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DEDICATION

*To my Lord, my Master and my Friend
the only true God, Jesus Christ*

*To all the great warriors of faith who paid the price
to bring Christ to our nation.*

*Special mention of Taumata a Kura, Bishop William Williams,
Tahu Potiki Wiremu Ratana, and many others...*

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FOREWORD

Num 13:27-28

27 *They gave Moses this account: "We went into the land to which you sent us, and it does flow with milk and honey! Here is its fruit.*

28 *But the people who live there are powerful, and the cities are fortified and very large. We even saw descendants of Anak there. (NIV)*

Num 13:30

Then Caleb silenced the people before Moses and said, "We should go up and take possession of the land, for we can certainly do it." (NIV)

"Ka mate! Ka mate! Ka ora! Ka ora!"

All New Zealanders know of the 28th (Maori) Battalion and the reputation they gained as fearless fighters during the Second World War. In 1941, on the island of Crete, along a sunken road named 42nd street, the Maori Battalion, along with other Kiwi and Australian troops, found themselves under fire from a fresh German regiment. The company commanders gave orders to fix bayonets and prepare to go over the top and charge the Germans. When the command was given, however, no one moved.

Then a Maori soldier, Hemara Aupouri, got to his feet and on his own initiative shouted the haka "*Ka mate! Ka mate! Ka ora! Ka ora!*" Armed only with a Bren Gun magazine, which he clung to as if it were a patu (stone club), and frothing at the mouth he dared the Germans to draw nearer. His actions inspired his companions and consequentially they joined him in the haka then charged, followed by the rest of the Kiwi and Aussie troops, wiping out that German regiment.

The spiritual analogy is that for too long God's people have been pinned down in the trenches of defeat and despair by the enemies of hell and intimidation. For many decades insecurity, fear, unbelief, injustice, poverty, addictions and violence have kept people in a place of defeat. Yet it only took one warrior to awaken to his courage and climb up out of the trench of defeat, which in turn inspired the entire army to rise up, fix bayonets and charge their enemy, wiping them out. So also God is seeking to awaken Maori and Pakeha — Nga Toa a te Atua (the warriors of God) — to rise up and destroy the works of the devil over our people and our nation as Joshua did in his day and as Jesus did in His day. For the body of Christ this is our day to rise above the enemies of our souls and to release our people from spiritual bondage through the Gospel of the Kingdom, in Jesus name.

Purpose of book

1 Jn 3:1

Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God: therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew him not.

1 Jn 4:17

By this, love is perfected with us, that we may have confidence in the day of judgment; because as He is, so also are we in this world.

This book is for all Christians whether Maori, European or otherwise who have a burning desire to extend the Kingdom of God — it is also aimed at a rising new generation of apostles, prophets and leaders in the body of Christ. From a culturally prophetic point of view we are living in a time in this nation where Maori need to learn to minister in a more relatable way as Maori to Maori. Some will need to break off decades of religious systems that are restricting their cultural expressions of love and service to Christ and the body of Christ. This doesn't necessarily mean a blanket acceptance of everything in Maori culture. The wisdom and discernment of the Holy Spirit will reveal how to use the gifts of the culture for the glory of God.

History tells the story of Taumata a Kura on the East Coast from 1836 onwards and the tremendous response of Maori to Christ as Maori ministered in the power of God.

This book will take you beyond from just being a Sunday Church member. Jesus' ministry flowed out of a son-ship relationship with God. The teaching in this book will help give you a new perspective of your son-ship relationship with God which is the key to moving in His supernatural power. This decade as Maori and European we will show grace to each other as we understand our true identity as sons and we will move forward in unity to extend the Kingdom of God in Aotearoa.

I am in development stage of forming a training school in Tairāwhiti that will train, empower and then deploy spiritual warriors to the fields of service in the nation and the nations of the earth. The school will provide practical training that empowers them to live and minister as a son of God. For New Zealanders it will provide a biblical viewpoint and prophetic understanding of Maori before and after the treaty which will help bring greater understanding of the Lord's plan of reconciliation of all races in this nation Aotearoa and to the nations of the earth.

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INTRODUCTION

“You will go to Gisborne and raise up a warrior Church for Me.”

DIVINE VISION TO MINISTER IN THE TAIRAWHITI REGION

Before sharing the message that God has placed on my heart, I want to tell you a little of my background so that you understand how the Lord has dealt with me about the Church in Gisborne and His will for it.

In late 1989, during my morning time of prayer in my home in Oamaru, I was suddenly taken up in a vision where I was suspended in the sky above a place I had never visited, which I recognised as Poverty Bay. I saw many *waka taua* (war canoes) sitting on the shimmering silver water of the bay. Most of the waka were empty. The Holy Spirit spoke audibly and said,

“You will go to Gisborne and raise up a warrior Church for Me. Train them to move in the nine gifts of the Holy Spirit and the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit. When you go to this place, as you speak what I tell you, I will draw them to you to train and then they will take their place in their waka.”

I then saw warriors rising up from out of the land and filling the waka. Then I saw a wind come from the East and, without any warrior paddling the waka, the waka began to move from the sea and onto the land. The Holy Spirit spoke again and He said,

“When the waka are ready and in My time by the wind of My breathe / spirit I will send them into the city, the East Coast, Aotearoa, and then to the shores of distant nations on the earth and they shall carry My message of hope and breakthrough.”

At the time of this vision neither I nor my family had ever been to Gisborne and we knew nobody living there. So it was with great anticipation that my wife Jess, our two children, and I drove into Ormond Road on 14 January 1991. It was an extremely hot summer’s day – more than 37 degrees – and the tar was melting. A roadside stall was selling huge watermelons for a mere \$2 each; I felt I had arrived in paradise.

On Sunday 28 April that year we held our first Church services in Te Hapara School Hall with a morning and evening service. The Church grew rapidly from an initial attendance of 31 people to a congregation, four years later, of 500. Many ministry groups from the Church have since been sent to all major cities of the nation and throughout the world.

MIRACLES AT TE REINGA

If you have a gift that can help improve the quality of people's lives then you also have a duty and a responsibility to those people.

It was an exceptionally hot day as I drove from Gisborne to Te Reinga to say *karakia* (prayer) over a house, which its occupant felt was haunted. As I drove past the Hangaroa River I said to Trev, my assistant pastor, sitting next to me, "Bro, we're going to jump in the river on the way home and cool down." I would have jumped in there and then, but my friend Zac was waiting for me with a house full of people interested in hearing about the God who had healed him of a long term back complaint.

When we arrived at the Te Reinga turnoff there were several people waiting in the house. There was also the smell that someone had been smoking something other than cigarettes. Zac introduced me to his friends and then I shared with them how much God loved them and how He had a great destiny for their lives. One of the men, Hongi (though that's not his real name), said he smoked dope to ease the pain in his back which he had broken in two places while playing Polo Crosse eight years earlier. He could not bend down and touch his toes and was in constant pain.

I sat him down on a chair and asked him to put his feet together so I could see if one of his legs were longer than the other. One was at least an inch longer, from which I knew his hips were out of alignment. As I prayed his hips literally moved back into their normal position and the other foot grew out to its correct length to the amazement of the onlookers. I told him to get up and test his back to see if it felt better. When he stood up he could hardly talk; in fact he looked shocked. He asked, "What did you do to me?" "I did nothing," I said. "I just prayed for you and the healing Spirit of Christ flowed into your body. How do you feel?" "I can't feel any pain."

For the next 20 minutes I watched him walk around the outside of the house, stopping, bending over and standing up again, and then shaking his head in bewilderment. That night he threw all his dope away and committed himself to God's will for his life.

It was an exciting trip home as Trev and I marvelled at the goodness of God and feeling very humbled at having been part of something so *tapu* (sacred). By the way, we did stop on the way home and cool off in the swift flowing waters of the Hangaroa River.

A few days later Hongi came to my house and told me his brother was an ordained Ringatu minister and would I come and talk to him about this Jesus who has power to heal people today. I said, "Sure, let's go." We went to a house in Kaiti and walked around to the backyard. It was a hot day and two men and a woman were sitting at a bench table under the sun umbrella. We greeted and then Hongi's brother Hone (not his real name) said, "My grandmother believed that Ihu (Jesus) had power to heal, so I believe what you did to my brother is real."

“I didn’t heal your brother,” I replied. “I liken it to this – I am just the hose through which the water flows. I am but a man and I have no powers to heal and, although it was my prayer, it was God’s power that healed your brother.”

“Would you pray for me?” Hone asked.

“Sure. What do you need prayer for?”

“I broke my tailbone two years ago and I haven’t worked since and I am in pain,” he explained. He also said he suffered from sugar diabetes. His uncle standing next to us asked for prayer as well as he had lung congestion. His sister also wanted prayer as she too had diabetes.

I prayed for them one by one and then I asked how they felt. They all said they felt much better. Hone told me there was no more pain in his tailbone. We then had a cup of tea and some *kai* (food) and then said our farewells.

The following Sunday Hone brought several members of his family to Church and they all asked if they could dedicate their lives to Jesus Christ. Hone then said would I come and speak to his *whanau* (extended family) in Wairoa about this Ihu of whom I preached. A couple of weeks later I was speaking to about 20 people at his sister’s house in Wairoa; which resulted in several more dedicating themselves to God’s will for their lives.

For the next three years Hone took me onto marae at Te Reinga and Ruakituri and we travelled through to Ruatahuna, Minginui and Murupara sharing the message and power of Ihu. Many people testified that they were healed of what were described as incurable sicknesses, including diabetes, cancer lumps, arthritis, cataracts and deafness.

Every Sunday between 20 to 30 people would drive to Gisborne from Wairoa and Te Reinga to attend our services; which were being held at the War Memorial Hall in Bright Street.

Although hundreds of people had amazing experiences through God at those services, we only recorded a few of them. A selection is presented in the next chapter.

MORE MIRACLES IN THE TAIRAWHITI REGION

Lil was in her seventies and she too lived at Te Reinga. She came to one of our services at Te Hapara School Hall (1991) on crutches. I met her in the foyer after the meeting. I asked her,

“Do you want to walk without those crutches?”

She said,

“Yes.” After I prayed for her she collapsed on the ground and lay on her back. Suddenly she sat bolt upright and then lay back flat again. She looked as surprised as me. This happened three times. The third time it occurred I said,

“Stand up.”

I went to help her up and as she was reaching for my hand the Holy Spirit said to me,

“Let her stand up without you helping her.”

So I withdrew my hand. To our amazement she pulled herself up without any difficulty and walked out the door carrying her crutches over her shoulder. I never saw Lil using crutches after that.

After one service a mother told me that her 14-year-old son who was born stone deaf in one ear could now hear. I said,

“That's wonderful. What happened to him?”

“His ear opened when you prayed for him on Sunday.”

“I remember praying blessing over him but I knew nothing of his ear.” I said.

Well he left that meeting healed and for a few days after he was asking us to stop talking so loud. His mother told me some time after, that his school grades had improved and that he had become part of the school music team; something he always longed for.

Church at Lawson Field Theatre (1994) had finished when I saw Tiny coming across the car park carrying her little granddaughter.

“Sorry I'm late,” she said. “I had to drive all the way up from Hastings to bring my *moko* (grandchild) to you. Can you pray for her leg?”

Her *moko* was crying and in obvious pain and I saw that the bottom of her right leg from the kneecap down was twisted at an unusual angle. Tiny explained,

“She was born like this and she can't walk without pain.”

As I placed my hand on her and prayed I notice the leg twisted into shape instantly and appeared to look normal. The baby had also stopped crying. I said to Tiny,

“Put her on the ground and I'll hold her while you move a few meters away. When I let go of her she will walk to you.”

“But she can't walk on it,” Tiny protested.

Hoping for a miracle she placed her on the ground while I held her. When I let her go she ran to Tiny with no pain whatsoever.

THE HEALING RIVER KEEPS FLOWING

A few years later I was called to Napier Hospital to pray for Tiny herself. The prognosis was that she was dying. She couldn't hold down any water or food. Lying on her bed she looked terrible. Her skin colour had a yellowish tinge to it. She was glad to see me and smiled when I said I would pray for her. I sensed in my spirit that she wasn't suffering so much from a medical condition but rather it was what some call "Mate Maori" or "Maori sickness" which has a spiritual cause rather than just physical.

As I prayed for Tiny she began to thank God. Then she just sat upright smiling and saying she felt better. In fact she grabbed a glass of water and gulped it down and then climbed off the bed and started walking. The nurses, who were looking through the observation windows, rushed into the room to see what had happened, but Tiny said she felt great. She was discharged soon after and she lived for at least another 15 years.

In 1993, a Ringatu minister took me to visit a lady called Moana who lived at Te Reinga. She had to walk with a stick and hobbled with a great limp. He told her of the healings he had personally experienced and of members of his own family he had seen healed through prayer in the name of *Ihu Karaiti* (Jesus Christ). He suggested she allow me to pray for her. I took her outside and told her to walk toward her clothes line which was about 10 meters away. I told her,

"When you turn around to come back you will be healed in Jesus' name"

She hobbled off toward the clothes line and as she turned it appeared as if an electric shock came over her. She let out a shriek and then suddenly started walking fast and without a limp back to us.

In 2010, the mother of two close friends was rushed to A&E at Gisborne Hospital with what appeared to be a stroke. They were told she had a brain bleed and was in a coma. When I got to hospital the family had gathered for what appeared to be their final goodbyes. The outlook was not good as she was totally unresponsive. She lay on the hospital bed with an oxygen mask on and was hooked up to a monitor. While praying for her there was no immediate sign of change. I continued to quietly pray for her, but only saw slight movement when the Holy Spirit said to me,

"When you leave this place I will raise her up."

