

# Whose command do we pay attention to?

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**Main Scripture: 1 Kings 13:1-30**

**Supporting Scriptures: James 3: 11; Galatians 1: 6-9**

## Notes:

In this time of Pandemic, we notice everyone is prophesying and it's not coming from God. When you look at the religious sect of the day everyone is prophesying. Many people are hooked up to some people because they saw a word long ago and it came to pass and we take them as our hero but now they are not hearing from the Lord. People are putting the words of God in their own way, but whose command do we pay attention to?

In our days today if signs are not following your message you could be very well out of line. Watch it and investigate it. The young prophet gave the word and it followed with a sign.

You have to be careful when you go against the man of God whether in word or deeds. God can paralyse you. We are dealing with the same God today. You can be dumb or paralyse and things can happen out of the ordinary for you. As was the case with Jeroboam.

What God says will become reality. When a prophet prophesies wait on it because it must come through.

God is a real God and when God speaks we have to heed to his command.

Here is where we go wrong - you can't pay for the gift that God has placed in your life. Or bribe people of God.

There is an instruction that God gave pay attention. Christians pay attention not what your friends say about the word of God. Pay attention to the word of God because it is truth and life.

Something is happening and people are searching out what direction that the man of God is taking. and you have to use the wisdom of God to direct your speech and answers.

There is a thing about spirituality: some places God gives you a word you are only to deliver the word and although you have relatives there but if God said dont eat dont drink its a command from God and it must be obeyed. There is danger in eating or drinking (disobeying God's command)

1Kings 13:18 - isn't that strange here, that the old prophet is lying to the young prophet to deceive the young prophet.

Do you see how deceiving people can be and yet they say they are men of God. And we lap up with them when they are deceivers. Be careful who you attach your spirit to. Be careful who you eat and drink with their meal is deceiving and people can deceive you. Be careful who you are getting spiritual teaching and discernment be careful as this is a form of food. and it detours your spirit from Church and puts you in jeopardy with God.

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1 Kings 13:20 - the Lord gives the deceiving prophet a word for the young prophet.

I want you to understand how careful you must be. Can a fountain send sweet water and bitter water at the same time. (James 3: 11) There are people who are deceivers and waiting to deceive. Let God bring you to a place of understanding who you are linking your spirit with. and then you link with their command. We take one command only from Jesus no one else.

Usually a lion would chase the donkey and chase after the donkey but how strange that the lion stood there with the donkey after killing the young prophet.

Be careful of being disobedient to the Lord's command. Be careful that when God gives you a word you detour from the word. Don't give your life your soul to anyone but let God have his way to control you (Galatians 1:6-9)

Don't allow the commandment of God to shift out of your mind. Words move away from you but heed to the word.

Stay Strong, get yourself in line with God, don't allow lions to eat you and kill you. Say as Daniel Oh king lives forever but I can not bow.

Denounce your friends that are shifting you out of the presence of God. get back to the command of God. Whose command do you pay attention to?

I hope we will open our eyes and see that God's commandment is more important than anything this world could offer.

Take courage and stand strong in Jesus. Live for God it will be better further on. Hold on a little while longer. it won't be long we will be going home.

I want to pay attention to what God is saying. I want to stick to the truth. Some prophets out there are liars but dig into the word of God and find truth. God bless you and keep you and make his face shine upon you God lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

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When God gives a command he will test us to find out if we are obedient to what he says.

Once I went to preach and the Lord said to me if they give you an offering don't take it. I went there and preached the word and I recognized the pastor collected the offering and as soon as they gave the benediction I was long gone. A week after the assistant pastor said that there was a package left for you and I checked it out and it was the offering and I remembered God said don't take the offering and I said give that package to someone who recently migrated to Canada.

What we saw is a false prophet from Samaria (2 Kings 23) You have to understand that when God speaks something you have to believe it with every fiber of your being. If God identifies something and says James is a liar he is a liar until God says differently. If God told me something its His responsibility to let me know when that person has changed. You must understand the principles of the kingdom. God put a word on

your tongue and let no one sway your mind from what command. God's command is a matter of life and death.

This false prophet (watch them preachers that say that they are preachers too) knew about the shekinah on the young prophet. The enemy is always seeking a way to attack the minds of people. Watch those old prophets and those with titles observe their relationship with God.

Some of us are getting comfortable in the house of a false prophet. we sell out and belittle the doctrine of the Church and some don't believe in the doctrine of God. But God said not every one that says Lord Lord will enter into my kingdom.

The Shekinah transferred to the false prophet and spoke it into the ears of the true prophet (that's a mystery) you may prophesy what is true. If God told me don't go back the same way, don't eat there and God gives someone else a word tell them to go back and send the word directly to me. Once you get into the chamber of the false prophet the cloak is over your eyes and you won't hear from the Lord until it's a rebuke. I want to be free in my spirit. I want to stick with the Lord. Not because you say it and it comes to pass means I must adhere to your doctrine. If your words don't line up with the word of God then I can't listen to you.

Someone needs to say instruct me Lord and lead me Lord. Some folk have a spirit of divination and tell you things that will come to pass but God demands obedience it is better than sacrifice.

Some of us may not die physically but our anointing is now defiled when we listen to another voice and sometimes it's not easy God can tell you to separate from someone because the kind of spirit that person has will interfere with your anointing. And you have to handle it with grace but you must be obedient. the anointing comes in obedience to the word of God. God tells you i don't want you to go that way you just have to obey because with obedience will come an anointing from the Lord. Some of us will sell out for anything.

Value the call of God on your life. I rather the word of the Lord than a strange prophet. I won't have a meal with you because I want to eat from the hand of the Lord.

Some of us have sold out for comfort, luxury and pride of Life.