HELEN SANDERS 7-6-2025 TWO SETS OF EYES

Every healthy human being is born with a set of eyes. Unlike animals whose eyes are closed for a few days, a baby opens their eyes shortly after birth and can see. As they grow, they recognize their mother and father, and if taught, see the beauty of nature. Their physical eyes are keen to their surroundings.

There is another set of eyes that God wants us to have. These eyes are our "eyes of understanding" which see things in the spirit. They see when things are "off" and do not line up with scripture, and they see the light in another Christian's eyes.

Paul wrote to the church at Ephesus. The once blinded Paul on the Road to Damascus was offering spiritual insight to that church. He did not want them "blindsided" by false teachings or legalistic dogma.

In Ephesians 1:8, he gives this decree: "The eyes of your understanding be enlightened: that ye may know what is the hope of his calling and what the riches of glory of his inheritance in the saints."

The word understanding implies from the Greek "dianoia" which means divine or human thought. God wants us to have 20-20 vision in the spirit. He does not want us to walk around blindly in the dark.

As we study the scriptures, our spirits are fed, which then brings light to our soul, our minds, will, and emotions. This process brings light in areas that we were "blind" in and allows us to see as God sees.

Two sets of eyes? Oh, yes, we need both, because they are necessary to see in the natural realm and the spiritual realm.

If you are not seeing things spiritually as you should, put your name in that verse and speak it over yourself. The light will come, and you will see clearly.