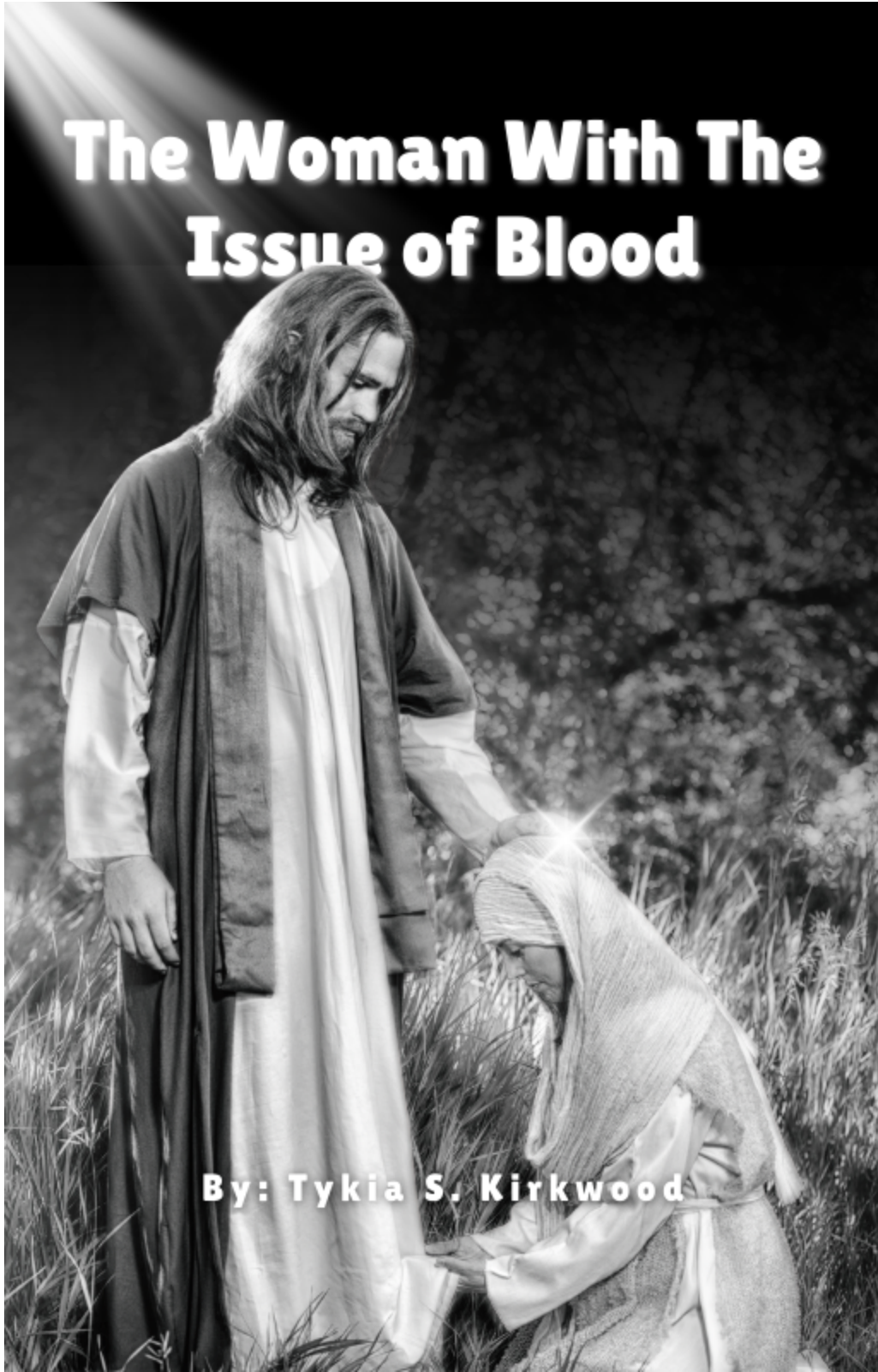


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Good morning Saints of GOD! I hope you all are doing well. It has been quite some time since I've done a teaching but I am so grateful and thankful to FATHER for this one. Saints, for the past few months/years the enemy has tried his absolute best to draw away the Saints of THE MOST HIGH. The enemy has fought and made war with JESUS' Saints. And why is that? Because HE knoweth that he have but a short time. Satan and his demons have attacked not those that are already his, but those that are mature in CHRIST. Those who have given their lives to FATHER wholeheartedly, who have souled out to FATHER, those are the ones Satan and his demonic army are after. But be of good cheer Saints! For your redemption drawth nigh! Satan is defeated by THE POWER AND BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST. FOR JESUS IS THE KING OF KINGS!! JESUS IS THE LORD OF LORDS!! HE IS THE ALPHA AND THE OMEGA! JESUS IS THE BEGINNING AND THE END!! JESUS IS THE GENESIS TO REVELATION!! HE IS THE WHOLE BOOK! JESUS IS THE SAVIOR AND THE ONE SALVATION MUST COME THROUGH!! IT IS JESUS AND HAS ALWAYS BEEN ABOUT JESUS!! AMEN!!

Saints, I want us to turn our bibles to the historical encounter of the woman with the issue of blood. This can be found in Matthew 9:20-22, Mark 5:25-34, and Luke 8:43-48. We will dive into all three passages to uncover this marvelous encounter this one woman had with THE LORD. It was recorded as a brief encounter, yet much insight is in these verses. THERE IS SO MUCH MORE TO FATHER'S WORD!! AMEN!

Matt 9:20 And, behold, **a woman, which was diseased with an issue of blood twelve years**, came behind him, and **touched** the hem of his garment:

Matt 9:21 For she said within herself, If I may but **touch** his garment, **I shall be whole**.

Matt 9:22 But **Jesus turned him about**, and when he **saw** her, he said, Daughter, be of **good comfort**; thy **faith hath made thee whole**. And the woman was made **whole** from that hour.

Saints I pray that FATHER opens your eyes to seeing this spiritual truth. I pray that your spiritual glasses be on and that HE gives you understanding. Let us study to shew ourselves approved. Let's start by examining verse 20.

