

Kingdom Business Alliance, Monthly Meeting September 2, 2010

James Barthel, Season for Kingdom Breakthrough

I. Seeking Breakthrough

- God's word and His promises are true today and intended for His Kingdom Children; we should therefore be seeing breakthrough, signs & wonders, and answered prayers.
 - Jobs, careers, business growth, prosperity
 - Are we recognizing these in our lives and in others?
 - If there is a lack, is it God or Us that need help?

Must ask ourselves, why prayers, actions, decrees are not producing more (internal & external)??

II. Root of Satan's Attack

- God's word describes Satan as a deceiver, destroyer and liar: God's enemy. What are his main weapons he uses against God's chosen children??
- Steve Foss presents an argument that Satan uses two main demonic forces which powers all of life's demons and are the root of Satan's attack!!
 - Insecurity: state of being not secure, not confident, not firm
 - Inferiority: state of feeling lower in position, stature, or value
- In the Garden of Eden (Gen 3), Satan was able to use the two to cause Eve to sin. By causing her to doubt God, he introduced insecurity; by telling her God did not want her to eat of the tree of knowledge because God did not want Eve to become smart as He, Satan introduced inferiority.
- Satan continues these deceptions today; they are at the very root of his warfare tactics. By identifying our enemy's tactics, to plant strongholds of disbelief we can use the God given spirit of wisdom and revelation to conquer sin and achieve God's purpose for our lives.
- Everything Adam & Eve knew to be true was based solely on what God had spoken (truth)

III. True Identity in Christ

- Problem: began when took eyes off of the Lord, lost their identity!! (JN 8:32 Truth is freedom)
- **We/You** are God's favored child, heirs of God, through Christ (RM 8:16):
 - Rom 8:39 We are more than conquers through Christ Jesus
 - Deut 31:6 Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you
 - ISA 54:11 No weapon forged against you will prevail --- heritage of Lord's Servants
- Satan leads us to "believe" deep in our hearts we have lost our security/stature but we actually haven't lost our identity in Christ!! It is a lie creates confusion and steals Kingdom authority.
 - James 1:6 But when he asks, he must believe and not doubt>>> double minded

IV. Comparison

- Satan's fall: comparison with God (EZ 28:15, ISA 14:13 I will be like the most high)
- Not even prepared to judge ourselves
- Jealousy is the outcome; at the forefront of destruction since beginning
 - Cain/Able, Jacob/Essau, Joseph, Israel/Judah
 - EZ 8:4 Image (idol) of jealousy drove God's glory from temple

Lord, my prayer is that over the next several weeks you would show me in my heart and through my emotions how the roots of this attack play out in my life and my faith, I seek your absolute and complete truth about who you are and who I am in you.