



KINGDOM PRAYER AND INTERCESSION

FULFILLING OUR SPIRITUAL CALLING AND DESTINY

INTRODUCTION:

Most everyone acknowledges the importance of individual and congregational prayer. Even some non-believers pray to God or, when in difficult circumstances, they may call on people that they know are believers to pray for them.

Many believers, even those who have a strong relationship with God, including spiritual leaders, battle at times with the conviction of knowing they should pray but also deal with time pressures. Sometimes, the time pressures or other demands win out and then they sense a lack of peace along with a conviction from the Holy Spirit because of their prayerlessness.

On the other hand, Satan can afflict believers with a spirit of condemnation saying, “You never pray enough and your prayers are not effective.” We need to resist that spirit in the name of Jesus. Satan can also cause us to be distracted by good things, creating an atmosphere of busyness and pressure, so that we are diverted away from prayer and become “religiously” busy in that which may be urgent but perhaps of no enduring value.

We need to be alert to these various spirits that want to prevent us from prayer that hinders the Kingdom of God from advancing.

We are living in a time of major upheaval and crisis, both in our nation and around the world. The Spirit of the Lord is raising up an army of prayer warriors, people who will defy what meets the natural eye and seek revelation of what God is both doing and desiring to happen. Upon clear discernment and revelation, Kingdom believers will passionately begin to pray, intercede, and prophecy in agreement with God’s will and Word. They will exercise their spiritual authority that is inherently theirs through the precious blood of Jesus Christ. The amazing result is that the course of one’s life, family, marriage, congregation, business, school, city, state, and nation will begin to change for God’s glory! This is no easy task. It requires an understanding of the following:

1. God’s PRIORITY for prayer
2. God’s PURPOSE for prayer
3. God’s PROVISION for prayer
4. God’s POWER through prayer
5. Our PRIVILEGE to partner with God through prayer

Are we willing to pay the price of passionate prayer and intercession? Are we willing to make the necessary adjustments in our lives to see God’s Kingdom will and purposes to be done on earth as they are in heaven? Are

we willing to deal with mediocre living so that our priorities in life will be consumed by God's passion for His people and the world and not our own? In other words, do we truly want the things that break the heart of the Father to break our heart?

NOW IS THE TIME TO ARISE AND PUSH BACK THE FORCES OF EVIL, AND SPREAD THE GOSPEL OF JESUS SO THAT GOD'S KINGDOM WILL BE ADVANCED!

This is an hour of unprecedented challenge, opportunity, and blessing. Let's not be ignorant of God's will. Let's move forward in the authority of Jesus Christ and through the power of the Holy Spirit!

WE ARE JOINT HEIRS WITH JESUS CHRIST IN INTERCESSION!!!

1. Be informed concerning the reason for prayer and intercession
2. Be inspired to a deeper motivation to prayer and intercession
3. Spend time in prayer together throughout the teaching
4. Be encouraged, motivated and refreshed in the Holy Spirit and by God's living Word.
5. Set individual goals on how to grow and participate in the ministry of intercession
6. Provide some suggested resources that will encourage and motivate prayer.