**Aflame Sunday Celebration Message – 05 May 2019**

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**Theme : GOD’s Eternal Kingdom & HIS Church (4)**

**1st Coming of JESUS - Declared “ I AM the WAY, the TRUTH, and the LIFE” – John 14: 6a.**

**John 8: 32, 36**

“And you shall know the Truth, and the Truth shall make you Free.”

“Therefore if the SON makes you free, you shall be Free indeed.”

**JESUS as the SON of GOD, Came on earth as the Son of Man, to Set Free & Redeem Sinners.**

**Colossians 1: 12 – 14**

Giving thanks to the FATHER who has qualified us to be partakers of the Inheritance of the saints

in the LIGHT.

HE has Delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed *us* into the KINGDOM of the SON

of HIS Love, in Whom we have Redemption through HIS Blood, the Forgiveness of sins.

**JESUS Delivered & Set FREE for Living in the TRUTH, in the LIGHT of JESUS’ KINGDOM.**

**3 John 1: 2 – 4 (AMPC)**

Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in every way and [*that your body*] may keep well, even as [*I know*] your soul keeps well and prospers. In fact, I greatly rejoiced when [*some of*] the brethren from time to time arrived and spoke [*so highly*] of the sincerity and fidelity of your life, as indeed you do live in the Truth [*the whole Gospel presents*]. I have no greater joy than this, to hear that my [*spiritual*] children

are living their Lives in the Truth.

**JESUS’ Blood is the Covering of our Past & Sin, for Remission of Sin & GOD’s Forgiveness.**

**Matthew 26: 28 – 29**

“For this is MY Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for many for the *Remission of Sins*. But

I say to you, I will not drink of this Fruit of the Vine from now on until that Day when I drink It New with you in MY FATHER's Kingdom.”

**As Heavenly Citizens, All will Appear before JESUS as the Judge of the New Blood Covenant.**

**Hebrews 12: 24 – 25a (NLT)**

You have come to JESUS, the ONE Who mediates the New Covenant between GOD and people, and

to the sprinkled BLOOD, which speaks of Forgiveness instead of crying out for vengeance like the

blood of Abel. **Be careful that you do not Refuse to Listen to the ONE Who is Speaking.**

**Hebrews 12: 28 – 29**

Therefore, since we are Receiving A KINGDOM which cannot be shaken, let us have Grace, by which

we may serve GOD acceptably with Reverence and Godly Fear. For our GOD is A Consuming FIRE.

**For JESUS’ 2nd Coming, Believers Receiving the Eternal Kingdom of GOD, to Be Transformed.**

**John 11: 25b – 26**

"I am the Resurrection and the Life. He who believes in ME, though he may die, he shall live.

And whoever lives and believes in ME shall *never die*. Do you believe this ?"

**Power of Transformation from Natural to Spiritual, for an Everlasting Body to Enter Kingdom.**

**1 Corinthians 15: 46, 47, 49**

However, the spiritual is not first, but the natural, and afterward the spiritual.

The first man *was* of the earth, *made* of dust; the second Man is the LORD from Heaven.

And as we have borne the image of the *man* of dust, we shall also bear the Image of the Heavenly Man.

**The Transformed Spiritual Body is Immortal, Non Perishable in GOD’s KINGDOM, Forever.**

**– Reference 1 Corinthians 15: 53 – 56, 57 – 58**

**This Victory is over Sin & Death, It is an Everlasting Victory, so our Faith in Serving the KING.**

**1 Corinthians 15: 57 – 58 (NLT)**

But thank GOD ! HE gives us Victory over sin and death through our LORD JESUS CHRIST. So,

my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable.

Always work enthusiastically for the LORD, for you know that nothing you do for the LORD is ever useless.

**JESUS CHRIST has All AUTHORITY till Victory After 2nd Coming Resurrection & Millennium.**

**1 Corinthians 15: 24 – 28 (NLT)**

After that the End will come, when HE will turn the Kingdom over to GOD the FATHER,

*having destroyed every ruler and authority and power*. For CHRIST must Reign until

HE humbles all HIS enemies beneath his feet. And the last enemy to be destroyed is death.

For the Scriptures say, “GOD has put all things under HIS Authority.” (Of course, when it says “All things are under HIS Authority,” that does not include GOD HIMSelf, Who gave CHRIST HIS Authority.)

Then, when All things are under HIS Authority, the SON will put HIMSelf under GOD’s AUTHORITY,

so that GOD, Who gave HIS SON Authority over All things, will be utterly Supreme over everything everywhere.

**We must Understand CHRIST’s Victory & HIS Authority of GOD’s Kingdom till HIS 2nd Coming.**

**Ephesians 1: 19 – 23 (NLT)**

I also pray that you will understand the Incredible Greatness of GOD’s Power for us who believe HIM. This is the same mighty Power that Raised CHRIST from the dead and Seated HIM in the Place of Honor at GOD’s Right Hand in the Heavenly Realms. Now HE is Far Above any ruler or authority or power or leader or anything else - not only in this world but also in the world to come.

GOD has put All Things under the Authority of CHRIST and has made HIM HEAD over All things for the benefit of the CHURCH. And the CHURCH is HIS BODY; it is made Full and Complete by CHRIST,

Who fills All things everywhere with HIMSELF.

**The CHURCH is Not An Institution, IT Functions as A Spiritual BODY under CHRIST the HEAD.**

**1 Corinthians 12: 12 – 14**

For as the Body is one and has many members, but all the members of that One Body, being many,

are One Body, so also is CHRIST. For by One SPIRIT we were All Baptized into One BODY –

whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free - and have all been made to drink into ONE SPIRIT.