So I said goodbye to everyone. As I walked out she opened her eyes, sat upright and ripped the oxygen mask off her face. She got off the bed only to have the nurses restrain her and put her back in bed. Although she spent several months in rehab, today she is totally recovered and enjoying life.

As he did for these people, God has released His mercy and power to hundreds of others throughout the Coast from Ruatoria to the Urewera. Before any of God's people ventured to do something great for Him and humanity they first had to know who they were in Christ.

Chapter 1. Who am I?

IDENTITY CONNECTS US TO DESTINY:

Our sense of destiny is greatly affected by our sense of identity. It is a belief in who we are that inspires us to achieve things that others may say cannot be done.

Before any of God's people ventured to do anything great in life for Him and humanity, they first had to know who they were.

THE AGE OLD QUESTION, WHO AM I?

Exodus 3:11

11 But Moses said to God, "*Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh*, and that I should bring the children of Israel out of Egypt?"

12 So He said, "*I will certainly be with you*. And this shall be a sign to you that I have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall serve God on this mountain."

- Moses had to deal with his sense of identity in God before he could confidently grasp his God ordained destiny.
- He was born a Hebrew who was a despised race by the Egyptians but he was raised in the household of Pharaoh as an Egyptian. Although he appeared to have two identities it was the identity God gave him that connected him to his great destiny.
- Likewise we also must deal with the identity question of "WHO AM I" once and for all if we want to be the generation that makes our city our nation and our world a better place.
- We need to know our son-ship identity in God.

"Nga Toa a Te Atua!" "Warriors of God!"

WHO ARE THE HIGHEST ORDER OF CREATED BEINGS?

- Jesus operated with authority over the works of darkness because He was firmly established in knowing His identity. When the 12 leaders of Israel went to invade the land of Canaan, 10 of them were filled with discouragement and fear when they saw the giants of the land. They had no sense of courage or authority because they had no deep revelation of their true identity as warrior sons.

However Joshua and Caleb were awakened to their identity as warrior sons of the God of Israel and thus they had an authority they used to conquer the giants.

- In our land there are many giants that have robbed our people of their courage to rise up and take possession of their potential in life.
- The giants of discouragement or despair or past guilt and shame or the giant of illiteracy and lack of self belief. For others they have been conditioned by a victim mentality where they are now under the authority of the giant of addictions such as alcohol or drugs or pornography.

Before we can confront and conquer our giants we need authority but before we can have authority we need to understand our true identity in God.

We need to see ourselves as He sees us and we need to believe in ourselves as He believes in us and we need to be the warrior people He created us to be...for good not evil, for construction of a better future not destruction.

YOUR IDENTITY IS IN THE ORDER OF CREATION AND CREATED BEINGS.

1. God the Creator:

God the Father is like the architect of creation and His son is like the builder while the Holy Spirit is the power by which creation has been built. Gen1:26 (Let us make man)

2. Created beings in heaven:

From scripture we see that in heaven there are created beings such as angels, seraphim and cherubim, creatures, elders, humans and even animals. Rev 19:11

3. Fallen created beings on earth:

We also see from scripture that on earth there are created beings that have fallen away from the glory and grace of God. Lk 10:18, Rom 5:12, Rom 3:23

- God created an angel called Lucifer now called satan who, because of his pride and rebellion, was cast out of heaven and now roams the earth as a fallen spirit being.
- He rules over millions of other fallen evil spirits which have different rankings of authority such as principalities and demons. He was on the earth when God created Adam and Eve. Dan 10:13, 20 / Gen 3.
- So the order of created beings under God the creator would look something like this.

***Note: This is not doctrine it is simply the writer's personal opinion.**

3rd HEAVEN (Home of the creator.)

God the Father

God the Son

God the Holy Ghost

Created beings in heaven:

Angels

Creatures

Seraphim

Cherubim

24 elders

Animals

EARTH (Created beings on earth.)

Mankind (Adam & Eve)

Satan

Principalities

Demons

Animals, mammals & plant life and micro life

When God created man He placed him as the highest order of created being on earth and gave him the relationship of being **a son**. ***This title He gave to no other created being in heaven or on earth, angelic or animal. Lk 3:38***

Luke 3:38 (NAS)

The son of Enosh, the son of Seth, the son of Adam, **the son of God**.

Man, the highest order of created being.

- God gave man authority over all the creeping things on the earth which would include satan who was in the form of the serpent.
- From the beginning of time God's plan for man has always been that he would be in a son ship relationship with Him as well as have total dominion and authority over satan and his works.

Genesis 1:26

26 Then God said, "Let Us make man in OUR IMAGE, according to **OUR LIKENESS**, let them **HAVE DOMINION** over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, **over all the earth** and **over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth.**" = (serpents & scorpions symbolic of demonic powers.)

Genesis 1:28

28 Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and **SUBDUE IT; HAVE DOMINION** over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and **over every living thing that moves on the earth.**" = (all evil spirits, bacteria, germs, disease, etc.)

THE TREASURE / TAONGA WITHIN.

- Adam had something even more precious than just the position of highest order of created being on the earth. ***It was his relationship with God as a son.***
- Therefore mankind's original identity with God *was always to be as His sons.*

*(Sons of God is a generic term including male and female.)

WHAT IS SONSHIP?

- Webster's new world college dictionary defines son ship as the relationship between a father and a son.

BIRTHRIGHT.

- Merriam-Webster defines birthright as a right, privilege, or possession to which a person is entitled by birth.

Because of Adam's relationship with God as his son by right of birth he was given authority to rule over the natural realm of the earth as well as the spiritual realms of the earth.

That means he was originally given dominion over the power of the serpent the devil.

Gen 3:1 / Rev 20:2

Adam allowed the devil to rob mankind of his son ship and birthright and through the power of sin on humanity he has ruled the human race by default for thousands of years.

Satan robbed the first Adam of his son ship identity and authority.

Genesis 3:1, 4-5

- 1 Now *the serpent was more cunning than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made.* And he said to the woman, "***Has God indeed said,*** 'You shall not eat of every tree of the garden?'"
- 4 Then the serpent said to the woman, "***You will not surely die.***
- 5 For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and ***YOU WILL BE LIKE GOD,*** knowing good and evil."

- The attack mode of satan is to discredit God's word and sow doubt into man's mind about his identity. Adam and Eve already knew their identity and that they were ***already made in the likeness of God*** but satan sowed the seed of doubt about God's word (has God indeed said) which sows doubt about them being in God's likeness.
- Satan also tried to place doubts into Jesus regards His identity as the son of God.
- This is an ongoing satanic ploy toward believers in Christ...to discredit God's word and sow doubt into their hearts and thus rob them of their true spiritual identity.

GOD – Matt 3:17 = This is My beloved son.

Satan – Matt 4:3 = If you are the son of God.

Prove it by doing something

Sonship is a state of being not a state of doing.

***Note: This is not doctrine it is simply the writer's personal opinion.**

Man's position *before* sin.

HEAVEN (Home of the Ccreator.)

God the Father

God the Son

God the Holy Ghost

Created beings in heaven:

Angels

Creatures

Seraphim

Cherubim

24 elders

Animals

EARTH (Created beings on earth.)

Mankind (*Adam & Eve Gen 1:26*)

Satan

Principalities

Demons

Mammals, animals, plant life,

Marine life, birdlife, micro life.

Man's position *after* sin. (After Adam gave away his identity.)

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Unredeemed mankind (*sons of first Adam Rom 3:23, 6:23*)

Mammals, animals, plant life,

Marine life, birdlife, micro life.

Man's position *after* Jesus died for his sin.

HEAVEN (Home of the creator.)

God the Father

God the Son (*Redeemed sons of last Adam Eph 2:6.*)

God the Holy Ghost

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Redeemed Mankind (*Redeemed sons of last Adam Lk 10:19.*)

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Mammals, animals, plant life,

Marine life, birdlife, micro life.

Chapter 2. Lost sonship authority restored.

To understand our true identity we need to look at God's original purpose for man and his order of created beings on the earth. We know that in the garden of Eden Satan deceived man into giving up his spiritual authority and it wasn't until 4000 years later, when Jesus destroyed the power of sin over man, that His sonship relationship with God was restored and His spiritual authority over Satan reinstated. At the beginning of the creation of man it was always God's intention that man was to be the highest order of created being.

It is important to know, at this point, that first man is called the first Adam and Christ is called the last Adam. Both are responsible for birthing two different human races. So it is written: "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam, a life-giving spirit. 1 Cor 15:45 (NIV) When the first Adam sinned he effectively cut off man's sonship relationship with God. Thus, man was robbed of his identity as a son of God and lost his authority as well. Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all men, because all sinned. Rom 5:12 (NIV) For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. Rom 6:23(KJV)

Ora - Gisborne House of Breakthrough Church 2006 Ora had already received healing for other sickness in her body in the past however a lump had slowly grown on top of her head; the size of a pea. As a nurse with her medical background, she knew it was a cancerous growth. After I prayed for her she went back to her seat and felt for the lump but to her amazement it had completely disappeared.

JESUS CHRIST DIED ON THE CROSS TO RESTORE BACK TO MANKIND HIS RELATIONSHIP AND HIS IDENTITY WITH GOD AS A SON.

All who believe in Jesus are free from the sin they inherited through the first Adam, free from their lost identity forever and restored back into relationship with God as their father and to their true identity as a son of God. Nga Toa a te Atua (warriors of God).

“Consequently, just as the result of one trespass was condemnation for all men, so also the result of one act of righteousness was justification that brings life for all men. For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so also through the obedience of the one man the many will be made righteous.” Rom 5:18-19 (NIV)

“God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.” 2 Cor 5:21 (NIV)

What God's word says of believers in Christ:

John 1:12

But *as many as received Him, to them gave He power to **become the sons of God**, even to them that believe on His name:*

□ *Because you have received Christ you are now a s_____ of _____.*

Eph 2:6

And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ

Jesus:

- Your position of spiritual authority is now s_____ with C_____ in
h_____ p_____
- God the Father has placed Jesus as the highest authority in all creation whether in heaven on earth or under the earth throughout all times, seasons and generations in this world and in the world to come.

Eph 1:20-21(KJV)

20 Which He wrought in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead, and set Him at His own right hand in the heavenly places.

21 Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come:

- Where Christ is seated is where you are also seated in your spiritual position.
- Where are you seated with Christ?

Far above a____ p_____ and P_____.

- This is why we, as God's sons, have authority over the demonic realm.

Luke 10:19(KJV)

Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Mark 16:17-18(KJV)

17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

YOUR SONSHIP IDENTITY:

John 14:12(KJV)

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on Me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto My Father."

- Some Christians think that moving in the supernatural works of Jesus is only for Apostles, Prophets and Evangelists or for special people; however Jesus didn't say that.
- Who did Jesus say would do the works that He did and even greater works?

He that b_____ i____ J_____.

- Do you believe this?

Mark 16:17-18(KJV)

17 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In My name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

- Who does Jesus say these supernatural signs would follow?

He that b_____ i___ J_____.

- Do you believe this?

1 Jn 4:17(KJV)

Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgment: **because as He is, so are we in this world.**

- As Jesus is righteous in heaven so we are also righteous on earth. (2 Cor 5:21)
- As Jesus was empowered by the Holy Spirit to destroy the works of the devil when He was in this world so we also are empowered by the Holy Spirit to do the same in this world, now, today. (Acts 10:38 + Acts 1:8 + Mk 16:17-18 + Lk 10:19)

Jesus is = *All conquering authority over sin, death, hell and every work of the devil.*

When shall we be as Jesus is? = I_____ t_____ w_____.

Discuss.

How are you going to apply this? Imram = Information, meditation, revelation, application = manifestation! The pure seed and 7 types of soil / heart receptions. = Lk 8:5-15

“But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto Me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.” Acts 1:8

“Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.” Luke 10:19

God says to you that in Christ you are His son. He has seated you with Christ in a place that is of the highest order of creation. He has empowered you with the Holy Spirit. He has given you all authority over the power of the devil and his works.

Alice - Te Hapara school Gisborne 1991. She had degeneration of the spine which was crippling her. This was spurred on by a car accident. She had been suffering in pain for 18 months when I first prayed for her. After prayer her pain decreased by about 50%. The Holy Spirit revealed she had to forgive the person who caused the accident; which she did. After this she was 100% completely pain free and has since resumed tennis, gardening and a career.

Born once into a spiritually conquered race

Through the first Adam all men lost their identity as sons of God and became prisoners to the power of sin, death and the devil. Therefore all who are born into the first Adam are born into a spiritually conquered human race.

1 Cor 15:45(NIV)

So it is written: "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam, a life-giving spirit.

Born again into a spiritually conquering race

Through the last Adam all men regain their identity as sons of God and are free from the power of sin, death and the devil. Therefore all who are born again into the last Adam are born into a conquering human race. God's word says this of believers in Christ, “But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name.” John 1:12

First Adam versus last Adam

B_____ once into f_____ A_____ r_____. A conquered race.

B_____ a_____ into the l_____ A_____ r_____. A conquering race.

