Valley Victory Life Group Kingdom Dominion-Jesus as Christ The Lord

Cultivate Good Relationships! "Welcome with open arms fellow believers who don't see things the way you do. And don't jump all over them every time they do or say something you don't agree with—even when it seems that they are strong on opinions but weak in the faith department. Remember, they have their own history to deal with. Treat them gently." (Rom 14.1 MSG)

If Jesus is Lord- You will do what He says

- 1. (John 14:21-24 TPT) Those who truly love me are those who obey my commands.

 Whoever passionately loves me will be passionately loved by my Father. And I will passionately love him in return and will reveal myself to him." Then one of the disciples named Judas (not Judas Iscariot) said, "Lord, why is it you will only reveal your identity to us and not to everyone?" Jesus replied, "Loving me empowers you to obey my word. And my Father will love you so deeply that we will come to you and make you our dwelling place. But those who don't love me will not obey my words.
- 2. (Luke 6:46-47 MSG) "Why are you so polite with me, always saying 'Yes, sir,' and 'That's right, sir,' but never doing a thing I tell you? These words I speak to you are not mere additions to your life, homeowner improvements to your standard of living. They are foundation words, words to build a life on.
- 3. (James 1:22-25 AMP) But be doers of the Word [obey the message], and not merely listeners to it, betraying yourselves [into deception by reasoning contrary to the Truth]. For if anyone only listens to the Word without obeying it *and* being a doer of it, he is like a man who looks carefully at his [own] natural face in a mirror; For he thoughtfully observes himself, and then goes off and promptly forgets what he was like. But he who looks carefully into the faultless law, the [law] of liberty, and is faithful to it *and* perseveres in looking into it, being not a heedless listener who forgets but an active doer [who obeys], he shall be blessed in his doing (his life of obedience).

Commented [BC1]: One of His commands is to *submit to* and *fellowship with* other believers. As Lord, Jesus has delegated authority and ability within His church. *If He is* Lord you will submit to His church and its leadership.

Commented [BC2]: Obedience to Him as Lord is the only way to enter into the riches of the unseen realm. Because people choose not to obey they cannot see WHO JESUS REALLY IS, and so they cannot move forward into the promises that are awaiting them.

Commented [BC3]: Apply what 'The Lord' says to every aspect of your life as the foundation: emotions, relationships, finances, employment, family, etc. Set aside your fears and emotions and simply obey, and see the kingdom open up to you!

Commented [BC4]: You cannot pick and choose what part of Jesus you want to embrace. IF HE IS NOT LORD, HE IS NOT SAVIOR. You cannot have the privileges of the King without obeying the king.

Commented [BC5]: Move from feeling-based living to principle-based living. Break away from an end time culture that is emotion driven. Kingdom citizens are overcomers who base their life on principles. They obey their Lord, so they benefit from His counsel and precepts!

If Jesus is The Christ-You will experience His power

- (Joel 2:28-29 NLT) "Then, after doing all those things, I will pour out my Spirit upon all
 people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy. Your old men will dream dreams, and
 your young men will see visions. In those days I will pour out my Spirit even on
 servants—men and women alike.
- 2. (Mark 1:6-10 AMP) And John wore clothing woven of camel's hair and had a leather girdle around his loins and ate locusts and wild honey. And he preached, saying, After me comes He Who is stronger (more powerful and more valiant) than I, the strap of Whose sandals I am not worthy *or* fit to stoop down and unloose. I have baptized you with water, but He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit. In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And when He came up out of the water, at once he [John] saw the heavens torn open and the [Holy] Spirit like a dove coming down [to enter] into Him
- 3. (Acts 1:4-5 TPT) Jesus instructed them, "Don't leave Jerusalem, but wait here until you receive the gift I told you about, the gift the Father has promised. For John baptized you in water, but in a few days from now you will be baptized in the Holy Spirit!"
- 4. (Romans 14:17-18 TPT) For the kingdom of God is not a matter of rules about food and drink, but is in the realm of the Holy Spirit, filled with righteousness, peace, and joy. Serving the Anointed One by walking in these kingdom realities pleases God and earns the respect of others.

Commented [BCG]: 'Christ' means 'anointed one'. The Spirit was poured out (like oil) on Jesus as the firstborn of this Joel prophecy. Jesus the Christ ushered in the age of Pentecost, when the rest of the children of the kingdom are included in the supernatural empowerment of God dwelling within them.

Commented [BC7]: In the previous dispensation The Spirit was reserved for prophets, priests and kings. Jesus finally OPENED UP FOR ALL what was unique for Old Testament leaders alone!

Commented [BC8]: The Anointed One (Christ) played the role of dispensing The Holy Spirit to God's people. To enter the Kingdom you must relate to Jesus as the Baptizer, not just as savior/teacher/lord.

Commented [BC9]: Luke 24:49 I am sending the promise of the Father upon you, you will be clothed with power from on high. Knowing God's will is not enough...you must have the power to live it out.

Commented [BC10]: Daily you must seek and walk in the Baptism of The Holy Spirit. To tap into the realm of The Spirit, and access Kingdom abilities, requires regular fresh anointings. YOU NEED ILLUMINATION & EMPOWERMENT