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TALK IT OVER LIVING IN DIVINE POWER AN AUTHORITY

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God promised that every child of His, as they are filled with the Holy Spirit, would receive power. We are destined to live in the realm of the supernatural, but it is soooo easy to settle for living a life devoid of God's supernatural power. Why? It is not a power problem, but an authority issue!

Authority is *the legal right to use someone else's power*. In other words, to use someone else's power, I need permission or legal right. As parents, God gives us authority (*legal right*) to raise, instruct, and educate our children. An employer gives authority (*legal right*) to a manager to hire or fire workers. The reason why many Christians do not see miracles, wonders, and godly manifestations of His power frequently in their lives and in the people around them, is due to a lack of authority.

REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- 1. Be honest. How frequent do you see supernatural miracles from God?
- 2. What did Jesus do that left the religious leaders in awe? (Matthew 7:28-29)
- 3. What will you decide to do today, in order to begin growing in diving authority?

"When Jesus returned to the Temple and began teaching, the leading priests and elders came up to him. They demanded, "By what authority are you doing all these things? Who gave you the [legal] right?" - Mark 21:23 (NLT)

To exercise this power that dwells within you, given by the Holy Spirit, we only need authority. We all have the same Bible, the same promises of God, the same Holy Spirit that gives us access to the same power of God. Where we are not equal is in the level of authority. So the question remains: How do I get authority in order to use God's power?

Authority is only obtained through obedience and radical submission to God's Word. Jesus, the son of God, was the ultimate example of a life submitted to the Father (John 5:30).

Challenge your group and make a pact before God to submit in obedience and submission to Him. Then, it's just a matter of time before you see God's supernatural power at work! Class # 9

UPCOMING EVENTS

FAMILY EASTER JAM (Whole Family Event) EASTER SERVICES NEXT STEPS COURSE Sat, March 6 (10am – 1pm) Sunday, March 7 (10am & 12pm) March 7 (9am via Zoom or Live)