The woman in this text represents what many women in the bible represent - which is THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST. Paul tells us in Ephesians 5, the mystery of the union of marriage. He says "Husbands, love your wives, **even as Christ also loved the church**, and gave himself for it;". The woman in Matthew 9 represents the church of JESUS CHRIST, the bride of

THE BRIDEGROOM. Let's continue in this verse. It says this woman (i.e. THE CHURCH) was diseased with an issue of blood twelve years. This phrase in the Greek is the word **haimorroēō** [G131 - means to flow blood, i.e. have a hæmorrhage]. Now historically, the disease/issue this woman had was mentioned in the book of Leviticus 15:19; 25-27.

Lev 15:19 And if a woman have an issue, and her issue in her flesh be blood, she shall be put apart seven days: and whosoever toucheth her shall be unclean until the even.

Lev 15:25 And if a woman have an issue of her blood many days out of the time of her separation, or if it run beyond the time of her separation; all the days of the issue of her uncleanness shall be as the days of her separation: she shall be unclean.

Lev 15:26 Every bed whereon she lieth all the days of her issue shall be unto her as the bed of her separation: and whatsoever she sitteth upon shall be unclean, as the uncleanness of her separation.

Lev 15:27 And whosoever toucheth those things shall be unclean, and shall wash his clothes, and bathe himself in water, and be unclean until the even.

This woman, according to Levitical law, was considered unclean. In other words she was menstrual. She was to be separated [H5079 - nidâ - rejection, far, filthiness, put apart, removed, set apart, unclean] from everyone for seven days on her normal cycle (v.19). But if her issue of blood persists past her normal cycle, it would be like the days of her separation (v.25). In other words, the woman in Matthew 9, according to Levitical law, was to be separated, set apart from others. What am I getting at here? Thank you for asking. THE LORD has set HIS CHURCH apart for sanctification, purification, and to be made clean by HIS HOLY SPIRIT. Check out these verses in the new testament about THE CHURCH, that THE LORD has set apart for HIMSELF.