“For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.” Rom 6:23 (KJV)

“And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus.” Eph 2:6

Philip - Oamaru 1990 RSA: Through a word of knowledge the Holy Spirit gave me, I called out a man who had a fear of cancer. Philip came forward and said that over several weeks a growth had developed on his hand and that it was growing, and he was afraid to go to the doctor because he thought it might be a skin cancer. I prayed for him and he went back to his seat. He told me later, that as he was going back to his seat, the growth started twitching and that by the end of the service the growth had almost completely disappeared. This reminds me of the 10 lepers who asked Jesus to heal them. As they went from Jesus' presence they were healed.

ORDER OF CREATED BEINGS AD:

Father		
Son = redeemed sons (<i>Born again last Adam conquering race.</i>)		
Holy Ghost		
ark angels, angels, etc.		
satan		
principalities		
demons		
sin, sickness, curses		
creation		
<i>fallen man... (Born into Adams conquered race)</i>		
animals		
creation		

Eph 2:6

And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus:

Who is a son?

Someone who knows the devils and disease bow to the presence of Christ in them.

Acts 19:15(KJV)

And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know, but who are ye?

2 Cor 4:7(KJV)

But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.

Jules - Oamaru 1988. Jules was a mother of 4 and for years had suffered constant pain in her back as a result of a childhood accident. As I prayed for her back, her leg began to tremble, and then grow out before our eyes. She shook so much that she fell off the chair. She then tested her back by lying on the floor and bending over; which was something she couldn't do before without pain. She experienced no pain whatsoever.

Who is a son?

Someone who knows that Jesus partook of their sinful nature and flesh in order to transfer His sinless nature and spirit into their life.

Heb 2:14-15

14 Forasmuch then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, He also Himself likewise took part of the same; that through death He might destroy him that had the power of death, that is, the devil;

15 And deliver them who through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage.

2 Pet 1:4

Through these He has given us His very great and precious promises, so that through them you may participate in the **divine nature** and escape the corruption in the world caused by evil desires.

SOWJANYA - Kurnool House of Breakthrough Church, India 2010: For the last 2 years, I have been suffering from back pain due to an accident at work. A huge bundle of sticks fell on my back and as a result I have been in constant pain. I cannot sit for long. I consulted many doctors and used many medicines but it was just a waste of money because it didn't provide any relief whatsoever. There was just no cure. Tonight I attended this meeting where Apostle Norm was speaking and praying for the sick. God talked to me at this meeting and touched me through Apostle Norm. While Apostle was praying I felt the power of God touch me and the pain left immediately. God has done a miracle in my life

DESIRE SPIRITUAL GIFTS:

1 Cor 14:1

Follow the way of love and eagerly desire spiritual gifts, especially the gift of prophecy.

1 Cor 12:31

But eagerly desire the greater gifts. And now I will show you the most excellent way.

In 1985 I spent time praying fasting and crying out to God to be empowered by the Holy Ghost in order to serve Him just as Christians like Smith Wigglesworth, George Jeffries and Kathryn Kuhlman served Him in their day. After a couple of years of seeking God I asked God why so few in our nation operate in such great power today. He replied and asked, why did only a few enter the promise land in the days of Joshua and Caleb when it was His will for all to enter. I said because of unbelief most of the warriors of God never entered. God said will you be one of them in this land? I said no God I want to be a Joshua. He spoke to me very clearly and tenderly and said I will grant to you what you ask Jn 14:12 but it will cost you your life. I don't profess to compare myself to the great saints of the past however since the late 80's until now I have been privileged to be used of God to release miraculous healing signs and wonders in this nation more than many. My boast isn't in me but in my God.

I have been privileged to see the opening of deaf ears to blind eyes, from cripples walking to cancers dissolving, from creative miracles to the dead being raised. I realise I have a responsibility and a duty to duplicate this ministry into the lives of others in the body of Christ who have the same hunger for the power of God, who are willing to pay the sacrifice required and who are willing to give the gift away to suffering humanity.

Chapter 3. Is Jesus willing to heal today?

House of Breakthrough Church Gisborne 1991. One Sunday a man came into a Church service, I was holding at Te Hapara School Hall, in his electric wheelchair. I helped him over the lip of the door entrance. He asked me to pray for him. When I laid my hand on him I felt the presence of the Holy Spirit flow into him. I then asked him if he wanted to try stepping out of his wheelchair. He cautiously leaned forward and placed his weight on the arms of his chair and began to stand on his feet. To his amazement he could not only stand unaided but was able to walk freely. A few weeks later he walked into Church to give thanks to God for his miracle. His nephew told me that before his disability his uncle used to love walking around the farm collecting duck eggs. Since his visit to Church he once again was enjoying walking around the farm collecting duck eggs.

Mark 1:40

Now a leper came to Him, imploring Him, kneeling down to Him and saying to Him, "*If You are willing*, You can make me clean."

- The words of the leper "if you are willing" indicate that the leper knew Jesus could heal but he didn't know if He would heal him.
- He knew Jesus healed others but he wasn't sure if Jesus would heal him.
- Today many Christians are like this man was; they have the same attitude to healing, they know Jesus can heal the sick but they don't know if He would heal them.

Here we see the question mark about God's will to heal the sick answered.

If Jesus said *I am not willing* then we would be justified in having an eternal question mark about God's will to heal the sick bodies of men.

But what Jesus said and did for this man *yesterday* Jesus says and does for any man *today* who comes to Him for the grace of healing.

Mark 1:41

Then Jesus, moved with compassion, stretched out His hand and touched him, and said to him, "*I am willing; be cleansed.*"

Hebrews 13:8

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

- Scripture indicates that it is just as much His will to heal the sick today as it was His will to heal the sick yesterday.

- In Church if a sinner comes to Jesus for salvation the Church has no doubts that it is Jesus' will to forgive and save the man.
- However if a cripple comes to Jesus for healing the Church usually has doubts whether it is Jesus' will to heal him or not.

- ***Jesus said ___ am _____ be c_____.***

WHY SUCH IGNORANCE IN THE CHURCH?

- One major reason is that the Church has been focused primarily on the salvation of the spirit and soul but not the body.
- The Church has been instructed to university level regards salvation of the soul but is still in kindergarten level regards healing of the body.

FORGIVENESS AND HEALING ARE NOT SEPARATE:

- My observation of the Church in the West is that it has been taught that salvation of the soul and healing of the body are two separate applications.
- My personal interpretation is that salvation of the soul and healing of the body are part and parcel of receiving Christ.
- In India when I lead people in prayer to receive salvation from Christ I also lead them in prayer to receive healing for their bodies at the same time.
- After prayer, in most cases, people testify that their sickness and pains have left them; which is simply what I expect to happen. The same faith that receives salvation for the soul is the same faith that receives healing for the body.

***Scripture teaches that when God takes away sin
He also takes away disease.***

Psalms 103:2

2 Bless the Lord, O **my soul**, (soul) And forget not all His benefits:

3 Who **forgives all your iniquities**, (spirit)

Who **heals all your diseases**, (body)

TWO HAND ILLUSTRATION

- ***In a general sense sin is the c_____ of all
s_____.***
- ***Therefore when Jesus took our s_____ He also took our
d_____.***

PRINCIPLE REVEALED IN HEALING OF CRIPPLE:

Matthew 9:5

5. For which is easier, to say, (1st part) "**Your sins are forgiven you,**" or to say, 'Arise and walk'?
- 6 **But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins**"—then (2nd part) **He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house."**
- 7 And he arose and departed to his house.
 1. **First** part talks of dealing with sin. (Spiritual)
 2. **Second** part talks of dealing with disease. (Physical)

- Jesus clearly shows that sin and sickness are synonymous in the context of redemption as we see sin and sickness removed when Jesus forgave him.
- Sin is like the root of the tree and sickness is like the fruit of the tree. When the root is cut the fruit dies of its own accord.

- ***But that you may know that the Son of Man has p_____ on***
- ***earth to f_____s_____ then He said to the paralytic,***
- ***a_____ take up your b_____ and go to your house."***

1 Peter 2:24

who **Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, (spirit) might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed. (body)**

LYDIA - House of Breakthrough Church: Twelve weeks ago Ps Norm and Jess prayed for me and my low blood platelet count. I felt an incredible sense of joy and believed wholeheartedly that I had been healed. The following month I had to have another blood test. I got the results the next day and felt devastated as my blood platelets had dropped even further, (normal range is 150-400 and my count was 68). If you have a very low blood platelet count it means that if you bleed internally or externally it can't stop. The doctor had ruled out leukaemia because my other results from the blood test were normal. The next month was the hardest and to be honest I really struggled trying to understand why I hadn't been healed and seemed to be getting worse. The Sunday before I had to have my tests and to see the specialist Ps Norm spoke about our mountains and seeing them as little midgets which I loved; he also spoke about how God shapes and moulds our character and he asked what was in our lives that God was shaping and moulding and I knew for me it was FAITH. On Tuesday I had my blood tests and got the results on Wednesday when I spoke to the nurse she was almost speechless and said that my count had gone from 68 to 166 and I was now in the normal range. It was a miracle!!! I had to go and get the results so I could see for myself. When I went to the specialist the following day he couldn't understand how my blood platelet count, which had been dropping steadily all year, had dramatically gone back to normal; he said "I just don't know". We do and it was our miracle from God and I love sharing my miracle story. The specialist said that I won't need to be back and I won't need any more blood tests because I was normal. I know now that I needed to go through that journey, difficult as it was at times, to have my miracle story. Thank you for praying for me. Love Lydia

STRICKEN, SMITTEN AND AFFLICTED:

Isa 53:4

Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem Him **stricken, smitten** of God, and **afflicted**.

STRICKEN: naga (naw-gah'); violently, to strike, **punish**, defeat, **destroy**, beat, **plague**.

SMITTEN: nakah (naw-kaw'); to strike, beat, **give wounds**, slaughter, murderer. to kill, to attack and destroy, to conquer, to subjugate, to ravage, To **send judgment upon**, **to be fatally smitten**, **to be smitten disease**.

AFFLICTED: ` anah-**to oppress**, to humble, **to be depressed**, to be afflicted, defile:

WOUNDED AND BRUISED:

Isaiah 53:5

But He was **wounded** *for our transgressions*, He was **bruised** *for our iniquities*;
The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

Wounded = **Physical**. Healing for the body.

Transgression = **Spiritual**. Forgiveness for sin.

Bruised = **Physical**. Healing for the body.

Iniquity = **Spiritual**. Forgiveness for sin.

- **S_____ is the c_____ of s_____.**
- **When Jesus takes our i_____ He doesn't put it b_____ on u_____**
- **Likewise When Jesus takes our d_____ He doesn't put it b_____ on u_____**

House of Breakthrough Church Gisborne 2002. Francis was born with a kidney defect and both were deteriorating. When they were really bad she had to go to hospital every 6 months. She was born again in June and felt she was healed immediately. September 2002 10am she went in for a regular annual check up at Waikato Hospital. After the check up she and husband Nick were going to go for a picnic. Francis said to the doctor you are wasting your time because there is nothing wrong with me. However while the Surgeon was examining her he had a medical misadventure as he poked a hole in her bile duct and then scratched her pancreas. As a result she was hospitalised and over the next few days the left lung collapsed. At one point while she was in ICU they couldn't get any more blood from her because her veins had collapsed and beside that she couldn't breathe properly. She said she knew she was dying. A special response team were assigned to her. As I (Pastor Norm) was in my morning prayer the Holy Spirit told me to ring through to Waikato and pray for Francis because He was going to heal her. In a vision He showed me her lung looked like a deflated balloon. The Holy Spirit said He was going to inflate her lung when I pray for her over the phone. I rang through to the hospital and asked the reception to put me through to the ward Francis was in. Francis' daughter Nikki answered the phone and held it to Francis' ear because she was too weak to hold it to her ear by herself. I told her Jesus was going to heal her. When she replied she could barely speak. I then prayed while Nikki held the phone and as I prayed I heard Nikki yell and drop the phone. Francis said Nikki jumped about a meter and swore. She said that when I prayed she felt a ball of solid heat the size of a basketball went through her hand and it wasn't gentle it was rough and hit her forcibly with a bang. This power went through her hand and into her mum's lung. Francis said it felt like a red hot heat hit her in the puku. Then within seconds she was breathing normally as her deflated lung literally pumped up. I noticed she wasn't gasping for air anymore and speaking totally normal again. Instead of lying on her death bed she was now standing up praising the Lord. After this time of prayer the doctors said that she was coming right and she said yes... no thanks to you.

IT PLEASED THE LORD TO BRUISE HIM?

Isa 53:10

*Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; **He hath put Him to grief**: when thou shalt make His soul an offering for sin, He shall see His seed, He shall prolong His days, and the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in His hand.*

Put Him to grief = 2470 chalah-to be or become weak, or to become diseased, be wounded.

- Why would it "please" the Father to bruise and put to grief His only Son?
- Perhaps He saw Jesus carrying all the maladies of sin and disease that redeemed humanity would no longer have to bear.
- Perhaps He saw the cancers and leukaemia and arthritic spirits that were no longer going to be able to afflict redeemed humanity.

ALL HIS BENEFITS:

Ps 103:2-3

2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, and **forget not all His benefits**:

3 Who **forgiveth all thine iniquities**; who **healeth all thy diseases**;

- I think the Church in the West has forgotten many of *the benefits* of Christ's redemption for humanity.

BENEFIT 1 = Salvation for the soul.

BENEFIT 2 = Healing for the body.

BENEFIT 3 = Authority over devils.

- Salvation of the soul and being restored back into son-ship relationship with God is the greatest benefit of all.
- Healing for the body and receiving authority over the devil and all his works are other great benefits to humanity. (Lk 10:19, Mk 16:17-18)

BENEFIT 1 = s _____ for the s _____.