For in fact the BODY is not one member but many.

**We are to have A MIND of CHRIST, Even in HIS Divine Form, Willing to Humble to Be Human.**

**Philippians 2: 5 – 7**

Let this Mind be in you which was also in CHRIST JESUS, Who, being in the Form of GOD,

did not consider it robbery to be Equal with GOD, but made HIMSelf of no reputation,

*taking the form* of a bondservant, and *Coming in the likeness of men*.

**After JESUS Emptied HIMSELF of HIS Divinity, HE Learnt Obedience when in Human Form.**

**- Reference Philippians 2: 8 – 11**

**JESUS as A Human SON Learnt Obedience under the Spiritual Authority of HIS FATHER.**

**Hebrews 5: 8 – 9 (NLT)**

Even though JESUS was GOD’s SON, HE ***Learned Obedience* from the things** **he suffered**.

In this way, GOD qualified HIM as A Perfect HIGH PRIEST, and HE became the Source of

Eternal Salvation for All *those who Obey* HIM.

**NOT Submitting to HIS Spiritual & Delegated Authorities, is to be Rebellious to GOD’s Authority.**

**1 Samuel 15: 23 (NLT)**

“Rebellion is *as sinful as witchcraft*, and Stubbornness as bad *as worshiping idols*.

So because you have rejected the command of the LORD, HE has rejected you as king.”

**~ Miriam Rebel vs Moses - Miriam Struck immediately with Leprosy (Numbers 12).**

**~ Korah & Company of 250 vs Moses & Aaron - Earth Opened & Consumed All (Numbers 16).**

**~ Saul Obeyed Religiously in Spiritual Blindness, Encountering the LORD, then Submit to HIM.**

**~ Ananias, a Disciple Delegated to Minister & Set Saul Free, Saul Submitted to him (Acts 9: 17).**

**~ Ananias was the Delegated Spiritual Authority to Saul, who learnt Obedience to be Paul.**

**A Church is A Dwelling Place of GOD, All Household Members Fitted as ONE by the SPIRIT. Ephesians 2: 18 – 22**

For through HIM we both have Access by One SPIRIT to the FATHER. Now, therefore, you are

no longer strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints and members of the

Household of GOD, having been Built on the Foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, JESUS

CHRIST HIMSelf being the Chief Cornerstone, in Whom the whole Building, being Fitted together,

Grows into a Holy Temple in the LORD, in Whom you also are being Built Together for

A Dwelling Place of GOD in the SPIRIT.

**All Reborn Members are Baptised by the SPIRIT into CHRIST’s Body, as CHRIST is the HEAD. Ephesians 4: 3 – 6 (NLT)**

Make every effort to keep yourselves United in the SPIRIT, Binding yourselves together with Peace.

For there is One Body and One SPIRIT, just as you have been Called to One Glorious Hope for the future. There is One LORD, One Faith, ***One Baptism***, One GOD and FATHER of All, Who is over all,

in all, and Living through All.

**Ephesians 4: 11 – 16 (NLT)**

Now these are the Gifts CHRIST gave to the Church: the Apostles, the Prophets, the Evangelists, and

the Pastors and Teachers. Their responsibility is to equip GOD’s people to do HIS Work and

***Build Up*** the Church, the Body of CHRIST. This will *continue until we all come to such* Unity in our

Faith and Knowledge of GOD’s SON that we will be mature in the LORD, measuring up to the Full and Complete Standard of CHRIST.

Then we will no longer be immature like children. We won’t be tossed and blown about by every wind of new teaching. We will not be *influenced when people try to trick us with lies so clever* they sound like the Truth. Instead, we will speak the Truth in Love, growing in every way more and more like CHRIST,

Who is the HEAD of HIS Body, the Church. HE makes the whole Body *fit together perfectly*.

As each part does its *own special work*, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole Body is

*Healthy and Growing and Full of Love*.

**Romans 16: 17 – 20**

Now I urge you, brethren, note those who cause divisions and offenses, contrary to the Doctrine which you learned, and avoid them. For those who are such do not serve our LORD JESUS CHRIST, but

their own belly, and by smooth words and flattering speech deceive the hearts of the simple.

For your Obedience has become known to all. Therefore I am glad on your behalf; but I want you

to be Wise in what is Good, and simple concerning evil. And the GOD of Peace will crush Satan

*under your feet* shortly. The Grace of our LORD JESUS CHRIST be with you. Amen.

**Members’ Bodies are CHRIST’s BODY, so are Not to Commit Physical or Spiritual Adultery.**

**1 Corinthians 6: 14 – 20**

And GOD both raised up the LORD and will also raise us up by HIS Power.

Do you not know that your bodies are members of CHRIST ? Shall I then take the members of CHRIST and make *them* members of a harlot ? Certainly not ! Or do you not know that he who is joined to

a harlot is one body *with her ?*  For "THE TWO," HE says, "SHALL BECOME ONE FLESH."

But he who is joined to the LORD is One Spirit *with* HIM. Flee sexual immorality. Every sin that

a man does is outside the body, but he who commits sexual immorality *sins against his own body*.

Or do you not know that your body is the Temple of the HOLY SPIRIT Who is in you, Whom you

have from GOD, and you are not your own ? For you were bought at a price; therefore Glorify GOD

in your body and in your spirit, which are GOD's.

**1 Corinthians 3: 16 – 17**

Do you not know that you are the Temple of GOD and *that* the SPIRIT of GOD dwells in you ?

If anyone defiles the Temple of GOD, GOD will destroy him. For the Temple of GOD is Holy,

which Temple you are.