2 Thess 2:13-14 But we are bound to give thanks alway to God for you, brethren beloved of the Lord, **because God hath from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth:** Whereunto he called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Lev 20:26 And ye shall be holy unto me: for I the Lord am holy, **and have severed you from other people, that ye should be mine.**

The word severed in the Hebrew is [H914 - bāḏal - to divide, separate, distinguish, differ, select, (make, put) difference].

Psalms 4:3 But know that the LORD hath **set apart** him that is godly for himself: the LORD will hear when I call unto him.

Set apart in the Hebrew is the word **pālâ** to distinguish (literally or figuratively):—put a difference, show marvellous, separate, set apart, sever, make wonderfully.

And look what JESUS prays:

John 17:15 I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil.

John 17:16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.

John 17:17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.

This woman (i.e. THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST) was set apart (divided, difference, distinguished, select) by THE LORD to be cleansed by THE LORD. Let's continue in scripture.

Matt 9:20 And, behold, a woman, which was diseased with an issue of blood twelve years, came behind him, and **touched** the hem of his garment:

This woman with the issue of blood, went behind JESUS and touched the hem of his garment. Let's take a look at the word touched in the Greek. Touched is the word **haptomai** [G680, G681 - means to attach oneself to, to fasten to, to set on fire, kindle, light]. Are you seeing this saints?! This woman decided to attach herself to THE HOLY ONE, JESUS CHRIST. She fastened herself to JESUS CHRIST. She was set on fire by THE LORD JESUS CHRIST. That fire is the HOLY SPIRIT. That fire shall refine her as silver (Zechariah 13:9 “And I will bring the third part **through the fire, and will refine them as silver is refined**, and will try them as gold is tried: they shall call on my name, and I will hear them: I will say, It is my people: and they shall say, The Lord is my God.”). This is what THE NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH shall do. We must fasten ourselves to THE LORD JESUS CHRIST in these last days. We must stay kindled and our lamps trimmed and burning bright just as the wise virgins did in Matthew 25. This is a message to THE NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH FROM ABOVE and to FATHER'S Gatekeepers. THE CHURCH of JESUS CHRIST has THE LIGHT. And who is that light? JESUS CHRIST IS THE LIGHT OF THE CHURCH (John 8:12).

I want to also point out the rest of that verse “the hem of his garment”. The word hem in the Greek is the word **kraspedon** [G2899 - means a margin, fringe, tassel, **border**]. After reading this verse, it sounded quite familiar to a scripture in the old testament. Turn your bibles to Zechariah 8:23.

Zech 8:23 Thus saith the Lord of hosts; In those days it shall come to pass, that ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, **even shall take hold of the skirt of him that is a Jew**, saying, We will go with you: for we have heard that **God is with you**.

Can you see the correlation, Saints? The woman (i.e. the church) shall take hold of the skirt of HIM that is a Jew. That HIM mentioned here is JESUS CHRIST. For THE NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH shall say “We will go with YOU (JESUS): for we have heard that GOD is with you”. In other words, we have heard that you (JESUS) are EMMANUEL (Matthew 1:23). TO GOD BE THE GLORY!!!!

Let's continue studying.

Matt 9:21 For she said within herself, If I may but touch his garment, **I shall be whole.**

This woman's faith in THE LORD JESUS CHRIST was very great (x-large) and significant. She stated within herself (that is in her mind), if she may but touch his garment, she shall be whole. I want us to focus on the phrase “I shall be whole”. In the Greek, this phrase is the word **σῶζō** [G4982 - to save, i.e. deliver or protect, heal, preserve, save (self), do well, be (make) whole.]. In other words, this woman believed that if she had touched even just the hem of JESUS' garment that she would be saved, delivered, protected, healed, and preserved. When THE CHURCH touches the hem of HIS garment (i.e. fastens itself, attaches itself) to JESUS, the church will be saved, delivered, protected, healed, and preserved. We will talk more on this word **σῶζō** in a moment. Let's continue in scripture.

