

The Anointing-Navigating to Purpose

JEALOUSY

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Main Scripture: 1 Samuel 18; 1 Samuel 19: 9; 1 Samuel 23: 11-end; 1 Samuel 28: 1- 20;

Supportive Scriptures: 1 John 3: 15; Proverb 26: 11; 2 Peter 2: 20-22; Galatians 5: 19-21; Leviticus 20: 6, 27; Exodus 22: 18

Notes:

Only his name is wonderful - Jesus the one who gained the victory for us. We thank him tonight. Last week we were looking at the spirit of jealousy and the character of King Saul and David.

Johnathan loved his fathers enemy as himself. We see an individual who is not carrying the spirit of jealousy. He loved David as himself, he is not challenged because David is anointed as King. He asks David to ensure his family is spared because he knows what God will do in the life of David. Because the presence of the Lord was with David he was successful. We can only be successful when the presence of the Lord is with us.

One song that highlighted the victory that David had not by his own strength because he went to war in the name of the Lord and the people looking on began to sing praises for Saul and David. For David they attributed 10 times more than Saul.

Last week we spoke that after disobeying the Lord and rejecting the will of God Saul was rejected by the Lord and an evil Spirit went forth to torment Saul. David was called in to play the instrument and this would provide calm to Saul. In his insecurity he is jealous of David.

In this world there will always be people better than us in some areas of Life. There will be people who are anointed differently than us. There are people who are perhaps blessed with wealth. But we should be comfortable never to compare ourselves with others. Never to believe that because someone is more advanced that they are better than us in the eyes of God. Every individual has a purpose in God. Every person called of the Lord has a purpose and no man can fulfill your purpose. God has a plan for your life and my life. I am not more special than anyone else in the kingdom - that's pride.

If there is sin in our lives it leaves an open door for Satan to have an occasion to torment us. Saul's anger with David had become hatred. There is no telling what can happen if we have hatred in our hearts for our brothers and sisters (1 John 3: 15) - no murderer has eternal life in them.

There is a next side to this - don't worry about those who are jealous just continue to live for God. Don't become fearful and try to build your defense if the presence of the Lord is with you. He will be a shield around you. You can only get success when God is with you.

Saul is a jealous individual who hates his brother who recognizes the truth that God is with him and yet still trying to kill the anointed man.

Saul is not thinking about his Daughter in 1 Samuel 18: 21 it is all about Saul.

A person carrying the spirit of jealousy never thinks good of their brothers and sisters. That spirit will do anything to take you out.

If God removes his presence all kinds of spirits (it takes only one sin to open the door) come pouring into our lives.

Some folks just don't like to see the spirit of the Lord move in an individual. You are carrying a dangerous spirit when the Holy Ghost moves and you are upset in your spirit. There is an evil spirit tormenting you.

Not even God would take the life of Aaron in his priestly garment but Saul had no fear of God and the Edomite killed in their Priestly garments. All 85 of them.

Proverb 26: 11; 2 Peter 2: 20-22

The Lord was silent to Saul because his life displeased the Lord. So he goes to the witch to consult her since God is not speaking and he is in fear and panic.

Those that were around him knew that the king said to kill all the workers of witchcraft how is it that they can recommend one to Saul

Sin plunges us to utter darkness. Once we give an opening to the enemy he takes the whole thing. There are folks who don't mind being in the church and still consulting with other spirits. This is detestable. God hates this act, it disgusts him and no person who does such things has any hope for eternal life. There is a great curse that comes along with it.

If Saul was not jealous of David, David would have been beside him fighting the philistines. Even in Saul's rejection, if David went out to inquire of the Lord for the Battle and David would have received the ok to defend Israel and Saul would be victorious but now Saul is left alone and there is no God to answer him so he looks for a witch.

You can't escape out of the hand of God but avoiding repentance will lead us to some dark places. When Saul should have mourned for his sins he avoided confession until the kingdom was taken from him. There is a time for repentance and for us to fall before the face of the Lord.

The man who doesn't walk with the Lord the end result is death.

Let's look around, there are those who are jealous of individuals, the anointing comes from God there is nothing that man can do about it. We can try to kill but we will never have. It is the Lord's doing and it is marvelous. We are called to bless not to curse. To speak positively about our brothers and sisters. Don't let the enemy use us to destroy our brothers and sisters, let's love one another. That spirit of jealousy has to go! My body is the temple of the living God and was made to worship him. You may have a gift and the potential but you have to wait until your time of showing. No man can prevent you from becoming what God wants you to be. Wait on the Lord be of good courage. If you are called to teach when God is ready you will teach, if he is ready for you to sing then when God gets ready no one can hold you.

Testimony

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I sensed a strong sense of jealousy and I was sleeping and I felt a spirit over me and I heard the voice of God plain - no man can take away what God placed inside of you and he spoke the third time so loudly and sternly and I shook and cried. I couldn't sit up and the presence left and I rolled off the bed on my face and worshipped God. The Spirit of jealousy is on the church and it cripples the church.

Let the Lord saturate you innermost being you don't need to be called of men if men forgets you and heaven is honouring you you don't need to worry.

Church is not a place for men to shine, it's for God to be seen. You can't hate your brother and dance around in church. It's hypocrisy and the Lord finds no pleasure in it.

You can't stay in the church and fool around God will expose you because God is jealous about his church. It is his bride.

God will lose some things in this church. I see an outpouring of the Holy Ghost.

The Lord knows our uncleanness and he is jealous for his people.

The blessing of the Lord is going to flow. We mess around, our hands are not clean and our feet are going where we shouldn't go and lips saying what we should not be saying. You can't have two masters one Spirit controls the church and it's the spirit of the Lord.