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(While meditating on Scripture.....)
(Specifically Matt. 12:47~50)

Matthew 12:47-50

- ⁴⁷ Then one said unto him, Behold, thy mother and thy brethren stand without, desiring to speak with thee.
- ⁴⁸ But he answered and said unto him that told him, Who is my mother? and who are my brethren?
- ⁴⁹ And he stretched forth his hand toward his disciples, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren!
- ⁵⁰ For whosoever shall do the will of my Father which is in heaven, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.

(Thinking....)

- A mother ministers to, cherishes, loves on her child.
 - Jesus said these are my mother.
 - Many scriptures say that we are to minister to the Lord or as unto the Lord.

(As with an infant child in all it's Beauty, Glory and Innocence)

- When a mother loves on her child she sees them in all the beauty and glory that she perceives them to be.
 - When she minister's to her child she receives into her EVERYTHING she believes and knows that child to be.
 - She freely receives from the child as she freely gives to him or her.

This is what happens when we minister unto and love on the Lord.

- We receive unto us EVERYTHING we know and believe Him to be.

This adds a little better understanding unto the scripture.

James 4:8

⁸ Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse *your* hands, *ye* sinners; and purify *your* hearts, *ye* double minded.

Purify your hearts = know the Love of God.

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