

LIVE AND OPERATE AS ONE UNDER AUTHORITY – part 2

Strong Families, Great Churches

Matthew 7:29

Mat 7:29 for He was teaching them as one having authority, and not as their scribes.

People know who we are under. People can taste our food and know if it's good or not. If we want to live healthy, healthy diet starts at home. We must live under authority. We must become one with the authority, not just having authority. The scribes practice wrongly but Jesus set the standard. Every time we stand up, demons must recognize who we are. They must recognize what we carry. When we become the way God wants us to be, the demons will know who you are and we are exercising authority. We can jam the devil's system and he cannot operate anymore.

We must not delay our miracle. Don't deny ourselves the miracles that God wants to give. He wants to give us the best and the best way is to be under covering.

1. We know that God has all authority and power

God is the sovereign ruler. When we get connected to the Lord Jesus Christ and submit ourselves to Him, and grow in our relationship we will receive authority from the One who is authority. When we receive Jesus, authority will flow. When we receive the Holy Spirit, we will receive the power from on high. God is all authority and power.

2. He will share His authority with those He has chosen

God chooses us to take charge. God gives us different things and assignment but it is His authority that keeps the devil away. He wants us to extend His Kingdom and this gospel of the Kingdom must be preached to the ends of the world. We preach about healing and healing will take place. If we sow the seed, the Holy Spirit will confirm it. If it is a good seed, the Holy Spirit will confirm it. If we sow bad seed, demonic spirits will be attracted to it.

When things come into our life, we praise God for our trials. When things happen we will know who we are and the quality of life we carry. If we don't have authority, we cannot get the job done.

If we don't grow in relationship with God we will not grow in authority. Don't rejoice in the power display but rejoice because we are connected to the source of Life. He is not ruling alone. He is ruling together with the church.

3. We know the church carries the greatest potential to manifest His Kingdom authority here on earth.

If we become the church (His Body) we become connected and we will set up the church well. God will invest all authority into the House and we can rule the region. The devil tried everything possible to destroy the house. We must build the church well and give the highest honor to the house. This is God's House, His work, His sons and His place. Every week give our live back to Him.

When the church comes to the right place and become stronger and there is peace, joy and synergy in the house, God will invest more and we can take charge of the nations. God gives us an extended assignment. The church has the greatest potential to manifest the maximum authority.

When things happen in our house or mind, we must take charge. Whatever does not come under the government of God will become tools for the enemy. That's why God raises the church to push down darkness and corruption.

God wants us to be free so that the church can be strong. We must do anything possible to make the church strong and keep it strong.

4. Those who are connected and committed with covenant in the house will carry the chain of authority.

We must build the house strong and don't allow the enemy divide us. Don't send the wrong people to represent us. God uses us because we choose to represent Him. Every leader in the Bible was raised up for God's people. God spent time with these men so that they can deliver the people. God allowed Moses to suffer so that he can become an answer to Israel. Leadership is a difficult place. At the end of the day we cannot do what we want because we are raised up not for ourselves.

To be a good leader is difficult. At the end of the day, we have to lose ourselves in order to find our place. At the end of our serving it is always about the people. Most people want power only for themselves and that's why they are useless leaders.

We must be grateful to good people. One thing that is very difficult to find in the house is good people. We must not sit back but move forward. We must rise to build the house of God. The next 6 months give ourselves fully to the house; time and energy because we believe the church is the greatest manifestation. Ask the Lord to use us.

5. We grow in measure of our authority by developing our relationship with God

All authority is in His hands. All power is in His hands. If we want to go higher in spiritual authority, we must become better. If we know what God wants, then God can help us get it done. The bible is clear. We have to be strong in the Lord. The way we relate to God will increase our spiritual authority. Our position and role function in the house determines the kind of authority we will have.

Men are never allowed to be powerful with all authority. Only Jesus has it. We can have authority according to the responsibility given to us. We cannot have authority to the nations unless we have the mandate.

6. The words we speak when we are under authority will release the government of God

Luk 7:6 Now Jesus started on His way with them; and when He was not far from the house, the centurion sent friends, saying to Him, "Lord, do not trouble Yourself further, for I am not worthy for You to come under my roof;

Luk 7:7 for this reason I did not even consider myself worthy to come to You, but just say the word, and my servant will be healed.

Luk 7:8 "For I also am a man placed under authority, with soldiers under me; and I say to this one, 'Go!' and he goes, and to another, 'Come!' and he comes, and to my slave, 'Do this!' and he does it."

The words we say are words of authority when we are under authority. All the people below us will respond. When we are under authority, we can exercise authority. Our words will become powerful. When we are under proper authority and when the words are spoken, the job must be done.

If we don't listen to the top authority and we act upon ourselves, then we have usurped the authority. If we cannot see ourselves becoming responsible to anybody, we are a dangerous leader.

7. The goal of exercising authority is to move people and to get the work done.

Anything beyond this will be called abuse. The authority God gives to us is for building. As a leader sometimes we have to let people go if they decided not to follow but make their own decision.

As a follower, follow the leader. When the leader says pull, we pull. When the leader says push, we push. We must not let the work suffer.