

KEY ANNULMENT, AGENT, AFFIRMATION, ADVERSARY, ACTIVITY, ADDRESS

This message combines a brief look at several key truths which are covered more thoroughly in other sections in this website.

- **KEY ANNULMENT / Water Baptism** - The word annul means: to make ineffective or inoperative, to neutralize, to declare or make legally invalid eg. To annul a marriage. When a Christian is baptized, they declare their annulment from their old life and it is buried. They have entered a new covenant relationship with Jesus Christ, which is a marriage. - 2 Corinthians 11:2.
 - **KEY AGENT / HOLY SPIRIT** - Jesus was fully God and fully man while He walked this earth. However, for the most part He operated as a man fully dependent on the Holy Spirit, to show us how we could live if we did the same. The new man in Christ is empowered by the Spirit. See our section: **Life in the Spirit** for the details.
 - **KEY AFFIRMATION / FATHER'S LOVE** - Before a person starts a new job, challenge or adventure; they need confidence, assurance and affirmation. God did this for Joshua in Joshua 1 just before he is to lead God's people into the promised land. God also did this for Jesus before he entered into battle against the devil in the desert. God affirms Jesus as His beloved Son just before the devil attacks him with 'If you are the Son of God'.
 - **KEY ADVERSARY / THE DEVIL** - One key to victory in a war or athletic battle is to know your your opponents nature, patterns, tactics, strengths and weaknesses. See the Section: **Kingdom Warfare** for more details.
 - **KEY ACTIVITY / TEACHING, PREACHING, HEALING, MAKING DISCIPLES**
Preaching - To proclaim. King's give proclamations and decrees about their kingdom.
Teaching - To explain. Jesus often used parables and stories to share kingdom truths.
Healing - Jesus demonstrates power, kindness and goodness of the kingdom of God
Making disciples - There is no lasting success without successors. Jesus trains his disciples. (see the **Kingdom Wisdom** section to see recommended books on Discipleship and about Healing in the Books and Resources list).
- He who does the work is not as worthily employed as he who multiplies the doers.**
- John Mott / missionary statesman in the 20th century
- **Key Address - The Sermon on the Mount** is the greatest message ever taught. Unfortunately, it has also become the greatest sermon rarely taught in its entirety in our modern church. Our Beatitudes section goes deeper into the intro of the Sermon. The rest of the sermon will be covered in the future and we will also have a section on the Parables of Jesus.