Matt 9:22 But Jesus turned him about, and when he saw her, he said, Daughter, be of good comfort; thy faith hath made thee whole. And the woman was made whole from that hour.

The phrase “turned him about” in the Greek is the word **ἐπιστρέφω** [G1994, G1909, G4762 - means to revert, come again, convert, return (again)]. Saints, I was so excited when FATHER showed me this. This is a type and shadow of FATHER'S RETURN!! Let's keep examining this verse to find more of FATHER'S Truth.

“And when he saw her...” is the word **ὀράω** in the greek [G3708, G3700 - means to stare at, to **discern clearly**, to attend to, to experience, **to appear, behold, perceive**, see, take heed, **continued inspection**]. THE LORD shall appear to HIS Saints. THE LORD'S discernment is clear, HE knows who is HIS and who is not. THE LORD will attend to HIS Saints. HIS Saints, with open face **beholding** as in a glass the glory of THE LORD, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord (2 Cor 3:18). HE will inspect (i.e. examine, search the heart [Jer 17:10]) HIS Saints, and find THE NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH READY.

Now let's see what JESUS said to this woman (i.e. THE CHURCH) after HE returned and examined her.

“...Daughter, be of **good comfort**; thy faith hath made thee whole. And the woman was made whole from that hour.”

The phrase “be of good comfort” in the Greek is the word **tharseō** [G2293, G2294 - means to have courage, boldness]. HE continues by saying “thy faith hath made thee whole”. Faith in the greek is the word **pistis** [G4102 - persuasion, i.e. credence; moral conviction, especially reliance upon Christ for salvation, constancy in such profession, assurance, belief, believe, faith, fidelity.].

This woman’s faith in JESUS CHRIST is what healed her of her issue of blood. That was a literal encounter she had. As for the spiritual insight, it is THE NEW JERUSALEM’S Faith in JESUS CHRIST that shall deliver, save, protect, and preserve them in these last days. When THE LORD returns, he shall deliver HIS SAINTS.

1 Thess 4:16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

1 Thess 4:17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

Church, we must stay prayerful, watchful, and sober minded in these last days. FATHER is soon to return and deliver HIS Saints. But HE will only gather those that are truly HIS. If you are holding on to sin, if you are justifying sin in your life, I plead with you to repent unto FATHER. Prostrate yourselves before THE LORD, cry out unto HIM, and sincerely repent before it is too late. DON’T YOU WANT TO SEE FATHER FACE TO FACE?! DON’T YOU WANT TO BEHOLD HIS BEAUTY?! I KNOW I SURE DO! AND I WANT TO BE READY WHENEVER HE CALLS!! AMEN!!

I want to share something with you. It was this woman’s faith in JESUS CHRIST that healed her. There are 4 levels of faith in FATHER. You have THE PASSOVER FAITH (small faith), THE PENTECOSTAL FAITH (medium faith), TABERNACLE FAITH (large faith), and 4TH REALM FAITH (X-large faith). Please read “The Different Levels of Faith” Teaching by my pops Ira L. Kirkwood Jr. on the New Jerusalem From Above Website. There is [Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#).

I want to continue this teaching by turning our bibles to Mark 5:25-34. This same encounter of the woman with the issue of blood and JESUS appeared in Mark and Luke also, in which a few extra details of the encounter are recorded.

The passage tells us in verse 26, that this woman had gone to many physicians prior to hearing about JESUS. It states that the woman had spent all she had, but nothing got better, only worse. In other words, JESUS is THE ONE AND ONLY TRUE HEALER. IT IS THE HEALING

BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST that heals. IT WAS AND IS THE REDEMPTIVE AND HEALING BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST THAT MAKES THE CHURCH WHOLE.

