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## **Bishop's Notes**

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### **REP THE KINGDOM - WEEK 3**

**Sermon Title: MULTIPLY AND TAKE DOMINION**

**Scripture Reference:**

That is why the Scriptures say, “How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!””

Romans 10:15 NLT

### **REVIEW: BE FRUITFUL**

**BE FRUITFUL.....THIS IS A SIGN OF LIFE (MARK 11)**

#### **1. YOUR FRUIT IDENTIFIES YOU**

**Matthew 7:20** - Yes, just as you can identify a tree by its fruit, so you can identify people by their actions.

**FRUIT BEGINS IN:**

1. ATTITUDE
2. THOUGHTS
3. WORDS
4. ACTIONS
5. HABITS
6. DESTINY

## 2. YOUR FRUIT FEEDS YOU AND OTHERS

**Galatians 5:22-23** - love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

## 3. FRUITFULNESS VERSUS BUSYNESS

- **Busy makes you tired but produces no real results.**

*Luke 14.28 - Count the cost...*

- **Busy is something you like but other people are not significantly blessed.**
- **Busy is us trying to be something we are not.**
- **FRUITFUL is God multiplying what he put in you.**

## TODAY'S TEXT

**Genesis 1:26** - Then God said, "Let us make human beings in our image, to be like us. They will reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky, the livestock, all the wild animals on the earth, and the small animals that scurry along the ground." 27 So God created human beings in his own image. In the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. 28 Then God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and multiply. Fill the earth and govern it. Reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky, and all the animals that scurry along the ground."

## INTRODUCTION

It begins with recognizing that you are **A KINGDOM AMBASSADOR.**

Then, the realization of what ambassadors do..... **KNOW GOD.....why?**

## **BE FRUITFUL.....MULTIPLY.....TAKE DOMINION**

### **1. MULTIPLICATION IS GOD'S WAY**

The original context was primarily a reference to childbearing. The long-term implication is that the kingdom is to multiply and inhabit the earth.

- **MULTIPLICATION VERSUS ADDITION**
- **DISCIPLE MAKING IS MULTIPLICATION!**

*Matthew 28:19 - Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. 20 Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."*

- **MULTIPLICATION IS A SIGN OF INFLUENCE**

Kids come one at a time....ADDITION

Grandkids come 3-5 at a time ....MULTIPLICATION

5.....25.....150

- **MULTIPLY YOURSELF**

**IF YOU DON'T LIKE WHO YOU ARE THEN CHANGE..!**

*PEOPLE CHANGE WHEN:*

- *THEY HURT ENOUGH THAT THEY HAVE TO*

- *WHEN THEY SEE ENOUGH THAT THEY ARE INSPIRED TO*
- *WHEN THEY LEARN ENOUGH THAT THEY WANT TO*
- *WHEN THEY RECEIVE ENOUGH THAT THEY ARE ABLE TO*

## **2. TAKE DOMINION.....THIS IS A SIGN OF HIS LORDSHIP**

### **DOMINATE**

- **DOMINATE YOUR DESIRES**
- **DOMINATE YOUR RESOURCES.....MONEY AND TIME**
- **DOMINATE YOUR GIFTS**

**Joshua 14:10** - “Now, as you can see, the lord has kept me alive and well as he promised for all these forty-five years since Moses made this promise—even while Israel wandered in the wilderness. Today I am eighty-five years old.:11 I am as strong now as I was when Moses sent me on that journey, and I can still travel and fight as well as I could then.12 So give me the hill country that the lord promised me. You will remember that as scouts we found the descendants of Anak living there in great, walled towns. But if the lord is with me, I will drive them out of the land, just as the lord said.”13 So Joshua blessed Caleb son of Jephunneh and gave Hebron to him as his portion of land.

### **THERE IS A PROMISED LAND RESERVED FOR YOU**

**Joshua 14:10** - “Now, as you can see, the lord has kept me alive and well as he promised for all these forty-five years since Moses made this promise—even while Israel wandered in the wilderness. Today I am eighty-five years old.

### **THERE WILL BE A BATTLE TO TAKE IT**

Joshua 14:12 - You will remember that as scouts we found the descendants of Anak living there in great, walled towns. But if the lord is with me, I will drive them out of the land, just as the lord said.”

Reflection: What are your key takeaways?

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## Homework

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1. Identify your opportunities to multiply yourself.
2. Identify where you need to take dominion.
3. List three promises you are battling for.