BENEFIT 2 = h _____ for the b _____.

BENEFIT 3 = a _____ over d _____.

SEE THE PATTERN: (SIN AND SICKNESS ARE BOTH DEALT WITH IN REDEMPTION.)

Exodus 15:26

And said, "If you diligently heed the voice of the Lord your God and **(1st part) do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes**, **(2nd part) I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians**. For I am the Lord who heals you."

1. **First** part talks of dealing with sin. (Spiritual)
2. **Second** part talks of dealing with disease. (Physical)

Chapter 4. Jesus destroyed the works of the devil.

SICKNESS IS A WORK OF THE DEVIL:

Acts 10:38

How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: **who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil;** for God was with Him.

- Some Christians don't believe sickness is a work of the devil. If that was the case why did Jesus go about healing people?
- Sickness is a work of the devil because in the end it leads to death.

Luke 13:11-13

11 And **a woman was there who had been crippled by a spirit for eighteen years.** She was bent over and could not straighten up at all.

12 When Jesus saw her, He called her forward and said to her, "**Woman, you are set free from your infirmity.**"

13 Then **He put His hands on her,** and **immediately she straightened up and praised God.**

Luke 13:16

"And **this woman,** a daughter of Abraham as she is, **whom Satan has bound for eighteen long years,** should she not have been released from this bond on the Sabbath day?"

- Just as no forgiven son of God would accept guilt and shame in their soul, likewise, no son of God should accept sickness and pain in their body because Jesus died to remove both. (Ps 103:2-3)

I Jn 3:8

He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. **For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.**

- Jesus healed all who were o_____ of the d_____.**
- The woman had been crippled 18 years as the result of a s_____ of i_____.**

Deevenamma, House of Breakthrough Church, Kurnool India. For 4 years my right hand and right leg have been paralysed. Due to that, I am unable to work. I did not consult any doctor, because of financial problems. Tonight I attended the meeting where Apostle Norm was praying for the sick. As he prayed he said a healing wind is going to come upon the sick and heal them. As he said that I immediately felt a cool wind touching me. It was not imagination or figurative; it was a literal experience. I was afraid at the start because it was something supernatural that I had never experienced before in my life.

Suddenly my right hand and leg began moving without me doing anything. In the past I was unable to move my leg and right hand but now I am able to move completely free. My heartfelt thanks to God and Apostle Norm for praying me. Kurnool India. 2010.

Cancer work of the devil = no doubt.

- It is a diabolical form of life that eats away at the cells and tissue of the body whose end result is death. The spirit of decay eats away at human flesh but the spirit of life reverses the process.
- Jesus defeated all cancer on the cross.

Rom 8: 11(KJV)

But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by His Spirit that dwelleth in you.

House of Breakthrough Church Kurnool India 2010: We were travelling for an hour through the night to the village Gargeyapuram. This was the first time I had been to this village. While travelling in the car I was praying in tongues when the Holy Spirit told me that there will be a woman at this village who will come to the meeting. He said this woman has a cancer on the side of her stomach but Jesus was going to cure it tonight. The Holy Spirit said He had brought me to the nation of India to travel to this village and to specifically pray for this woman's healing. When I arrived at the meeting the Holy Spirit told me He would show me who she is. Within 20 minutes a large Indian woman in a green sari walked to the front of the meeting and sat on the ground; the Holy Spirit said this is the woman. This is the story of that woman whose name is Premamma. I had a cyst in my stomach for 5 months. I was told it was cancer and slowly it began to enlarge. I used many different medicines but it did not cure it. The pain was terrible. At the same time I am pregnant and I was afraid that it may affect the baby in my womb. Tonight I came to the meeting seeking prayer. As Apostle Norm prayed I felt that I was touched by God. After the prayer Apostle Norm told people to check to see if the disease or the pain has left their body. Therefore I checked it as Apostle Norm told us to do and to my surprise the cyst in my stomach had completely disappeared and there was no more pain. It is like it completely dissolved. I am so very happy that I cannot believe it until even now whether it is real or a dream. Whatever it may be God healed me and I cannot repay Jesus anything for this; I am so thankful to God for sending Apostle Norm to our village.

- In Jesus' name cancer bows.

JESUS TASTED SIN, SICKNESS AND DEATH TO FREE US:

Heb 2:9

But we do see Him who has been made for a little while lower than the angels, namely, Jesus, because of the suffering of death crowned with glory and honour, **that by the grace of God He might taste death for everyone.**

Heb 2:14-15

14 Since then the children share in flesh and blood, **He Himself likewise also partook of the same, that through death He might render powerless him who had the power of death, that is, the devil:**

15 and might deliver those who through fear of death were subject to slavery all their lives.

- The only reason the devil has power over unredeemed humanity is because of their sin. The wages of sin is death but the free gift of God is eternal life. (Rom 6:23)
- Jesus became a partaker of our mortal flesh in order to take our "SIN" into His flesh and all the consequences of sin in mortal flesh which is...decay, sickness and death.

Because Jesus partook of our sinful mortal flesh, through His death and resurrection He set us free from the law of sin and death...and we are now under the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus.

- **Jesus t_____ d_____ for all m_____.**

2 Corinthians 5:21

For **He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us,** that **we might become the righteousness of God in Him.**

- God made Jesus to literally carry our sin in His mortal body. The reason He carried our own sins is so we would not have to carry them or the penalty of death our sin deserved. Rom 6:23

- We have no doubts about this because His word tells us so.

1 Pet 2:24

Who His own self **bare our sins in His own body on the tree**, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

- In the same way that Christ carried our sin in His own body He also carried our sickness and disease in His body so we could receive healing in this world.

Gabriel - Gisborne House of Breakthrough Church, 1991 May She was diagnosed with cancer and was to have her womb cut out on the following Monday. However, on Sunday she was sitting in one of my healing meetings. When I prayed release of the power of God across the room, she felt a surge of power go into her stomach area. The next day when she went for surgery, they could find no trace of the cancer. Several months later she felt swelling around her stomach and fearing it had come back she went to the doctor. The doctor said it wasn't a cancerous growth it was a child she was pregnant. She has since had two children birthed through a womb that was to be cut out. Since then many women with barren wombs have had children after karakia / prayer.

Isaiah 53:4-5

- 4 Surely He has borne our griefs ***(sicknesses, weaknesses, and distresses)*** and carried ***our sorrows and pains*** [of punishment], yet we [ignorantly] considered Him stricken, smitten, and afflicted by God [as if with leprosy].
- 5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our guilt and iniquities; ***the chastisement [needful to obtain] peace and well-being for us was upon Him, and with the stripes [that wounded] Him we are healed and made whole.***

Matt 8:15-17

- 15 And He touched her hand, and the fever left her: and she arose, and ministered unto them.
- 16 When the even was come, they brought unto Him many that were possessed with devils: and ***He cast out the spirits with His word, and healed all that were sick:***
- 17 ***That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Esaias the prophet, saying, Himself took our infirmities, and bare our sicknesses.***

Therefore when I see cancer and other terminal diseases I thank God that Jesus is the cure for every one of these works of the devil. They are judged conquered and defeated.

ACCEPT GOD'S TRUTH FOR HEALING.

- Most Christians have unshakable faith that Jesus has taken their sin and they have received forgiveness. This is because the seed of the knowledge of the truth of God's word has gone deep into their hearts.
- Christians also need to have unshakable faith that Jesus has also taken their disease and they have received healing for their bodies just as they have received forgiveness for their souls.
- Many Christians need to allow the seed of the knowledge of the truth of God's word go deep into their hearts regarding healing for their bodies and not just forgiveness for their souls.
- ***Jesus who knew no s_____ became s_____ for us so that we might b_____***
the r_____ of God in C_____

J
SPIRIT OF DECAY:

- In the movie Ghost Rider 2 a bad guy was given the power of decay. Whoever and whatever he touched literally began to decay instantly. This is exactly what certain spirits of disease and infirmity do when they touch human flesh.
- The woman with the spirit of infirmity was bent over for 18 years because of a spirit of infirmity.

Luke 13:11-13

11 And, behold, there was a woman which had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years, and was bowed together, and could in no wise lift up herself.

12 And when Jesus saw her, He called her to Him, and said unto her, "Woman, thou art loosed from thine infirmity."

13 And He laid His hands on her: and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God.

Luke 13:16

So ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has bound—think of it—for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the Sabbath?"

- On the other hand the spirit of the Lord is the spirit of life and power and authority and freedom and as such it brings life where there is death, health where there is disease and freedom where there is bondage.
- The moment Jesus touched her, the spirit of all authority flowed through Him and literally flowed into her body and expelled the spirit of infirmity.

House of Breakthrough Church Kurnool India 2010. Mother crippled for 7 years walks again. I visited a Muslim village and as I was walking into the area I saw an old woman sitting on the ground reaching out to me to pray for her. I told her I will preach first and then pray for her afterwards. As promised when I finished preaching I knelt by this woman and placed my hands on her knees and prayed. Suddenly I felt the kneecaps moving and twisting under my hands. I looked up at her and her eyes were wide open in surprise at what was happening in her knees. I then told her to stand up and as I helped her up she stood to her feet. Next I encouraged her to take small steps backwards and forwards until suddenly she felt a surge of divine life flow through her and then she walked briskly. This woman was 75 years old and she had not walked for 7 years. The people of the village were very excited to see such a miracle take place on this woman. She had been to many doctors, but received no relief; however the power of God invaded her body and healed her knees, back and spine. The Muslim people of the village were amazed at the great miracle that God has done. *Roja Village Kurnool 2010*



- The woman was crippled because a s_____ of
 i_____ was inside her b_____.

- The s_____ of i_____ had been in her body _____ years.
- Jesus said s_____ had bound her.
- When Jesus c_____ out the s_____ of infirmity the woman was completely h_____.

The Spirit of God is nothing like a demon spirit.

- Demon spirits are mere created beings.
- The Holy Spirit is the creator of all living beings.
- The demon spirits are only in one place at one time.
- The Holy Spirit is omnipotent. (*In all places at all times*)
- The demon spirits only have limited power and limited knowledge. (*What have you to do with us Jesus of Nazareth, have you come to torment us before the time?*)
- The Holy Spirit is omnipotent (*all powerful*) and omniscient (*all knowing*).

The spirit of disease causes decay to start flowing into a body literally. The Spirit of God causes life to start flowing into a body literally and drive the disease out of the human tissue.

Luke 8: 43-46

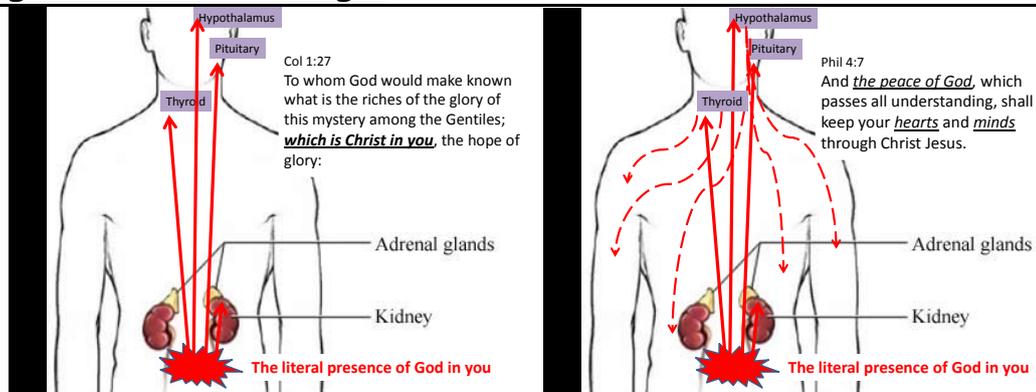
- 43 And a woman who had a haemorrhage for twelve years, and could not be healed by anyone,
- 44 came up behind Him, and ***touched the fringe of His cloak; and immediately her haemorrhage stopped.***
- 45 And Jesus said, "Who is the one who touched Me?" And while they were all denying it, Peter said, "Master, the multitudes are crowding and pressing upon You."
- 46 But Jesus said, "Someone did touch Me, ***for I was aware that power had gone out of Me.***"

Mark 5:28-30

- 28 For she said, If I may touch but His clothes, I shall be whole.
- 29 And straightway the fountain of her blood was dried up; and ***she felt in her body that she was healed of that plague.***
- 30 And Jesus, immediately ***knowing in Himself that virtue had gone out of Him,*** turned Him about in the press, and said, Who touched My clothes?

Penelope: 1991 Norm & Jessie's house, 41 Owen Rd, Gisborne. Penelope said she was suffering aids and hepatitis. There were visible lumps all over her face and body. She came to me and Jess for prayer immediately after coming from the doctor at the Kaiti medical centre on Delautour road. She was visibly shaken and asked us to pray for her; which we gladly did. As we prayed for her the power of God came upon her visibly as she began to go into a type of a trance and then her skin colour began to change from unhealthy yellowish to a normal healthy glow. About 5 minutes after prayer she said she felt she was healed. Over the next few weeks she returned to the doctor who checked her and apparently called another specialist to recheck her as he couldn't find any trace of the diseases in her body. She is alive and healthy to this day.

Chapter 5. Christ's Spirit dwells in you...literally!



When I pray over somebody, I believe the presence of God flows into their body and manifests the power and glory of Christ's power and authority over diseased tissue, it casts out demonic spirits and releases health and vitality into the body of the person... and peace and joy into their spirit and soul.