Mark 5:29 And straightway the fountain of her blood was dried up; **and she felt in her body that she was healed of that plague.**

The woman thought to herself that if she could touch the hem of JESUS' garment, that she would be healed. Verse 29 tells us that straightway (immediately) the fountain of HER BLOOD was dried up and she was healed. The word fountain in the Greek is the word **pēgē** (G4077, G4078 - source or supply (of water, blood, enjoyment), fountain or well, to fix ("peg"), i.e., to set up (a **tent**), pitch.) This word fountain is very interesting Saints of GOD. That word tent stands out. Tent, also known as the tabernacle, was a place where GOD dwelt. In the old testament, the tent was where GOD'S SPIRIT dwelt. Now, that temple or tabernacle in which GOD chooses to dwell in, is us (1 Corin 3:16). "It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth, and the inhabitants thereof are as grasshoppers; that stretcheth out the heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth them out as a tent to dwell in:" (Isaiah 40:22). Also, the tent represents the tabernacle (i.e. the Tabernacle Realm of GOD). This is the third heaven Paul was talking about (2 Cor 12:2). This is the level in GOD that Saints have a LARGE amount of love for FATHER.

Let's continue with verse 29 to see more of GOD'S Truth. It says "the fountain of HER blood was dried up...". Saints, please have your spiritual glasses on when reading this so you may see FATHER'S TRUTH. Blood is symbolic of the flesh nature. Blood is symbolic of the first Adam (SIN) nature. Because of this woman's belief, faith, and full persuasion of who JESUS IS, her fleshly nature was dried up. This woman i.e. THE CHURCH is fully persuaded of who JESUS IS. They are no longer walking in the first Adamic nature. They no longer walk after the flesh, but after THE SPIRIT (Rom 8:1). Dried up in the Greek is the word **xērainō** (G3583 - to desiccate, to shrivel, to mature, dry up, pine away, be ripe, wither (away), (through the idea of scorching); arid, shrunken, earth (as opposed to water):—dry land, withered.) Those that are fully persuaded by THE LORD JESUS CHRIST and live by HIM and through HIM, their fleshly nature is dried up, withered away. She no longer had the fountain of her blood (i.e. her sin nature) running through her, but instead she had the fountain of JESUS' REDEMPTIVE BLOOD RUNNING THROUGH HER AMEN!! SHE WAS FREE FROM THE PLAGUE OF SIN BY THE HEALING AND REDEMPTIVE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST!!! This is also a type and shadow of the 4TH REALM SAINTS body being redeemed by THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IN THE FIRST RESURRECTION. "And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, **the redemption of our body.**" (Romans 8:23).

Mark 5:30 And Jesus, immediately knowing in himself that **virtue had gone out of him**, turned him about in the press, **and said**, Who touched my clothes?

Mark 5:31 And his disciples said unto him, Thou seest the multitude thronging thee, and sayest thou, **Who touched me?**

The word virtue in the Greek is the word **dynamis** (G1411 - force, miraculous power, ability, abundance, meaning, might, (worker of) miracle(-s), power, strength, violence, mighty (wonderful) work., be of power). I read this verse and one word comes to mind to describe JESUS in this interaction... SOVEREIGN. JESUS IS THE GIFT OF MIRACLES. JESUS IS THE MIRACULOUS POWER. JESUS IS THE MIGHTY WONDERFUL WORK. JESUS IS OUR STRENGTH. JESUS IS OUR ABUNDANCE (John 10:10).

In Verse 30, JESUS knew exactly who had touched HIS clothes amongst the crowd that was pressing against HIM. The word “said” in the Greek is the word **legō** (G3004 - to break silence, ask, bid, **call**, speak, tell, utter, command). The question that HE posed was more so of a call, “Who touched my clothes?!”. In other words, “Who has attached themselves to ME?” “Who has fasten themselves unto ME?” “Who has the light of JESUS CHRIST inside of them?”. When THE LORD returns, HE will return with a SHOUT and with THE TRUMP of GOD. “For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with **a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God:** and the dead in Christ shall rise first:” (1 Thess 4:16). HE will CALL OUT to those Saints who have dedicated their lives to HIM (i.e. HIS 4TH REALM SAINTS). And keep in mind, when FATHER returns, not everyone shall see HIM face to face. Not everyone will hear HIS call. FOR HIS sheep, know HIS Voice, and HE knows them (John 10:27).

