*September 9, 2018: Ministry With Christ / Peace and Breath of Heaven / Flow of The Spirit*

**“…Peace Be With You”**

**John 20:19-22**

* **We must make the of Christ our CORE Competency.**
* **We must make the GLORIFICATION of Christ our Highest .**
* **We must make the Gospel of the MINISTRY of Christ our Sacred .**
* **We need the WITNESS of The Spirit of Christ and the of His Grace.**

***Acts 1:8 NIV - “****But* ***you will receive power*** *when the* ***Holy Spirit*** *comes on you; and you will be my witnesses...”*

* **We exist to do the of Christ; in the LOVE of Christ; for the GLORY of Christ; by the of Christ!**

***Romans 1:16 NKJV -*** *For* ***I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone*** *who believes...*

***John 20:19-22 NIV78 -*** *On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with* ***the doors locked for fear*** *of the Jews,* ***Jesus came and stood******among them*** *and said, “****Peace*** *be with you!”* ***20****After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were* ***overjoyed*** *when they saw the Lord.* ***21Again*** *Jesus said, “****Peace*** *be with you!* ***As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.****”* ***22****And with that* ***he breathed on them*** *and* ***said****, “****Receive the Holy Spirit****.”*

1. **Legitimated By His RESURRECTION.**
   * ***John 20:19-20 / 1 Corinthians 15:2-4***
2. **Motivated By His LOVE.**
   * ***John 20:19-20 / John 3:16-17 / John 15:19 / 1 John 1:3 / John 13:34-35***


6. **Captivated By His .**

***John 20:19 NIV78 -*** *…****Jesus came and stood******among them*** *and said, “****Peace*** *be with you…!”*

* + ***1 Peter 5:7 / Romans 14:17 / Colossians 3:15***

1. INHERITANCE.

***John 14:27*** *-* ***Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you****…*

***Philippians 4:6-7 NKJV -*** *Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; 7 and the* ***peace of God, which surpasses all understanding****, will* ***guard*** *your* ***hearts*** *and* ***minds*** *through Christ Jesus.*

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***Matthew 5:9 NIV - Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.***

* + ***Romans 12:18; 15:13 / 1 Peter 3:8-9 / Luke 6:27-28***

***2 Corinthians 5:18-19 NIV*** *- All this is from* ***God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation:*** *19 that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men’s sins against them. And* ***he has committed to us the message of reconciliation****.*

* + ***1 John 1:9 / 1 John 2:2***

***Acts 9:26-27 VOICE -*** *And he [Saul] returned to Jerusalem. He tried to join the disciples there, but they didn’t think he was sincere.* ***27Only one person accepted Saul as a genuine disciple, Barnabas,*** *who* ***became Saul’s advocate*** *to the* ***apostles****. He told the whole story of what happened in Damascus, from Saul’s vision and message from the Lord to his transformation into a confident proclaimer of the name of Jesus.*

* + ***Romans 14:19 / Romans 10:15 / 1 Corinthians 12:27***

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**INHERITANCE is what We RECEIVE.**

**RESPONSIBILITY is what We DO.**

**LEGACY is what We .**

***James 3:18 NIV*** *-* ***Peacemakers*** *who* ***sow in peace raise a harvest of righteousness****.*

***Luke 6:35 NIV -*** *But* ***love your enemies****,* ***do good*** *to them, and* ***lend*** *to them without expecting to get anything back.* ***Then your reward will be great****, and you will be* ***sons of the Most High****, because he is kind to the ungrateful and wicked.*

* + ***2 Corinthians 4:3-6 / Ephesians 2:14***

***Matthew 5:9 AMPC - Blessed*** *(enjoying enviable happiness, spiritually prosperous—with life-joy and satisfaction in God’s favor and salvation, regardless of their outward conditions) are the* ***makers and maintainers of peace****, for* ***they shall be called the sons of God!***

1. **Empowered By His .**

***John 20:21-22 NIV78 -*** *Again Jesus said, “****Peace*** *be with you!* ***As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.****”* ***22****And with that* ***he breathed on them*** *and* ***said****, “****Receive the Holy Spirit****.”*

***Habakkuk 3:2 MESSAGE -*** *God, I’ve heard what our ancestors say about you, and I’m stopped in my tracks, down on my knees.* ***Do among us what you did among them. Work among us as you worked among them…***