Mark 5:27-30

27 When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind Him in the crowd and touched His cloak,

28 because she thought, "If I just touch His clothes, I will be healed."

29 Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering.

30 At once Jesus realised that power had gone out from Him. He turned around in the crowd and asked, "Who touched My clothes?"

- I believe the presence of God is released to flow inside the body and bring balance to the neurological and physiological flows and seasons.
- I believe the presence of God literally invades the central nervous system and flows through the glands releasing His presence and life into the hormones and blood stream; which in turn secretes peace, joy, health, vitality and life through every cell of the body.

His presence flows through the cerebral cortex and into every brain cell and through the entire nervous system throughout the body.

- The presence of God flows through every blood vessel which reaches into your lungs, internal organs, into every bone, muscle, tendon, ligament, disc, vertebrae of the body...and literally flows through the skin and hair on your outward man.
- Every fibre and atom of your being is invaded with the literal presence of God.

KG. KANAKA RAO: Kurnool House of Breakthrough, India 2009 For the last few months a painful lump has grown on the side of my neck. I attended the meetings Apostle Norm was speaking at and praying for the sick people. As I sat in the meeting listening to the word of God I felt like God was filling my heart with joy and happiness. Apostle Norm started to pray for the sick and as he did I felt a coolness pass through my body. I have no idea what this wind is or how this can be but the moment I felt it the lump disappeared and the pain in my neck went also. God touched me and healed me I give Him the glory.

Jesus judged conquered and defeated satan, sin and sickness for mankind 2000 years ago through His death and resurrection.

Heb 2: 14-15

- 14 Since then the children share in flesh and blood (***our sinful flesh***), He Himself likewise also partook of the same, that through death *He might render powerless him who had the power of death, that is, the devil:*
- 15 and *might deliver those who through fear of death were subject to slavery all their lives.*

Col 2: 14-15

- 14 having *cancelled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us* and which was hostile to us (***our sin***); and He has taken it out of the way, *having nailed it to the cross.*
- 15 When ***He had disarmed the rulers and authorities,*** He made a public display of them, having triumphed over them through Him.

Ephesians 6: 13

Therefore take up the whole armour of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and *having done all, to stand.*

- It is not so much what we have done that we stand on but on what Jesus has done on our behalf, we stand on this truth.

JEEVARATNAM: House of Breakthrough Church, Kurnool India 2010 For the last 5 years I have been suffering from knee pains severely. Due to this, I cannot stand or do any work. Because I cannot work because of the pain, my wife and children used to scold me because I would just sit at home as idle. But tonight I thought I would attend this meeting and sit for a little while and then go home. I heard Apostle Norm tell all the sick people to place their hand on the area of their body that is afflicted while he prays for them. I placed my hands on my knees and as I did I felt a power entering into my knees while Apostle Norm was praying. To my surprise the pains left instantly and I felt very light in my body.

I am very happy because God has touched me and freed me of my suffering so I can work again.

WEAKNESS AND STRENGTH:

Romans 5: 20

Moreover the law entered that the offense might abound. But ***where sin abounded, grace abounded much more,***

2 Corinthians 12: 9-10

- 9 And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for ***My strength is made perfect in weakness.***" Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, ***that the power of Christ may rest upon me.***
- 10 Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. ***For when I am weak, then I am strong.***

- Where weakness and disease abound, divine life and health abound even more...literally.
- Jesus literally tasted the weaknesses and diseases of humanity...in order to allow us to taste the life and health of divinity!

- Where weakness of humanity abounds strength of divinity abounds even more.
- The frailty of human weakness provides an opportunity for divine intervention.

- Jesus literally tasted every weakness of my humanity in order for His divine life to invade my humanity. He tasted sin and death on my behalf that I may partake of divine righteousness.

Hebrews 2:14 (AMP)

Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, (**HUMANITIES SIN, WEAKNESS AND FRAILTIES**)... He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil,

2 Pet 1:4(NAS)

For by these He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, in order that by them **you might become partakers of the divine nature**, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust.

- Our sin and human weakness was buried with Him by baptism into death and we are raised up with Him by the glory of the Father into divine son ship.
- When I come across the weakness of humanity I thank God that Jesus has invaded and conquered my sinful weak humanity with His divinity.

MARTHAMMA: Mortha 2010: I have been suffering from typhoid fever for 16 days. I consulted the doctor was given doses. Today I heard that prayer meeting was going to be held in my village so I came along to observe. When Apostle Norm started praying for the sick, I felt that a coolness had entered into my body. In a few minutes, my body was cooled and there are no signs of fever.

Hebrews 2:14

Inasmuch then as *the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same*, that **through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil,**

Hebrews 2:9

But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels, for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honour, **that He, by the grace of God, might taste death for everyone.**

- When I see human weakness or sickness I am encouraged because Jesus tasted it on our behalf. At the other end of human weakness is divine power.

YOU TOLERATE WHAT YOU ACCEPT:

Psalms 103:2-3

2 Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits:

3 Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases,

- Jesus fulfilled the laws of divine justice and took the death penalty of my sin on my behalf and I choose to "remember" all these wonderful benefits.
- My soul is forgiven and cleansed by the blood of Jesus and my body is redeemed and healed by the wounds and the stripes of Jesus.

I don't tolerate sickness or disease in my body anymore than I tolerate guilt and shame in my soul...because Jesus took them all on my behalf.

1 Pet 2:24

Who His own self bare our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

WHAT ABOUT MEDICINE AND DOCTORS:

Exod 15:26

And said, If thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the LORD thy God, and wilt do that which is right in His sight, and wilt give ear to His commandments, and keep all His statutes, I will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: **for I am the LORD that healeth thee.**

- I am the Lord that healeth thee = Jehovah rapha, your physician, to make healthy.

Matt 9:12

But when Jesus heard that, He said unto them, "**They that be whole need not a physician, but they that are sick.**"

LAKSHIMI:-House of Breakthrough Church, Mortha India 2010. I felt I gained a new life through these meetings by the wonderful word of God spoken through Apostle Norm. In the crusade while Apostle Norm was praying I saw a vision a man in white robes came up to me and poured oil over me which flowed from my head to my feet. I was suffering from a lump in my breast but after the prayer it had disappeared. I am now healthy and strengthened and have a new peace in my heart.

- I thank God for doctors and medicine but clearly from the teachings of Jesus, healing does not just come through medical science.
- I encourage people to use wisdom when they are suffering sickness and to work with their doctors if they feel they want to decrease or come off medication.
- Faith and presumption are two different things.
- When God does a miracle healing there will be ample evidence to support it.

PRACTICAL PRAYING:

- Pray as a son of God, release healing as a son.

THE PRAYER

Spirit of(name the disease afflicting the person) I rebuke you and command you to leave this body right now in the Name of Jesus Christ.

Jesus, I release your healing power to flow into this body now, and I command this body to recover right away in Jesus mighty name!

Release the translucent light of Christ into people.

Shirley, Blenheim 1986 While camping in Clover Bay with friends, the Holy Spirit gave me a word of knowledge of a woman in our camping ground who had a fear of cancer in her heart. When I shared this with the group, Shirley started to cry and said she had just had one lump cut out of her breast and could feel another growing. A few days later I prayed for her and as I did, she began to belch and cough for about 20 minutes. After this encounter she had no more lumps.

Chapter 6. warrior sons fear no evil!

Man stabs his wife, child and himself. Oamaru, Wye St. 1990

Just 9 houses down from my house a man I knew had stabbed his estranged partner 19 times and then gone upstairs with the knife and was holding his little girl hostage. He was standing on top of a flight of stairs that led directly into the little girl's room and the police couldn't get to the little girl before he could. So for her safety they tried to negotiate. The police negotiator could not talk him down and he wouldn't listen to the Maori warden. While this was happening the AOS were outside but could not get a clear shot on him. While praying in my backyard the Holy Spirit told me that this man would ask to speak to me and I was to go down and speak to him when this happens. After several unsuccessful negotiations from different agencies the man asked to speak directly to me. A policeman then came to my house and said, the man is requesting to speak to you and would I go. I said yes I have been waiting for you and let's go. When I walked into the house and looked up the stairs, this man was stabbing the knife in and out of his throat several times; his eyes were rolled back in his head and he was screaming. The spirit of God told me to speak to him in tongues and as I did I received interpretation which I spoke back to him in English. Within 10 minutes the evil spirit in him lost its grip and he dropped the knife which enabled me to run up the stairs and get the little girl. The sight shocked me because he had cut her throat but she was still alive barely. They rushed her to Dunedin hospital but we weren't given much hope for her. However we prayed for her and by the next morning she was stitched up and wide awake drinking a milkshake and reading a book. The woman survived the stab wounds as did the man who later gave his life to Christ in Jail. Even in the valley of death and evil, God is able to overcome. (Norm McLeod)

Psalms 23:4 KJV

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, *I will fear no evil: For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.*

Gisborne 1991.

I was called out to the home of a woman who had become a Christian but she had gang members living in her house. When I arrived there were two guys on the front lawn and one had a knife and was crazy on drugs. I remember as I stood between the two of them that I thought there is a very real possibility I am going to be stabbed. However as I kept praying and calling on the Lord, the tension broke and they went their separate ways.

Ps 91:11(NIV)

For He will command His angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways;

C.T Studd said Let us not glide through this world and then slip quietly into heaven, without having blown the trumpet loud and long for our Redeemer, Jesus Christ. Let us see to it that the devil will hold a thanksgiving service in hell, when he gets the news of our departure from the field of battle.

Some wish to live within the sound of a Church or Chapel Bell. I want to run a rescue shop within a yard of Hell. (c.T.Studd)

WARRIOR TALK: Quotes by Norm McLeod

In much of the west we live in a world where suffering for Christ is unfashionable and Christians are more in the pursuit of happiness than in the pursuit of God. I have discovered that the only people I can speak to like warriors, are warriors.

- *We are created to operate behind enemy lines not to hide behind the four walls of the Church.*

- *Like Joshua we were born to go places others have never been and do things others have never done.*
- *Jesus didn't ask Peter how devoted and faithful he was. He didn't ask Peter if he would suffer for Him. He simply asked Peter "do you love me."*
- *Love will convert a person to action but action won't convert a person to love.*
- *Ministry flows out of relationship not the other way around.*
- *How much more like Jesus do you really want to be? He loved those who hated him and blessed those who cursed Him. Be prepared to be hated, be prepared to be cursed.*

Who created satan?

God didn't create satan; God created a beautiful angelic being and called him Lucifer. Lucifer's role was to serve God in the courts of heaven. Basically Lucifer turned evil when he made the choice to fall in love with himself instead of loving the God who created him. He thus corrupted himself with pride and arrogance which eventually led to rebellion and evil. That is when his name was changed from Lucifer to satan and he was cast out of heaven. God didn't create satan, satan created himself by choosing evil. (Isaiah 14 + Ezekiel 28 + Lk 10:18) In the same light God doesn't create evil people; evil people create themselves through their own wrong choices. God creates people in His image and gives us a free will to choose who and what we will become. Hitler chose evil and Mother Teresa chose good; every person has a choice.

Authority stems from Sonship identity:

In this book I spoke of our identity in Christ being the source of our confidence in God against the works of the devil and the giants of life. In this section I want to reveal to you the conquered position the devil and his demons have against Christ and His sons.

Heb 2:10(NAS)

For it was fitting for Him, for whom are all things, and through whom are all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to perfect the author of their salvation through sufferings.

Rom 8:19(NIV)

The creation waits in eager expectation for the sons of God to be revealed.

MANIFOLD WISDOM OF GOD.

Eph3:9-11

9 and to make all see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the ages has been hidden in God who created all things through Jesus Christ;

10 to the intent that now the manifold wisdom of God might be made known by the Church to the principalities and powers in the heavenly places,

11 according to the eternal purpose which He accomplished in Christ Jesus our Lord,

- What is this mystery?
- The enemy is conquered and we, the redeemed sons of God, are the conquering race over all his works. Acts 10:38

Acts 10:38(KJV)

How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him.

- As redeemed sons of God we are also able to do as Jesus did because this is part of our son ship birthright.

1 Jn 4:17C (KJV)

...because as He is, so are we in this world.

SONS OF GOD FACE A CONQUERED DEVIL:

- Imagine going to war against an enemy who you know is literally weakened with fear because they are terrified of you.
- Imagine God letting you hear them say things like "my strength has completely left me," or "I can't fight because I am terrified."
- How courageous and bold would you feel against your enemy if you knew they were already defeated in their hearts and conquered in their minds?

House of Breakthrough Church 2010 Mortha India: CHITTAMMA: For the past 4 months I have had a terrible headache and burning in my eyes and water came out of them. I used many medicines but of no use. I came to the meeting this night. Apostle Norm asked the sick to lay their hands on their sickness. I laid my hand on my head. I felt a cool wind touching me. Immediately the headache left and there was no more burning in my eyes. Now I am free and happy.

PRESENT AND COMING JUDGEMENTS ON SATAN: WHAT DO DEVILS FEAR?

Matthew 8:29

And suddenly they cried out, saying, "What have we to do with You, Jesus, You Son of God? Have You come here to torment us **before the time?**"

- What is **this time** the devil and demons fear? Judgment time. There are several judgments that have already happened to satan and more coming his way.

JUDGMENT TIME HAS AND IS COMING FOR THE DEVIL;

John 9:39

And Jesus said, "**For judgment I have come into this world**, that those who do not see may see, and that those who see may be made blind."

