

GOD has a KINGDOM

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Did you know God has a literal Kingdom here on Earth! Not a Denomination, Not a Religion, Not a Synagogue, Not some man made organization etc... Did you also know Satan has a Kingdom here on Earth... you (we) belong to One or the Other whether you know it or not!

Giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. For **He rescued us from the domain of darkness**, and **transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son**, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. (Col. 1:12-14) NASB

We Now See that God's Kingdom has a SON (KING)

Why are the nations restless And the peoples plotting in vain? The kings of the earth take their stand And the rulers conspire together **Against the LORD** and against **His Anointed**, saying, "Let's tear their shackles apart And throw their ropes away from us!" **He who sits in the heavens laughs, The Lord scoffs at them**. Then **He will speak to them in His anger And terrify them in His fury**, saying, "But as for Me, **I have installed My King Upon Zion, My holy mountain**." (Psa. 2:1-6) NASB

Only ask, and I will give you the nations as your inheritance, the whole earth as your possession. **You will break them with an iron rod and smash them like clay pots**." Now then, you kings, act wisely! Be warned, you rulers of the earth! **Serve the LORD with reverent fear**, and **rejoice with trembling**. **Submit to God's royal son**, or **he will become angry**, and **you will be destroyed** in the midst of all your activities for **his anger flares up in an instant**. But **what joy for all who take refuge in him!** (Psa. 2:8-12) NLT

I say, "**Keep the command of the king because of the oath before God**. "**Do not be in a hurry to leave him. Do not join in an evil matter**, for **he will do whatever he pleases**."

Since the word of the king is authoritative, who will say to him, “What are you doing?” One who keeps a royal command experiences no trouble, for a wise heart knows the proper time and procedure. For there is a proper time and procedure for every delight, though a person’s trouble is heavy upon him. (Eccl. 8:2-6) NASB

Guard your steps when you go to the house of God. To draw near to listen is better than to offer the sacrifice of fools, for they do not know that they are doing evil. Be not rash with your mouth, nor let your heart be hasty to utter a word before God, for God is in heaven and you are on earth. Therefore **let your words be few**. For a dream comes with much business, and **a fool’s voice with many words**. **When you vow a vow to God, do not delay paying it, for he has no pleasure in fools. Pay what you vow. It is better that you should not vow than that you should vow and not pay**. Let not your mouth lead you into sin, and do not say before the messenger that **it was a mistake**. **Why should God be angry at your voice and destroy the work of your hands?** For when dreams increase and words grow many, there is vanity; but **God is the one you must fear**. (Eccl. 5:1-7) ESVS

Therefore **let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire**. (Heb. 12:28,29) ESVS

Let us **hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God, and keep his commandments**: for **this is the whole duty of man**. (Eccl. 12:13)

The **fear of man bringeth a snare**: but **whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe**. (Prov. 29:25)

And **do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell**. (Matt. 10:28) ESVS

And He summoned the crowd together with His disciples, and said to them, **“If anyone wants to come after Me, he must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow Me**. (Mark 8:34) NASB

What KINGDOM do You Belong To?

*We Know we belong to GOD (His Kingdom) because we have a witness from the Holy Spirit that lives in us! **It is the Spirit that bears witness!***

For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but **you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons**, by whom we cry, “**Abba! Father!**”
The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God.

(Rom. 8:15,16) ESVS

Most People Don't Understand What it Means to be in The KINGDOM

They relate it to their church, a denomination, a set of moral rules and regulations, or some type of Historical Dogma etc... To be in God's Kingdom means; you belong to it's KING (Jesus Christ). He Lives in you by the Holy Spirit, and you live to do His will.

The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” (John 3:8) ESVS

What? **know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?** For **ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's.**

(1 Cor. 6:19,20)

In that day **you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.** But **the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.** (John 14:20,26) ESVS

Kingdom Authority in the Name of Jesus

All of God's children have the Authority of Christ within them through the Holy Spirit. The Bible calls us Kings and Priests. We must understand the Authority we have is God's not ours. That means we must speak thru the power of the Holy Spirit (God) that is within us. We cannot speak for God or order Him around. Rather vice-versa. We have authority to use His Name, according the moving of the Holy Spirit, that's it. Anything other than that is Blasphemy.

And Jesus came and said to them, “**All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.**” (Matt. 28:18-20) ESVS

“**Any place that does not receive you or listen to you, as you go out from there, shake the dust off the soles of your feet as a testimony against them.**” (Mark 6:11) NASB

“**The one who hears you hears me, and the one who rejects you rejects me, and the one who rejects me rejects him who sent me.**” The seventy-two returned with joy, saying, “**Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!**” And he said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. **Behold, I have given you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall hurt you.** Nevertheless, **do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.**”

(Luke 10:16-20) ESVS

Though hostile nations surrounded me, **I destroyed them all with the authority of the LORD.** Yes, **they surrounded and attacked me,** but **I destroyed them all with the authority of the LORD.** **They swarmed around me like bees; they blazed against me like a crackling fire.** But **I destroyed them all with the authority of the LORD.** **My enemies did their best to kill me, but the LORD rescued me.** **The LORD is my strength and my song; he has given me victory.** **Songs of joy and victory are sung in the camp of the godly.** **The strong right arm of the LORD has done glorious things!** (Psa. 118:10-15) NLT