, carpenter, or builder.

Mattiyahu/Matt. 13:

53 And it came to pass, that when Yahshua had finished these parables, He departed from there.

54 And when He had come into His own country, He taught them in their synagogues, so that they were astonished, and said, from where has this Man this chochmah, and these mighty mitzvoth?

55 Is not this the Carpenter's Son?

Yochanan Moshe 6: 3 Is not this the Carpenter, the Son of Miryam, the brother of Yaakov, and Yoseph, and of Yahudah, and Shimon? And are not His sisters here with us? And they were offended by Him.

The citizen asked in a sod/hidden understanding "is not this the Builder's Son?" The Builder is Abba and His Son Yahshua? In the sod they were recognizing, or asking if the Builder of the universe, or "Understanding Himself," had sent His Son? Another word "ben" means son and is also derived from 'binah."

So the full revelation of Moshiach is that the understanding Son of the Builder had arrived with all understanding of Abba YHWH as to how to build the family of Yisrael renewed.

Tehillim 104:3 Who lays the beams of His rooms in the mayim: who makes the

clouds His mirkavah: who walks on the wings of the wind:

YHWH and His Son are seen as Eternal Craftsmen, or Builders.

<u>Tehillim/Ps.127: 1</u>- Except YHWH builds the bayit; they labor in vain that build it. That is why not man, in or out of the land of Yisrael, but only YHWH, will bring Ezekiel's 2 sticks together as the Master Builder!

Divre HaYamim Bet /Second Chronicles 2:12-Shlomo/Solomon was said to have both binah/<u>carpentry skills</u> and understanding, in order to banah, or build in the physical. Solomon depicted here is a foreshadow of the personification of understanding, which would find its spiritual fulfillment in "Yahshua the Carpenter/Binah," building (banah) His Father's renewed Nation of Yisrael (Ephisyah/Eph. 2: 19-22, Mattityahu/Matt.13: 54). The physical building of the Beit HaMikdash is an allusion, or drash to this greater cosmic truth.

In Yisrael, a father was responsible for building up the family in Torah. Thus as "The Ben," Yahshua is the foundation of Abba's Binah.

In Greek the word for carpenter is "Tekton." Tekton can also mean the "begetter" So (Mattityahu/Matt.13: 54-55) could also read: "Is not this the Begetter's Son?" Manifesting binah, or understanding, <u>Yahshua was both the Begetter's Son and the Builder's Son</u>, <u>manifesting binah by His mighty acts of construction, or mighty works/mitzvoth, of the building plans of Abba."</u>

Note that in Hebraic thought the name of the Father Binah and His Son Binah is the same. Both are YHWH HA BINAH/Builder/Understanding One! Tehillim/Ps.119: 100 tells us that Yisrael's shamashim, or leaders/kings were builders "etbanon" of Abba's house on Abba's precepts of Torah. Their divine binah/understanding allowed Yisrael to be built, just like Yahshua's understanding allows Yisrael to be rebuilt.