John 12:31

_____ is the judgment of this world; _____ the ruler of this world will be cast out.

John16:7-8, 11

7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you.

8 And when He has come, **He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment:**

11 of judgment, because the ruler of this world is _____.

- Humans are born created beings and are clothed in sin and were thus evicted from the place of sonship with God to the lower order of creation. Unredeemed humans are born under the judgment of sin and the power of satan.
- However through being born again and redeemed by the blood of Christ, human beings become new creations restored back to the highest order of creation in Christ Jesus as "sons of God!"

- We are now created beings clothed in the righteousness of Christ and empowered with the Holy Ghost.

2 Cor 5:21(KJV)

For He hath made Him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in Him.

Acts 1:8(KJV)

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

Pastor.K.Vijaya Kumar, House of Breakthrough Church, Mortha India. Nathaniel is a farmer and while he was working in his field one day he experienced pain suddenly in his back-bone. When he consulted a doctor, he told him that the spinal bones are out of alignment. The doctor told him, that he should take 3 months rest. For this reason he was unhappy. He came to our Church and cried bitterly. I along with a few members prayed for him with the power of God. He said he felt that a mighty hand touched him and he saw a bright light and immediately all the back pain and spinal disorder left his body.

DEMONS KNEW AND FEARED JESUS' SONSHIP IN HEAVEN.

Luke 4:34

Saying, "Let us alone! What have we to do with You, Jesus of Nazareth? Did You come to destroy us? **I know who You are—the Holy One of God!**"

- The devil knew who Jesus was and he also knows who we are as sons of God.
- In the invisible spirit realm we are the highest order of creation and have authority over satan, principalities, powers, demons, hell, death, etc
- When the authority of a general walks into a room all lower orders of authority automatically bow.
- When Jesus walked into the presence of demons they trembled and bowed in terror.
- Likewise when awakened sons of God walk into the presence of demons they tremble and bow in terror to the presence of Jesus in us. 1 Jn 4:4B

The devil is just a created being like you.

While communing with the Holy Spirit one day He told me that most people think satan is almost equal with God in power. He revealed that even in my subconscious I saw him as a very powerful being. Then the Holy Spirit asked me how powerful I was as a created human being compared to God. I said there is no comparison. He then said to me don't you realise that satan is only a mere created being like you also. He was created by God as an angelic being just as you have been created by God as a human being. From that day on the devil has shrunk in my sight. In the context of spiritual and supernatural power and authority the redeemed sons of God are seated with Christ in heavenly places which is high above the devil and all principality and power. Jesus has not only disarmed the enemy against the redeemed sons of God but He has given us power and authority over the enemy's jurisdiction. (Eph 1:20-21, Eph 1:4, Eph 2:6, Col 2:14-15, Lk 10:19, Mk 16:17.) It reminds me of the movie "honey I shrunk the kids". I say "Church! Jesus shrunk the devil!"

- God is the creator, satan is only a created being just as we are. Satan is clothed with sin and is under the judgments of God. We are clothed with the righteousness of God and are under the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus. (Rom 8:1-3)

- In the order of created beings satan and his demons are at the lower order of creation being placed under the redeemed sons of God. Nga Toa a Te Atua! (See sonship diagrams)

JESUS SHRUNK THE DEVIL / SEE THE DEVIL AS HE REALLY IS!

- Isaiah is describing the King of Babylon's fate and Ezekiel is describing the King of Tyre's fate. Scholars agree that these are not just descriptions of these Kings demise but also of the demise of satan.

In Verse 4 Isaiah is speaking of the King of Babylon and then in verse 12 we see Lucifer is the one Isaiah is speaking of.
 In Verse 2 Ezekiel is speaking to the King of Tyre but in verses 13-15 Ezekiel speaks of when this person walked in Eden and verse 14 he is called the anointed cherub which speaks of Lucifer.
 Therefore the descriptions of these kings are also descriptions of satan's demise by God and by the hand of those God sends against him. (Opinion not necessarily doctrine)

Isaiah's description:

Isa 14:4(KJV)

- 4 That thou shalt take up this proverb against *the king of Babylon*, and say, How hath the oppressor ceased! The golden city ceased!

Isa 14:12(KJV)

- 12 *How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer*, son of the morning! How art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!

Ezekiel's description:

Ezek 28:2(KJV)

Son of man, *say unto the prince of Tyrus*, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Because thine heart is lifted up, and thou hast said, I am a God, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas; yet thou art a man, and not God, though thou set thine heart as the heart of God:

Ezek 28: 13-15(KJV)

- 13 *Thou hast been in Eden the garden of God*; every precious stone was thy covering, the sardius, topaz, and the diamond, the beryl, the onyx, and the jasper, the sapphire, the emerald, and the carbuncle, and gold: the workmanship of thy tabrets and of thy pipes was prepared in thee in the day that thou wast created.
- 14 *Thou art the anointed cherub that covereth*; and I have set thee so: thou wast upon the holy mountain of God; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire.
- 15 Thou wast perfect in thy ways from the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee.

THE ENEMY HAS MET SOMEONE GREATER THAN HIMSELF = JESUS AND THE SONS OF GOD.

Ezekiel 28:9

"Will you still say before him who slays you, 'I am a god'? But you shall be a man, and not a god, In the hand of him who slays you.

Luke 10:19(KJV)

Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Col 2:14-15(NAS)

- 14 *having cancelled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us and which was hostile to us; and He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross.*

15 When He had disarmed the rulers and authorities, He made a public display of them, having triumphed over them through Him.

Heb 2: 14-15(KJV)

14 Forasmuch then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, He also Himself likewise took part of the same; that through death He might destroy Him that had the power of death, that is, the devil;

15 And deliver them who through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage.

- **Now that you have this revelation read the statements below of satan's description and see where your position as a son of God now comes in.**

Isaiah 14:14-19

14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds, I will be like the Most High.'

15 Yet you shall be brought down to Sheol, To the lowest depths of the Pit.

16 "Those who see you will gaze at you, And consider you, saying: 'Is this the man who made the earth tremble, Who shook kingdoms,

17 Who made the world as a wilderness And destroyed its cities, Who did not open the house of his prisoners?'

18 "All the kings of the nations, All of them, sleep in glory, Everyone in his own house;

19 But you are cast out of your grave Like an abominable branch, Like the garment of those who are slain, Thrust through with a sword, Who go down to the stones of the pit, Like a corpse trodden underfoot.

Ezekiel 28:6-10

6 "Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: 'Because you have set your heart as the heart of a god,

7 Behold, therefore, **I will bring strangers against you, The most terrible of the nations; And they shall draw their swords against the beauty of your wisdom, And defile your splendour.**

8 They shall throw you down into the Pit, And you shall die the death of the slain In the midst of the seas.

9 **"Will you still say before him who slays you, 'I am a god'? But you shall be a man, and not a god, In the hand of him who slays you.**

10 You shall die the death of the uncircumcised By the hand of aliens; For I have spoken," says the Lord GOD.'

- You shall be a man = Man under judgment of sin is the lower order of created beings.
- Redeemed man = Those of us redeemed by the blood of Christ are no longer just a man but a son of God; now of the highest order of created being.

The devil is not e_____ with God.

The d_____ is just a c_____ b_____ like us.

The d_____ has been d_____ of his

a_____ over all

the r_____ of Christ.

1 John 3:8

He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.

Colossians 2:15

Having disarmed principalities and powers, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them in it.

Revelation 1:18

I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death.

Matthew 28:18

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth."

- In the context of redemption for sinners judgment day isn't coming to satan and the Kingdom of darkness; judgment day has already come.

John 12:31

Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be cast out.

CAST OUT: Expel, eject, thrust forth.

John 16:11

of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

Revelation 1:18

I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And **I have the keys of Hades and of Death.**

- When was satan's power over the redeemed judged and conquered?

Col 2:15(NIV)

And having disarmed the powers and authorities, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

2_____ years ago on the c_____.

N_____ is the j_____ of this world **n_____** shall the r_____ of this world be c_____ o_____.

- All spirits of darkness are mere created beings.
- All spirits of darkness are defeated spirits, conquered spirits, subdued and tormented spirits, weak and sickly spirits.
- When I come across spirits in people I am coming across defeated conquered spirits dwelling illegally in humanity.

I am a conquering undefeated spirit in Jesus' name.

I come against conquered defeated spirits.

Every demon has been conquered and defeated...and every disease and sickness and curse has also been defeated.

Jesus' name and authority is the highest order of authority over every spirit, disease and sickness.

- There is no unconquered, undefeated sickness or disease on the planet. By His stripes humanity is healed.

Christian... do you realise you were born into a world where the devil had already been conquered by Jesus Christ. You were born into a world with a conquered devil and a conquering saviour. The devil was conquered before you were born into this world. However even though he was conquered he still had and has power to afflict humanity because they are under the law of sin and death.

EVERYDAY IS THE DAY OF JUDGMENT FOR THE ENEMY AS THE HOLY SPIRIT FLOWS THROUGH THE SONS OF GOD!

- The Holy Ghost relentlessly attacks the devil with continual judgment through "awakened" sons.

Matt 11:12(KJV)

And from the days of John the Baptist until now *the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force.*

Kurt: 10/5/12 House of Breakthrough Church Gisborne While Kurt was talking to me I felt the presence of God strongly come upon me. I sensed a dark spirit sitting on his back and it looked like it was riding him like a jockey riding a horse; but this was riding him into the ground. I placed a prayer cloth on him and started praying and as I did he began to tremble and shake. The Holy Spirit then allowed me to see into his past and I saw him at a time when he was 7-9 years old and he was in the bush. The Holy Spirit said Kurt had walked onto "tapu" ground and this is when this demon came into him. I expelled it out of him in Jesus' name and he was free. After this prayer he said that he had never felt such power in his life before and that something heavy felt like it literally rose up from his puku (stomach) through his lungs and out his head. He felt light and free. His demeanour had changed and his eyes were clearer. He then told me that at the age of about 7 he and some kids were in the bush and stumbled across an ancient urupa (graveyard) that they were warned not to go onto. As a mischief kid he opened the gate and stepped onto the urupa and found greenstone artefacts in the ground. He also saw bones and human skulls protruding out of the earth and as he was walking he accidentally stood on the head / skull of what he thought was the body of the Tohunga that once lived there. This scared him and as he walked off the urupa he felt something bad had taken place. When he got home without him even telling his parents they said he has brought it back with him. (referring to spirits) Kurt said from that point in his life his personality changed and he kept getting into trouble. He was expelled at 13 and started smoking and selling drugs. Many years later his uncle went hunting in the bush and came across the same urupa and he went onto it. He found a greenstone mere and brought it back with him. When others met him coming out of the bush they said he was speaking in ancient Maori dialects, which was strange because he couldn't speak Maori. Kurt said that for 10 years he has stayed in his room at his grandmother's and is out of his mind most of the time. Sometimes when his grandmother has a karakia outside his door he goes berserk. I told Kurt that the Jesus who set you free can set your uncle free also.

LET THE REIGN OF TERROR CONTINUE IN THE ENEMIES CAMP.

1 John 4:17

Love has been perfected among us in this: **that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world.**

- When is the Day of Judgment for the devil?
- Whenever and wherever Jesus came on the scene that was the "Day of Judgment" for the devil.
- All humans had sin in them thus giving satanic jurisdiction over their lives.
- However because Jesus had no sin satan had no jurisdiction over Him.

John 14:30

I will no longer talk much with you, **for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me.**

- On the contrary Jesus had total dominion over all of satan's jurisdiction. Therefore THE DAY OF JUDGMENT was "any day" Jesus showed up.

Chapter 7. walk in your identity as a son of God / nga toa a te atua!

WHEN IS THE DAY OF JUDGMENT FOR A SON OF GOD?

- Through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ our sin has been judged conquered and defeated
- The works of the devil over our life has been judged conquered and defeated by the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ!

In order to be forgiven of our sin, freed from satan, have authority over him, live a great life and to get into heaven there were at least 10 commandments we had to obey and the death penalty of our sin had to be paid for. (Rom 6:23)

Jesus lived a life where He obeyed every command all the days of His life on our behalf. When Jesus died on the cross He ticked all the boxes "as it were" on our behalf in regards fulfilling all the commands we didn't obey. He also paid the death penalty we deserved as a result of our sin.

- Today our sin is judged, conquered and defeated.
- Today our curses are judged, conquered and defeated.
- Today our disease is judged, conquered and defeated.
- Today the devil is judged, conquered and defeated.

John 12:31

Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be cast out.

John 16:11

of judgment, because **the ruler of this world is judged**.

This actually took place for us on a positional basis _____ years ago.

However the positional only becomes reality when we receive and W_____ in it by f_____.

- Therefore we have "BOLDNESS" **today** in the "DAY OF JUDGMENT!"
- The day of judgment for the devil and his works is any day a son of God turns up.

John 14:30

I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me.

- Satan had nothing in Christ because there was no unrighteousness in Him.
- In like manner, as redeemed sons of God, satan has nothing in us because we carry the same righteousness of Christ Jesus.

2 Corinthians 5:21

For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

1 John 4:4

You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

Luke 10:19

Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

- ☐ The day of judgment for the devil is any day a son of God comes on the scene.

1 John 4:17

Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have BOLDNESS IN THE DAY OF JUDGMENT; because as He is, so are we in this world.

- ☐ This is why we can be BOLD because the day of judgment is every day.
- ☐ Today, we can literally walk as the conquering son of God walked the earth.

