

BE HUMBLE - KNOWING GOD THRU SURRENDER

YOU GOT THE POWER!- HE GAVE YOU HIS SPIRIT

Eph. 1.17-19// Acts 1.7,8

Eph. 1.17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of Him. 18 I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened, so that you will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, 19 and what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe

Ac 1:7 He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or epochs which the Father has fixed by His own authority; 8 but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth."

REVIEW: PAUL PRAYS FOR THEIR EYES TO BE OPENED

INFORMATION` ABOUT JESUS

Jn 17: 3 "This is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.

UNDERSTAND YOUR CALLING AND PURPOSE

Ro 8:28 And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

2Ti 1:9 who has saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to His own purpose and grace which was granted us in Christ Jesus from all eternity,

GOD GAVE US HIS BEST WHEN HE GAVE JESUS

John 3.16 "

Ro 8: 32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him over for us all, how will He not also with Him freely give us all things?

YOUR VALUE IS BASED ON WHO IS IN YOU

- GOD WANTS TO INTRODUCE YOU TO A GRACE BASED VALUE SYSTEM

Eph 2:8 For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; 9 not as a result of works, so that no one may boast. 10 For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

GOD DOES EXPECT AN ROI! [RETURN ON INVESTMENT]

FULFILL YOUR PURPOSE

WOMAN CAUGHT IN ADULTERY- GO AND SIN NO MORE
MAN WHO HAD A LEGION OF DEMONS- GO TELL YOUR FAMILY

1Ch 16:23 Sing to the LORD, all the earth; Proclaim good tidings of His salvation from day to day. 24 Tell of His glory among the nations, His wonderful deeds among all the peoples. 25 For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; He also is to be feared above all gods. 26 For all the gods of the peoples are idols, But the LORD made the heavens. 27 Splendor and majesty are before Him, Strength and joy are in His place. 28 Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, Ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. 29 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; Bring an offering, and come before Him; Worship the LORD in holy array. 30 Tremble before Him, all the earth; Indeed, the world is firmly established, it will not be moved. 31 Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; And let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns."

HE GAVE YOU HIS SPIRIT

INTRODUCTION

ILLUSTRATION: IS THE POWER ON IN THE REST OF THE HOUSE?

DID YOU DROP THEM RECENTLY?

SIR, DID YOU PLUG IN THE DEVICE?

IS THE SWITCH TURNED ON?

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS THE MOST MISUNDERSTOOD PART OF THE GODHEAD. HE HIT ME.....IT HIT ME. BUT IF WE SIMPLY READ SCRIPTURE WE CAN UNDERSTAND THE HOLY SPIRIT AND HIS WORK IN OUR LIVES.

THE IDEA OF POWER IS INTERESTING WHEN YOU CONSIDER HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE POWER HUNGRY. WE HAVE THE EXAMPLES LIKE LAST WEEKEND OF THE BROKEN AND ABUSED WHO FEEL THRY HAVE NO WORTH. THEN WE HAVE THE RISE OF NARCISSISM AND A KIND OF ARROGANT PRIDE THAT IS ACCEPTED EVEN IN THE CHURCH.

BUT THIS POWER IS GIVEN TO BRING GOD GLORY AND EVERY BELIEVER NEEDS TO BE AWARE OF THIS POWER AND WALK IN IT.THIS POWER TURNS YOU INTO AN INSTRUMENT OF GOD'S GLORY. YOU WIN OVER SIN, YOU WIN OVER THE ENEMY, YOU WALK IN THE WORD AND YOU BECOME SOMEONES SOLUTION!

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HE LITERALLY HAS GIVEN YOU THE SAME POWER THAT RAISED JESUS FROM THE DEAD!

Ro 8:11 But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

YOU HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED HIM

Ro 8:9 However, you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. But if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Him. The Holy Spirit Lives in Every Believer!

HE IS THE SOURCE OF OVERWHELMING POWER

Eph 3:20 Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, 21 to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.

HE IS THE POWER THAT GIVES YOU VICTORY OVER SIN

ROM. 8:12 So then, brethren, we are under obligation, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh-- 13 for if you are living according to the flesh, you must die; but if by the Spirit you are putting to death the deeds of the body, you will live.

HE IS THE KEY TO YOUR UNDERSTANDING TRUTH

Jn 16:12 "I have many more things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 "But when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth; for He will not speak on His own initiative, but whatever He hears, He will speak; and He will disclose to you what is to come. 14 "He will glorify Me, for He will take of Mine and will disclose it to you. 15 "All things that the Father has are Mine; therefore I said that He takes of Mine and will disclose it to you.

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HE WAITS FOR YOU TO SURRENDER TO HIM

Jn 7:37 Now on the last day, the great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. 38 "He who believes in Me, as the Scripture said, `From his innermost being will flow rivers of living water.'" 39 But this He spoke of the Spirit, whom those who believed in Him were to receive; for the Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

TURN ON BY ASKING..... LUKE 11.13

WHAT MAKES YOU ASK? THIRST

The Power Flows Through YOUR WORDS TO OTHERS.....YOU MUST KNOW THE WORD!!!!!!