

The Power of Jesus

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HERE IS AN amazing statement in the Bible, made by Jesus Christ: *All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.* Mat. 28:18

These are not the words of a charlatan or of an idle philosopher. They were spoken by the Lord Jesus, God's Son, as He addressed His followers.

He had just been raised from the dead. Religious fanatics who resented His claim to have come from God, had succeeded in having Him condemned and crucified. **BUT NOW HE WAS ALIVE AGAIN.**

He wanted His message of *Love* and of *Life* to be spread to all the world. So He commanded His followers to go and preach the Good News to every creature. He promised to always be with them, confirming His message that they would give, *even unto the end of the world.* Mat. 28:18-20

That was the occasion on which He said: **ALL POWER IS GIVEN UNTO ME IN HEAVEN AND IN EARTH.**

What a wonderful promise for us as believers today. And it is good for *you*. The same Lord is present with you, right now, *with all power in heaven and in earth*, willing to bless you if you will only believe in Him?

That statement, made by the Lord Jesus, means much for you and me. He

is just as real, just as powerful, just as compassionate, just as good *today* as He was in biblical times.

When Christ was here, one day He was in a boat with His disciples on the sea of Galilee. A storm arose and almost sank their ship. But Jesus stood up and spoke to the storm: *Peace, be still.* Mar. 4:39 Immediately, *there was a great calm.* What a wonder!

The storm of trouble or sickness or fear may be blowing in your life now, menacing and disturbing you. Invite Jesus into your boat to speak peace. He has all power. He will destroy your disease. He will dispel your fears. He will forgive your sins. He says, *My peace I give to you.* Joh. 14:27

Let Him speak into your life today?

When Jesus ministered to people here on earth, a leper cried out to Him for mercy. *Jesus was moved with compassion, and touched him saying, Be clean.* Mar. 1:41 *Immediately the leprosy departed from him and he was cleansed.* v.42 Our Lord has **ALL POWER!**

I have seen Him cure many lepers during the years of my world ministry. And His power can meet your need, whatever it may be.

Your life may be filled with sin. Just as He cured the leper, He will forgive and cleanse you, if you will

call on Him and *only believe*. Nothing is impossible for the Lord.

The Bible tells of a blind man who cried out to Jesus for mercy. The Lord heard his cry and responded, *Your faith has made you whole. And immediately he received his sight.* Mar. 10:46-52

I have witnessed the miraculous healing of many blind people in our meetings. In one nation, the pastors counted over 50 blind people who received their sight during the weeks of our crusade there.

Jesus heals the blind today the same as He did in biblical times. He has never changed. He has *all power in heaven and in earth*. Believe that, and call upon Him to meet your need. He will respond to you.

A woman was brought to Jesus who had been taken in the act of adultery. She was filled with shame. Jesus was compassionate. He said, *Woman, I do not condemn you. Go, and sin no more.* Joh. 8:3-11

The Bible says, *God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved.* Joh. 3:17

Jesus said to a crippled man: *Son, your sins are forgiven; rise, take up your bed and walk.* Mat. 9:2-7

The man was forgiven of his sins and he was instantly healed. Yes, the Lord has *all power in heaven and in earth*. It is wonderful to know that He speaks those words to you today, if you can *only believe*.

Everywhere the Master went, He performed miracles. One day a crowd followed Him to a desert place to hear Him teach, but they had no food. Mat. 14:13-16

Jesus took five loaves and two fish and blessed them, broke them and gave them to his disciples to distribute

among the multitude. *5,000 men, besides women and children, were miraculously fed.* vs.17-21 *He has all power in heaven and in earth.*

You may be in need. He can miraculously multiply whatever you have and supply your need too, if you trust Him and call upon Him.

NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

NO HABIT IS TOO EVIL. Christ is ready to break its power in your life. He drove the demons out of people when He was here and He still wants to set the captives free.

NO SIN IS TOO GREAT. He will purge you from your sins if you will trust Him. *The blood of Jesus Christ will purge your conscience to serve the living God.* Heb. 9:14

NO DISEASE IS INCURABLE. He will heal you and make you every whit whole if you will believe. Exo. 23:25

NO NEED IS TOO GREAT. He will perform a miracle, if necessary, to supply your needs. Believe His Word and put your trust in Him. Phm. 4:19; Psa. 23:1; 68:19


He says: *Call to me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you never knew.* Jer. 33:3

Believe Him, and call upon Him. He has promised to answer you. He says: *All power is given unto Me in heaven and in earth.* Mat. 28:18

And ponder this: With all of His great power, He wants to be *your* personal Savior and Healer and Friend. Receive Him by faith today.

He says *I am the Lord, the God of all flesh. Is there anything too hard for me?* Jer. 32:27

How wonderful that such a mighty, living Christ is ready to be *your* Savior and deliverer today!

Believe in Him and receive Him now. God bless you! 

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