BECAUSE AS HE IS, SO ARE WE...IN THIS WORLD!

- ☐ If every son of God caught this revelation of their son-ship identity there would be spiritual revolutions all over the earth.

YOU FIGHT A CONQUERED DEFEATED ENEMY:

- ☐ Imagine going to war against an enemy who you know is literally weakened with fear because they are terrified of you.
- ☐ Imagine God letting you hear them say things like "my strength has completely left me," or "I can't fight because I am terrified." How courageous would you feel against your enemy if you knew they were already defeated in their hearts and conquered in their minds?

If heaven has opened your spiritual ears and eyes you no longer need to imagine you are at war against a judged, defeated and conquered enemy.

- ☐ You now know that in Christ you stand before a conquered enemy.
- ☐ You now will begin to minister from a place of strength and victory; not from a place of weakness and defeat.
- ☐ You will begin to operate as a "warrior son!"

House of Breakthrough Church, Kurnool India 2012: Blind woman healed:
Guntamma a woman who had been blind for 3 years came to this meeting Apostle Norm was speaking at. While standing on the platform Apostle Norm prayed a prayer of healing over the crowd and then called for people who felt they had evidence that God had touched or healed them to come and give testimony. Guntamma came up to the stage and shared she had been blind for 3 years and was led by a friend to this meeting. Apostle Norm then asked if there were friends or neighbours who knew this woman who could verify that this was so. Several neighbours and family were called as witnesses and they said that they knew this woman and that she was indeed blind before coming to the meeting. Apostle Norm tested her eyes before thousands of people and they saw that she could clearly see

now as she counted the number of fingers on Apostle Norm's hands from a distance.

WHAT'S OUR ATTITUDE AS SONS?

- We are champions created in this time in history to win because we are clothed with victory which is Christ Jesus.
- Let the weak say I am strong.
- Our winning warrior strength isn't in what we do it is in who we are!

We don't have to try to hype ourselves up to be the great courageous warriors of God to invade the gates of hell...we already are the courageous warriors!

- We are champions in God's eyes already!

Luke 10:19

Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Jesus gave me a _____ over all the powers of the _____.

Authority = Exousia: God ordained authority overruling all powers.

Power = Dunamis: Supernatural power.

- God gave us, the redeemed sons of God, overriding authority over Satan's limited supernatural power.

VICTORY PERSPECTIVE WHEN PRAYING.

- The demons of hell, death and disease are already judged and defeated.
- The diseases, afflictions, sickness and pain are already healed.
- The prisoner in bondage is already free.

- I am not going in to try to conquer the devils or heal the sick or free the addict.

The demons are already conquered.

The sick are already healed.

The prisoner addict is already free.

Angel: Oamaru House of Breakthrough 2012. A woman with aggressive cancer 2nd stage and who also had a tumour in her cheek was at Church for only her 2nd time. After Pastor Norm prayed she said the tumour had completely disappeared. She also had a hip bone metal plate connecting her collarbone which she broke many years ago. She could actually pinch the metal plate with her fingers and feel it through her skin. She said not only did the tumour disappear but the metal plate has completely disappeared. She said she is going to the doctor to tell him what God had done. I advised her not to do that but instead go to the doctor in humility and not tell him anything but to just ask for him to check you over.

Her testimony after the check up. The doctor was playing with my cheek looking for the tumour and was saying I can't find it. I couldn't help myself I was like "I know it's gone! God took it along with my steel plate." The doctor then checked my shoulder and couldn't find the plate and was shocked; and sat down and said, "wow". I then had blood tests taken; the results from the last one is great! My white cell count is at its lowest in 5

years. I have been referred for x ray and an orthopaedic surgeon to see about my shoulder; praise God! Much love and God bless you Ps Norm and Jess. I can honestly say I have never felt so happy; I have never been so at peace.

KNOW WHO YOU ARE.

Exodus 3:11-12

11. But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and that I should bring the children of Israel out of Egypt?"
- 12 So He said, "I will certainly be with you. And this shall be a sign to you that I have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall serve God on this mountain."
- Moses had to deal with his sense of identity in God before he could fully grasp his God ordained destiny.
 - We also must deal with that question "WHO AM I" once and for all if we are going to take back our birthright from behind enemy lines.

KNOW WHO YOUR ENEMY IS.

- The angels have names, the demons have names such as legion, deaf, dumb, death, cancer, etc

Luke 8:29-30

- 29 For Jesus had commanded the evil spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.
- 30 Jesus asked him, "What is your name?" "Legion," he replied, because many demons had gone into him.

- ***But there is a name above every name.***

Phil 2:10-11

- 10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
- 11 and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Mark 16:17

And these signs shall follow them that believe; **In My name shall they cast out devils;** they shall speak with new tongues;

Acts 19:15-16 (KJV)

- 15 And the evil spirit answered and said, "Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye?"
- 16 And the man in whom the evil spirit was leaped on them, and overcame them, and prevailed against them, so that they fled out of that house naked and wounded.

The n_____ of J_____ is above the name of e_____

n_____.

List diseases you are aware of:

Jesus is a_____ all the n_____ of these d_____.

Mark 9:25-26

25 When Jesus saw that the people came running together, he rebuked the foul spirit, saying unto him, **Thou dumb and deaf spirit**, I charge thee, come out of him, and enter no more into him.

26 And the spirit cried, and rent him sore, and came out of him: and he was as one dead; insomuch that many said, He is dead.

T. ARITHA: -House of Breakthrough Church, Kurnool India 2009. Since my birth I have had a problem with hearing as I cannot speak clearly and am partially deaf. I attended this meeting with the help of my grandmother. Apostle Norm called us to the stage and I stood before him when he laid his hand on me. I felt a power passing into my body and then I could slowly hear sounds. He asked me to speak and I found that I could speak clearer than before to some extent. Two days later I can hear clearly and speak fluently 100%. I am very grateful to Jesus and cannot repay him anything for what he has done for me. I have been blessed by these meetings and I thank Jesus for sending Apostle Norm to bring a great change in my life.

SATANIC JUDGMENT NOW: (These are not necessarily in chronological order)

Rev 12: 7-9

7 And war broke out in heaven: Michael and his angels fought with the dragon; and the dragon and his angels fought,

8 but they did not prevail, nor was a place found for them in heaven any longer.

9 So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; **he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.**

Isaiah 14:12-15

12 **"How you are fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How you are cut down to the ground, You who weakened the nations!**

13 **For you have said in your heart: "I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God; I will also sit on the mount of the congregation On the farthest sides of the north;**

14 **I will ascend above the heights of the clouds, *I will be like the Most High.'**

15 **Yet you shall be brought down to Sheol, To the lowest depths of the Pit.**

*The devil is just a created being and we are created beings but we are made in the likeness of God, something the devil can never have. This is one of the reasons he hates Adam's race so much.

Luke 10:18

And he said unto them, **I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven.**

Chapter 8. warrior sons awaken to your identity!

Reign of terror on the enemy kingdom by Joshua:

- The life of Joshua and the authority he exercised over the Canaanites is a type of Christ and the authority He exercised over the devil and all his works.

Deut 2:25

This very day ***I will begin to put the terror and fear of you on all the nations under heaven. They will hear reports of you and will tremble and be in anguish because of you.***"

Josh 2:9-11

- 9 and said to them, "I know that the LORD has given this land to you and that ***a great fear of you has fallen on us, so that all who live in this country are melting in fear because of you.***
- 10 We have heard how the LORD dried up the water of the Red Sea for you when you came out of Egypt, and what you did to Sihon and Og, the two kings of the Amorites east of the Jordan, whom you completely destroyed.
- 11 ***When we heard of it, our hearts melted and everyone's courage failed because of you,*** for the LORD your God is God in heaven above and on the earth below.

Josh 5:1

And it came to pass, when all the kings of the Amorites, which were on the side of Jordan westward, and all the kings of the Canaanites, which were by the sea, heard that the LORD had dried up the waters of Jordan from before the children of Israel, until we were passed over, ***that their heart melted, neither was there spirit in them any more,*** because of the children of Israel.

- The presence of the Joshua generation brought a reign of terror across the land of their enemies. Their enemy's hearts melted like wax in terror and their strength left them so that they were incapacitated and powerless before the Joshua generation.
- Joshua literally faced a conquered and defeated enemy.
- In like manner the devil and all his demons were incapacitated and powerless before Jesus and His disciples. 1 Jn 4:17C
- This therefore is also the same position of authority you hold before the devil as a redeemed son of God. Because Christ is in you, your spirit is the most feared spirit by the demons of hell. 2 Cor 6:17, 1 Jn 4:4B, Mk 16:17, Lk 10:19

Reign of terror on the enemy kingdom by Jesus: **ENTER THE DRAGON "KILLER"**

When Jesus came to the earth His presence brought a reign of terror on the devil, principalities and every demon in hell.

Jesus knew that as the Son of God He faced satan as a judged, conquered and defeated foe. Jesus did not minister from a place of struggle or weakness against the devil and his works; He ministered from the place of strength and victory. The reign of terror was so strong that demons had no resistance against the manifest presence of the warrior son of God.

Mark 1:23-24 (KJV)

23 And there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit; and he cried out,

24 Saying, Let us alone; what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? art thou come to destroy us? I know thee who thou art, the Holy One of God.

Mark 1:34

And He healed many who were ill with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and He was not permitting the demons to speak, because they knew who He was.

Mark 5:7-8 (KJV)

7 And cried with a loud voice, and said, What have I to do with thee, Jesus, thou Son of the most high God? I adjure thee by God, that thou torment me not.

8 For He said unto him, "Come out of the man, thou unclean spirit."

DEMONS FEARED JESUS BEFORE HE CAME TO THE EARTH:

Luke 10:18

And He said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven.

Mark 1:23-24 (KJV)

23 And there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit; and he cried out,

24 Saying, Let us alone; what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? art thou come to destroy us? **I know thee who thou art, the Holy One of God.**

ANNAMMA: House of Breakthrough Church Mortha India 2010 - I came to the crusades at Mortha and was wonderfully healed. For 5 years I have been troubled by an evil spirit and have had no peace. When Apostle Norm laid his on me and prayed I was delivered of the evil spirit and peace has come back to my heart. I thank God for this wonderful healing.

Reign of terror on the enemy kingdom by sons of God:

1 Cor 6:17(KJV)

But he that is joined unto the Lord is one spirit.

Luke 10:17 (KJV)

And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through thy name.

Mark 16:17(KJV)

And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

Luke 10:19(KJV)

Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

- The presence of Jesus brought a reign of terror across the earth and throughout hell to every devil, disease and work of the devil.
- In like manner today we, the sons of God, are to continue that reign of terror against the devil, his demons and every work of the devil on the earth today.

Acts 19:15 (KJV)

And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye?

- A son of God is just as known and feared by the devil as the name of Jesus.
- Just as the hearts of Joshua's enemies melted in terror before them so also the heart of the devil and his demons melt in terror before us the sons of God.

- Just as Joshua literally faced a conquered and defeated enemy so also we the sons of God literally face a conquered and defeated enemy.

FEAR NO EVIL

I am surprised at the fear many Christians have of the devil. The devil has fooled many people into thinking that he is as powerful as God. The devil's nature of evil is the opposite of God's nature of good. The kingdom of God is called the kingdom of light while Satan's Kingdom is called the kingdom of darkness. Satan is the opposite of God just as black is the opposite of white and evil is the opposite of good. However for some people their natural conclusion is that just as Satan is the opposite of God that he is also the equal with God in power. This is a lie, I am sure the devil uses, to intimidate people who don't know the truth of God's word. Yes the devil is the opposite of God in regards evil and good as far as his nature goes, but he is not an equal with God in supernatural power or authority. That is laughable in the sight of the angels and in the sight of Nga Toa a Te Atua; the warrior sons of God. God is the creator and Satan is just a created being.

Psalms 23:4 (KJV)

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.

AWAKENED TO YOUR SON-SHIP.

- In the days of Joshua, out of 40,000 warriors who were on the border of the promised land, only Joshua and Caleb were awakened to their true warrior son-ship in God.
- In the days of Goliath, out of 600,000 warriors, only David was awakened to his true warrior son-ship in God.
- However this one awakened warrior son's faith awakened many other warriors.

IT IS TIME TO AWAKEN SONS TO THEIR IDENTITY AS WARRIOR SONS:

In the days of Wesley, Finney, Taumata a Kura, Ratana, Wigglesworth, Lake, Jefferies, Branham, Kuhlman, etc there were millions of Christians in the earth but few walked in such power with God as these ones did. There were many Christians who were aware of the power and authority of God but few walked in it. It's not as if God only saw these Christians as His sons; however they do appear to be the only "AWAKENED" Christians to their identity as sons of God.

- There are thousands of sons of God on the Coast and hundreds of thousands in NZ... but few are awakened to the power of His manifest presence in their lives.

His awakened ones are humbled because they know their sufficiency is not of themselves but of God and they know that without Christ in them they can do nothing. They know and acknowledge that it is the treasure of Christ's presence in them that is the source of their ministry; that the excellency of the power may be seen to be of God and not themselves. Likewise at 42nd street there were hundreds of soldiers but there were only a few willing to go over the top of the trench. However those ones were who God used to inspire the others to rise up and rout the enemy.

- I must be willing to go where the sleeping sons have never been in order to see breakthrough. I must go where my forefathers went on the path of light.

For years Goliath kept God's people in the trenches of fear and defeat. For 40 days and nights Israel's sleeping sons stayed in the trenches.