Mark 5:32 And he looked round about to see her that had done this thing.

Mark 5:33 But the woman **fearing and trembling**, knowing what was done in her, came and fell down before him, and told him all the truth.

Mark 5:34 And he said unto her, Daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole; **go in peace**, and be whole of thy plague.

We are going to pay attention to verse 33. It says when JESUS turned round about (returned, came again), the woman (THE CHURCH) was fearing and trembling. The word fearing in the Greek is the word **phobeō** (G5399 - means to be alarmed, to be in awe, to revere reverence). THE New Jerusalem Church fears THE LORD - not in a way that serves the spirit of fear but they revere FATHER. (Psalm 115:11). This Church has worked out their own salvation with fear and trembling (Philippians 2:12).

The phrase “fell down before...” in the greek is the word **prospiptō** (G4363 - means to fall towards, to prostrate oneself). To prostrate oneself means to lie stretched out on the ground with one’s face downward. This woman (i.e. THE CHURCH) prostrates themselves before THE LORD.

In verse 34, THE LORD tells the woman to go in peace. That word peace in the Greek is the word eirēnē (G1515 - peace, prosperity, quietness, **rest**, set at one again). Are you seeing this Saints?! JESUS tells this woman that her faith has made her whole and to go in peace. In other words JESUS was telling this women (i.e. The Church) to enter inside of HIS REST. THIS IS THE FIRST RESURRECTION. HER faith qualified her to enter into HIS REST.

Ok Saints, we are coming to an end with this teaching and we shall take a look at the final passage. Please turn your bibles to Luke 8:

Luke 8:43 And a woman having an issue of blood twelve years, which had spent all her living upon physicians, neither could be healed of any,

Luke 8:44 Came behind him, and touched the border of his garment: and immediately her issue of blood stanchèd.

Luke 8:45 And Jesus said, Who touched me? When all denied, Peter and they that were with him said, Master, the multitude throng thee and press thee, and sayest thou, Who touched me?

Luke 8:46 And Jesus said, Somebody hath touched me: for I perceive that virtue is gone out of me.

Luke 8:47 And when the woman saw that she was not hid, she came trembling, and falling down before him, she declared unto him before all the people for what cause she had touched him, and how she was healed immediately.

Luke 8:48 And he said unto her, Daughter, be of good comfort: thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace.

I want us to focus on verse 45 of this text. We already established in Mark that JESUS was making a call to the people, asking the question “Who touched me?”. But there is something interesting mentioned in Luke 8:45 that the other passages did not mention. It says “When all denied...” The word denied in the Greek is the word **arneomai** (G720 - means to contradict, i.e. disavow, reject, abnegate, deny, refuse.) In other words, when JESUS called out to the people to see who had fastened themselves unto HIM, all the people rejected HIS CALL. There are people today in these last days who continue to reject FATHER’S CALL. There are some who refuse to answer the call of JESUS CHRIST. There are some, who may even know, who have denied the call of JESUS time and time again. If that is you now, please return unto FATHER before it is too late! Please do not become like the crowd that pressed themselves at JESUS, yet when HE called, none did answer. Out of all the people that pressed themselves to JESUS, when HE called, it was only the woman that had been healed by HIM that answered. And so it shall be in these last days, many people will scream “LORD, LORD have we not prophesied in thy name?

and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.” (Matthew 7:22-23). Even at FATHER’S RETURN there will be many people that will continue to reject FATHER. But there will be the Remnant Church whom shall hear HIS VOICE and enter inside of HIS REST.

We have come to the conclusion of this teaching. I really pray and hope you got a chance to see more of FATHER’S TRUTH. Please stay prayerful Saints. Please stay watchful and vigilant, because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour. Stay encouraged by FATHER, for your redemption drawth nigh.

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