

WE ARE ANOINTED

We are all anointed, whether you know it or not. No, we are not anointed with oil on our forehead as during early Biblical times, but we are chosen for a sacred, high, and special purpose as a child of Christ. We are empowered and made effective for God's purposes. God has anointed us as a special calling that comes with great responsibility. We are set apart for a divine purpose.

So, what does scripture say about us being anointed, our responsibilities, and purpose:

1 Corinthians 2:12 – What we have received is not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, so that we may understand what God has freely given us.

1 Corinthians 12:27 – Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.

2 Corinthians 1:21 – Now it is God who strengthens us together with you in Christ and has anointed us.

Philippians 4:13 – I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Romans 8:37 – No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

Colossians 3:23 – Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters.

Luke 4:18 – The Spirit of the Lord is upon me because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, and to set the oppressed free.

John 14:12 – Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.

Ephesians 3:20 – Now to him who is able will do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us.

Being anointed is a powerful position that should encourage us to recognize our divine calling and purpose in sharing the good news. We are empowered to serve, heal, pray, and reflect God's love in all aspects of our daily lives. Being anointed is a reminder that we are chosen by God for His special purpose.

Amen.