Until one day warrior son David arose and destroyed. Likewise the Maori warriors awoke the other warrior sons to battle on 42nd street. It wasn't Goliath who kept the warriors in the trenches of defeat; it was the fear inside them that kept them in defeat. It was their lack of knowing their true identity as warrior sons that kept them in the trenches.

2 Timothy 1:7

For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.

JUDGMENT:

- In Christ we are born again and freed from Satan's hold that was on us as a result of our sin through the first Adam.
- Now in Christ our birthright of "son-ship" along with our spiritual authority in God has been restored.

John 1:12

But as many as received Him, **to them gave He power to become the sons of God**, even to them that believe on His name:

Luke 10:19-20

19 **Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy**: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.
 20 Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that **the spirits are subject unto you**; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.

Mark 16:17

And these signs shall follow them that believe; In My name shall they cast out devils;

House of Breakthrough Church, Mortha, India My name is P.Manga. I am 40 years old and for the last 4 years I've been suffering with cancer which has grown as a lump in my stomach. I also had respiration problems and other body pains. I've been to many places for treatment but only received temporary relief. I was told by the doctor that there was no more they could do for me and that I did not have long to live. I was told of the coming of Apostle Norm to our Church and I attended this service. When Apostle prayed it felt like someone placed their hand inside my body and took the lump out. I felt a great weight leave me and felt the lump has disappeared and I have complete relief in my body. I recognise Jesus has done this for me and my sickness has gone.

OUR BIRTHRIGHT / INHERITANCE BEHIND ENEMY LINES.

True courage is not revealed or needed in the camp of the warriors; it is revealed and needed on the fields of battle.

- Joshua's birthright was not in the land of peace. It was in the land of war; it was behind the enemy lines of Canaan.
- He did not invade it with those who talk about battle; he invaded it with those who fight the battle. (Num 13-14 V Josh 1:16-18)
- In like manner the believer's earthly birthright isn't in the land of peace and it cannot be seized by those who only talk about the field of battle.

My birthright is behind the giants of opposition and the walled cities of hindrance. However there is somebody else waiting for me behind these enemy lines...the Holy Ghost! Victory, success, breakthrough is awaiting me behind enemy lines.

Jericho's defeat and the conquest of Canaan was Joshua's birthright and legacy.

If he didn't go behind enemy lines the Holy Ghost could not have activated destruction against the gates of Jericho and the Canaanites.

Goliath's defeat & the conquest of the Philistines was David's birthright and legacy.

If he didn't go behind enemy lines the Holy Ghost could not have activated His destruction against Goliath and the philistines.

Kaitangata/utu defeat & the spiritual conquest of Tairawhiti our birthright & legacy.

If Taumata a Kura didn't go behind enemy lines then the Holy Ghost could not have activated the defeat of kaitangata utu and demonic darkness off the tangata whenua.

If we don't go behind enemy lines the Holy Ghost cannot activate His destruction against kaitangata utu and the liberty of 10,000.

House of Breakthrough Church Kurnool India 2010: Timothy is 60 years old and was suffering from a paralysis disease. Due to that, one side of his body had become totally paralysed. He consulted the doctors but they were not able to do anything for him. He attended the services and while Apostle Norm was praying he felt an unknown power touch him. As a result of this power he felt life flowing through his paralysed hand and leg and to his amazement he is once again able to move his hand and leg.

WARRIOR SONS:

- ***Joshua and his men knew that as they followed God that they would always face a conquered and defeated foe.***
- ***This is why Joshua was so bold against the Canaanites.***

THE CALLING

From the prophet Te Toiroa in 1766 until now God has sent many prophets with a piece of prophetic light to Tangata Whenua. Each prophet brought a small piece of the light of God's truth for our people in that time in history. I have been privileged to see the supernatural presence of Christ release hope and power to the lives of thousands of people throughout the East Coast on Marae, in Churches, in homes and on the streets of Gisborne. Te Reinga, Ruakituri, Wairoa, Nuhaka, Tolaga Bay, Tokomaru Bay, Ruatoria, Tikitiki, Te Araroa, Hicks Bay; are just some of the places where the presence of God has been welcomed by the beautiful people in those places.

The intention in sharing my experiences through the writing of this material is to inspire young Maori and Pakeha apostles, prophets, evangelists and leaders who want to develop their lives and gifts for the purpose of bringing hope, health and well being to our people.

Although I am willing and available to help awaken / train, empower and deploy any believer in the body of Christ of any race I want to place a particularly spiritual karanga to young Maori apostles, prophets, evangelists and leaders in this our time in history.

In the warrior tradition of our Tipuna and from the days of Taumata a kura until now, the Kingdom of God is awaiting spiritual 'nga toa a te Atua' (*warriors of God*) from within Tangata Whenua to arise.

I believe this is a time in history where a new spiritual day has dawned where their destiny as a warrior people for Christ is to be fulfilled in Aotearoa.

***May you be awakened to your greatest treasure / taonga...
sonship relationship with God.***

***From your sonship relationship with God, I pray you will be
deployed as a warrior son who brings honour to the name of
Christ and freedom for the ones He died for.***

Norm

Pastor Norm came from a radical background of motorcycles, drugs alcohol and violence and martial arts. When he encountered Christ his radical personality carried on over into the Kingdom. He was born again and trained in the power of the supernatural presence of Christ and continually sees Christ perform miracles, signs and wonders that turn people to Christ in their thousands on the local, national and international fields of service. He is gifted to help awaken empower and deploy God's people to minister in the character and supernatural power of God.

Jess

While Norm launched the Apostolic, prophetic and evangelistic ministries of the Church, Jess launched the children's ministry, the women's ministries and much of the pastoral and administrative ministries of the Church. Consequentially she has a large range of experience and wisdom on these topics. Her mentoring women's training programs have raised up strong gifted women and women leaders. Jess' gift of exhortation comes through her preaching in powerful ways which has led to remarkable healings and breakthrough in the lives of many.

2 Tim 1:6

And for this reason I remind you to kindle afresh the gift of God which is in you through the laying on of my hands.

Pastor Norm laid hands on and imparted a gift of God to an India Pastor who testified that in the following 8 months he experienced and saw over 700 miracles and healings. He took what Pastor Norm taught him and applied it.

Another Pastor has seen his Church grow from 130 to over 3000 in under 6 years. This Pastor and his team are experiencing hundreds of amazing healings and powerful miracles that have brought hundreds to Christ.

Pastor Norm believes that one of the reasons many third world Christians see such amazing results is because they are forced to live out their faith whereas Christians in the west appear to have options and are often not forced to use their faith.

Signs, wonders and the manifest presence of God.

When I am confronted with people suffering incurable diseases and impossible situations I do not bring them an academic or a symbolic presence of God, I carry to them the literal manifest presence of God. As they reach out to the mighty Christ in me, He is able to breakthrough every form of bondage.

(Col 1:27 + 2 Cor 4:7)

The whole essence of any true ministry must flow from relationship with Christ. Peter said to the cripple, "What I have I give unto you, stand up and walk!" You can't give what you don't carry. My theme in ministry always centres on intimacy with the presence of Christ. Unless we are carrying His manifest presence what do we have to give?

***See signs and wonders link.

NOTE: I have never healed anybody and nor do I profess to be able to heal anybody. I believe when a person places their faith in the Jesus of the Bible and believes the words He speaks, that they will connect to a power that the Bible says comes from the presence of Jesus Christ. I believe it is the supernatural presence of Jesus Christ that performs signs wonders and miracles today just as He did 2000 years ago.

Norm McLeod

EMPOWERING & DEPLOYING MINISTRY AVAILABLE:

Pastors Norm and Jess are available as conference speakers, inspirational speakers, seminar trainers or Sunday preachers on a large range of Kingdom topics and ministry. These training sessions are not just academic they are interactive and practical and all participants will be taught how to connect to and minister in the supernatural presence of God.

1. **Connecting to and moving in the supernatural.** (How to enjoy a systematic devotional time with God daily.)
2. **School of healing.** (You can't reap what you don't sow and you can't believe what you don't know. Many Christians know God has the ability to heal but few know if He is willing to heal.)
3. **School of the Holy Spirit.** (Familiarity and dishonour toward the presence of God quenches Him. This ministry will help you reclaim your first love back and develop a whole new sense of awe, honour and reverence to His manifest presence.)
4. **School of prophesy.** (Self appointed prophets have brought this ministry into disrepute. Learn the 3 major keys that will help you keep integrity in your prophetic ministry.)
5. **School of signs and wonders.** (It's not a matter of crying out for more of the fullness of Christ's presence to dwell in you in so much as it is a matter of awakening to the fullness of His miraculous presence that already dwells in you...literally.)
6. **Restoring the soul.** (Freeing people of past unresolved, emotional and mental trauma, guilt, shame, depression, anger, etc. Often Pastors have mistaken a wounded soul as a demonic spirit.)
7. **Casting out evil spirits.** (Identifying and delivering people of evil spirits. Get the root out and the spirit will leave.)
8. **Leadership development strategies.** (Keys Pastors Norm and Jess have learnt over decades of leading a powerfully impacting Kingdom Church. Issues on leadership, vision, culture, values, finance, handling betrayal, confronting demons, the difference between demons, territorial spirits and principalities, social and economic community impact, living on the edge, apostolic leadership versus pastoral leadership, grace versus judgment, preventing sexual misconduct, charismatic witchcraft, being a tall poppy, dealing with gossip, etc.)
9. **Vision strategies for Churches and ministry organisations.** (Every organisation needs the 4 components of Vision, values, structure and culture. Most Churches only operate in one or two and thus never achieve their full potential.)
10. **How to preach the Kingdom to people groups who want to kill Christians.** (Pastor Norm works successfully with Churches in semi covert ministry operations amongst people groups that persecute and kill Christians. He has discovered that even atheists are open to the gospel of the Kingdom of God. These keys will help you infiltrate behind the wall of persecution.)
11. **Preach the Kingdom not western culture.** (Just as many colonial missionaries enforced their culture upon indigenous people groups in the past so many well meaning Churches enforce western culture on the unsaved. The only culture we are called to represent is the culture of the Kingdom of heaven.)
12. **Awaken, empower and deploy.** The strength of ministry is determined by the depth of relationship you have with Jesus. This is a teaching on operating out of son-ship instead of struggle. The authority to heal the sick and oppressed greatly increases when Christians discover their birthright of victory.

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Norm and Jess McLeod

Norm and Jess are the senior Pastors of House of Breakthrough Church Gisborne NZ. In 1991 with their family they moved from Oamaru to plant the Church in Gisborne; a city of 30,000. They immediately experienced revival signs and wonders which saw the Church grow with mainly new converts from a morning attendance of 31 to 500 within 4 years. Today the Church is making a kingdom impact in their city spiritually, socially, culturally and economically. Since then House of Breakthrough has sent out dozens of healing and cultural ministries throughout the nation and the world. Today House of Breakthrough Churches in India are experiencing phenomenal ongoing revival and reformation.

AN AWAKENING OF MAORI AND PAKEHA WARRIOR SONS OF GOD.

This book is for all Christians whether Maori, European or otherwise who have a burning desire to extend the Kingdom of God - it is also aimed at a rising new generation of apostles, prophets and leaders in the body of Christ. At this time in Aotearoa it's time for Maori to minister in a more relatable way as Maori to Maori. Some will need to break off decades of religious systems that restrict them from their cultural expressions of love and service to Christ. This doesn't necessarily mean a blanket acceptance of everything in Maori culture. The wisdom and discernment of the Holy Spirit will reveal how to use the gifts of the culture for the glory of God. History tells the story of Taumata a Kura on the East Coast from 1836 onwards and the tremendous response of Maori to Christ as Maori ministered in the power of God. This book will take you beyond from just being a Sunday Church member. It will give a new perspective of son-ship relationship with God, the key to moving in His supernatural power. This decade as Maori and European we will show grace to each other as we understand our true identity as sons of God and we will move forward in unity to extend the Kingdom of God in Aotearoa.

Pastor Norm McLeod is a prophetic voice with a heart to see the Kingdom of God expand across the globe. This is a book that will help take you from where you are, to the next place God has for you.

Mark Ramsey
Senior Pastor
Citipointe Church Brisbane, Australia.

History shows that supernatural healings often lead to rapid church growth and Pastor Norm McLeod's ministry is no exception. The testimonies of just a few of the many miracle cures in which the Lord used him as a vessel are stirring while his teaching brings a fresh perspective to the spiritual challenges we face as Christians. You cannot read this book without being inspired.

Dr Monty Soutar
Author & historian
Ngati Porou, Ngati Awa, Aotearoa / New Zealand

Pastors Norm and Jess McLeod are both mature and respected ministers not only in New Zealand but internationally. Bev and I personally value them as both friends and fellow ministers. They have laboured faithfully ministering powerfully in Church circles for decades. Having built a strong healthy local Church in Gisborne Pastors Norm and Jess now oversee other Churches both in NZ and overseas, bringing years of knowledge and experience. The testimonies recorded in this book reveal how God can flow through a willing vessel and many times in unconventional and extraordinary ways. Norm and Jess have been very effective with the indigenous people (Maori) of (New Zealand) seeing many strongholds broken and lives restored. They have seen the salvation, healing and deliverance of many. With a fresh, radical, raw miracle ministry they continue to establish the Kingdom of God, through the living Church of Jesus Christ. This book, I trust will

encourage others to find their full potential in God, and encourage each one to believe for their own personal breakthrough."

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