

The Dream of Bin Laden



At approximately 6 a.m. on April 24th I was in a rather deep sleep and overheard a conversation. It was odd. I did not see anything or anyone but I heard voices. It was similar to the experience in April of 1998, when I heard the voice of the Lord say, "It is my will for the Governor of Texas to be the next President..." I saw no person but heard the voice. In retrospect it reminds me of what Paul said about his vision on the road to Damascus, when he saw the light and heard the voice of Christ. The men with him did not see the light but heard the voice (Acts 9:7).

On April 24, I heard the voices of a group of military men discussing how the United States had killed Osama Bin Laden. They were frantically saying the body must be identified and they were preparing tests to prove it was him. When I woke up I thought, "How odd. The U.S. has looked for him for years and maybe we are about to get him." I *assumed* if they were trying to identify the body, the U.S. must have used a drone and blown up a building or cave.

The following morning I told Mark Casto and Gina Bean that I had a very unusual experience; in a dream like state I heard that the U.S. had killed Bin Laden. A week later when the news broke that a special Ops team had killed the world's most wanted terrorists, immediately Mark texted me and was amazed – just as I was. The dream voices I heard were actually real voices and I apparently overheard the discussion of the military!

As I meditated on how this was possible, I remembered the Syrian army was planning an invasion of Israel; when Elisha prayed the Lord permitted him to hear the conversation among the Syrians. He then gave a warning to the king of Israel that the Syrians were coming. When the Syrians marched through the land there were no Israeli military camps anywhere in sight!

We often think that in a dream we must SEE something. However, it is possible in a dream like state to actually hear something just as you would see something. It may not be as common as dreaming, but it is none the less possible. I do feel very humbled and even fearful when something like this occurs and the Holy Spirit allows me to see an event before it happens. However, it is a sign of the last days when God will pour out his spirit upon all flesh, and "Old man will dream dreams and young men shall see visions" (Joel 2:28-29). We should be humbled and yet not surprised when the Holy Spirit reveals future events to those living in this generation. This is one of several ways that people know the Lord still speaks today, when He reveals events before they occur. Let's keep praying. There is more to come!

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