

1. THERE IS POWER IN THE NAME OF JESUS.

- OVER AND OVER AGAIN IN THE SCRIPTURE WE READ HOW PEOPLE USES THE NAME OF JESUS, "WHAT EVER YOU PRAYED IN MY NAME," "THERE IS NO OTHER NAME GIVEN SUCH POWER", "THAT In Jesus' name ALL KNEES SHALL BOW AND ALL TONGUE SHALL CONFESS".
 - **THE DEVILS ARE POWERLESS BECAUSE OF HIS NAME**
 "When the seventy-two disciples returned, they joyfully reported to him, "Lord, even the demons obey us when we use your name!"
 Luke 10:17 NLT
 - **THE DEMONS WERE CAST OUT IN HIS NAME**
 "These miraculous signs will accompany those who believe: They will cast out demons in my name, and they will speak in new languages. They will be able to handle snakes with safety, and if they drink anything poisonous, it won't hurt them. They will be able to place their hands on the sick, and they will be healed."
 Mark 16:17-18 NLT
 - **HEALING OCCURRED IN HIS NAME**
 "But Peter said, "I don't have any silver or gold for you. But I'll give you what I have. In the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, get up and walk!"
 Acts of the Apostles 3:6 NLT

 "“Through faith in the name of Jesus, this man was healed—and you know how crippled he was before. Faith in Jesus’ name has healed him before your very eyes.”
 Acts of the Apostles 3:16 NLT

 "Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers and elders of our people, are we being questioned today because we've done a good deed for a crippled man? Do you want to know how he was healed? Let me clearly state to all of you and to all the people of Israel that he was healed by the powerful name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the man you crucified but whom God raised from the dead."
 Acts of the Apostles 4:8-10 NLT
 - **SALVATIONS COMES THROUGH THAT NAME**
 "There is salvation in no one else! God has given no other name under heaven by which we must be saved."
 Acts of the Apostles 4:12 NLT

 "For "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."
 Romans 10:13 NLT
 - **WE ARE TO BAPTISE IN HIS NAME (Matt. 28:19).**
 "Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."
 Matthew 28:19-20 NLT
 - **YOU ARE JUSTIFIED THROUGH HIS NAME (1 Cor. 6:11).**
 "Some of you were once like that. But you were cleansed; you were made holy; you were made right with God by calling on the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God."
 1 Corinthians 6:11 NLT

2. GOD HAS GIVEN ALL BELIEVERS THE AUTHORITY TO USE HIS NAME.

- **ITS AVAILABLE FOR ALL BELIEVERS**
 - Mark 16:17-18 And these signs will follow **those who believe**: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues; 18 they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them, they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover."
 - He said, "Those who believe."
 - So If you're a believer you have this authority **is available to you.**
- **POWER OF ATTORNEY.**
 - **Matthew 28: 18** Jesus came and told his disciples, "I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth.**19** Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations,**[b]** baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. **20** Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."
 - **Concept of Power of Attorney.**
 - When you are unable to be present for contract signing.
 - You can appoint someone to represent you.
 - But he needs to bring a document called 'POWER OF ATTORNEY'
 - A legal document which says 'IM GOING BACK TO HEAVEN, SO IM GIVING YOU THE AUTHORITY THROUGH MY NAME, TO STEP ON SCORPION, TO CAST THE DEVIL, TO HEAL THE SICK, TO PREACH TO THE POOR AND TO PRONOUNCE FREEDOM TO THE BONDAGE! AND YOUR SIGNATURE IS AS STRONG AS MY SIGNATURE'
 - It doesn't matter whether you are rich enough or not.
 - It doesn't matter whether you are qualified enough or not.
 - It doesn't matter whether you have the right education or not.
 - **Most Christian doesn't understand this:**
 - "Oh I'm not holy enough"
 - "Oh I'm not rich enough"
 - "Oh I'm not a pastor"
 - YOU DON'T DO THIS WITH YOUR AUTHORITY, WHEN YOU ACT IN HIS NAME, YOU STEP INTO GOD'S POWER AND AUTHORITY.
 - YOU DON'T DO THIS WITH YOUR HOLINESS, YOU DO THIS WITH GOD'S HOLINESS.
- **WHY ARE YOU CRYING OUT TO ME?**
 - EXODUS 14:12 Didn't we say to you in Egypt, 'Leave us alone; let us serve the Egyptians'? It would have been better for us to serve the Egyptians than to die in the desert!"
 - 13 Moses answered the people, "Do not be afraid. Stand firm and you will see the deliverance the Lord will bring you today. The Egyptians you see today you will never see again. 14 The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still."
 - 15 Then the Lord said to Moses, "**Why are you crying out to me? Tell the Israelites to move on.16 Raise your staff and stretch out your hand over the sea to divide the water so that the Israelites can go through the sea on dry ground.**
 - **21 Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the Lord drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land.** The waters were divided, 22 and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left.
 - **"WHY ARE YOU CRYING OUT TO ME?"**
 - MANY OF US, I HAVE GIVEN YOU THE AUTHORITY.
 - THE POWER IS IN YOUR HAND. STOP CRYING OUT TO ME!
 - YOU'VE GOT TO USE IT, START THE ENGINE
- Mark 14:12-14 "Most assuredly, I say to you, **he who believes in Me**, the works that I do he will do also, and greater works than these he will do, **because I go to My Father. 13 And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. 14 If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.**

• GIVE AS FREELY AS YOU HAVE RECEIVED! #DONTBESTINGY.

Jesus Sends Out the Twelve Apostles

MATTHEW 10 Jesus called his twelve disciples together and gave them authority to cast out evil^[a] spirits and to heal every kind of disease and illness.

- **5** Jesus sent out the twelve apostles with these instructions: "Don't go to the Gentiles or the Samaritans, **6** but only to the people of Israel—God's lost sheep. **7** Go and announce to them that the Kingdom of God is near.^[d] **8 Heal the sick, raise the dead, cure those with leprosy, and cast out demons. Give as freely as you have received!**
- When dealing with the enemy (Satan) in our lives, or in other people's lives, we do not always have to pray, sometimes we have to open our mouth and "lay hands" in the name of Jesus.
- John 16:23 And in that day you will ask Me nothing. Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give you.

3. EXERCISE IT!

- **"CAN I PRAY FOR YOU?"**
 - Get this in your vocabulary.
 - But I'm not a pastor, **yes but you're a believer.**
 - But I'm not perfect yet pastor, yes but you're a believer. Its not out of your pocket, its out of God's pocket.
 - Its not out of your credit card, its out of God's credit card. So SWIPE IT!
 - GET IT OUT!
 - GIVE IT! DON'T BE STINGY.
- **THE ENEMY WANTS TO KEEP YOU KEEP IT TO YOURSELVES!**
 - Acts 5:40-42 And they agreed with him, and when they had called for the apostles and beaten them, **they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus**, and let them go. 41 **So they departed from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for His name. 42 And daily in the temple, and in every house, they did not cease teaching and preaching Jesus as the Christ.**
 - The devil is afraid of the name of Jesus because when it is released in faith anything can happen.
 - Satan could have worked for generations putting a family in bondage and one believer with great faith in the name of Jesus can break all of his power in a moment.
 - GET IT OUT!!!!
 - GET THAT NAME OUT!
 - BECAUSE WHEN YOU GET THE NAME OUT, YOU GET THE POWER OUT!