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God designed you to lead from a higher plane.

Gen 1:26 Then God said, "Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all the creatures that move along the ground."

God has already established that you have the ability to rule over everything. Take a Look at this next verse Psalms 8:4 - 6 "what is mankind that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them? You have made them a little lower than the angels and crowned them with glory and honor.

You made them rulers over the works of your hands; you put everything under their feet."

Over and over God, through his word, keeps showing us that He has made us leaders. Ephesians 1:22 & 23 "And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way."

We have been designed in these concepts. Jesus knew how to rise above all natural circumstance and to lead through them. Jesus knew his authority in and through being the word of God on the earth. You will never discover

your destiny until you recognize that you are "a word from the word". Remember we are not talking about controlling people but the elements and circumstance around us that the enemy would try and use to stop our destiny. Our asking needs to stay continually in the will of the Father. The decrees and promises all come from within the word.

Now let us look at John 3:12 where Jesus is speaking to the Pharisees and Sadducees. "No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man." Jesus understood where he was from, he was from above. In his position he allowed the little children to come to him. And as leaders in the Kingdom we must have a heart beat and desire to be with children and to raise them up. Little Children were always coming to Jesus. Why? He was sensitive and welcoming to them just as we ought to be sensitive and welcoming. If found in this place you too will be blessing.

Leading like Jesus is also



leading through the spirit of wisdom. Take a look at what Proverbs 3:18 says about wisdom. "She is a tree of life to those who take hold of her,"

When leading from above we learn how to bring life to everyone around us. We can be the element to build people up instead of tearing them down. Paul tells us to encourage and build one another up with a hymn, word, or song. Bringing life to the lifeless that is what being a Jesus like leader is all about.

A Jesus-like leader is always looking ahead. Jesus once said, "I Am the Light of the world." Look closely at Isaiah 42:16 "I will lead the blind by ways they have not known, along unfamiliar paths I will guide them; I will turn the darkness into light before them and make the rough places smooth These are the things I will do; I will not forsake them."

Jesus is looking ahead, He didn't just come to give us formulas for success but an entirely new mindset. The word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. The word becoming rooted and grounded in our heart brings us into a higher realm where you are soaring in the air.

In one of my encounters with the Lord I was walking

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in the middle of the air over a city with the Holy Spirit and he was teaching and training me. The Lord was instructing me and Jesus was speaking to me while walking above. He brought me over a building and I watched a lady telling someone of her problems and the moment I began to identify with her I started descending out of the air. But when I viewed the situation through the spirit I went higher. As Leaders we learn to stay in the position of walking in the Spirit. We must handle situations by staying in the spirit.

When you look from above you can see further. You can tell some one "Hey, don't go left on the road there's a cliff! Go right because that way is safe."

Jesus was always leading from the Father. We hear him speaking to the Pharisees, "I only do what I see my father do." Jesus knew how to take the disciples with him into the supernatural.

For example when he got the disciples involved with him to multiply the loaves and fishes. We must draw from the understanding and relationship of our spiritual leaders.

Jesus always brought in a bigger and clearer vision. Oral Roberts used to say "when you see the invisible you will do the impossible."

Leaders show you how to make impossibilities possible, how to break through in the spirit realm. Jesus said "the works I do you will do and greater." The Holy Spirit is the spirit of breakthrough. He is the ultimate leader and representative of God, here to lead and guide us. Nothing was insignificant to Jesus. No miracle was insignificant. He met every need. Jesus knew how to bring people of unique backgrounds together.

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SIGNS, WONDERS, & MIRACLES

TESTIMONIES OF THE SUPERNATURAL



NEVA COX, SOUTH CAROLINA

Near the end of the revival meeting Neva came up and told Apostle Warren Hunter that Her father was dying. Praying over her the two came in agreement and he spoke that he would not die. Flying out to California the very same doctor who said he was about to die conformed that he would live.

Neva told us later that when Warren Hunter prayed over her and the father that she felt what was like a bullet go through here and fire stiring in her belly.



CASEY BROWN, MISSOURI

Casey had been struggling for a long time financially scraping by to provide for his family and pay the bills. But after hearing the message on first fruits the family came and brought the first fruit out of there garden. Apostle said "You have no idea what you have just done." Two days later...

Doors of opportunity began to open and the blessings began to pour in and our still pouring in.



JULIE NIELSON, MISSOURI

While in the 'south' of Missouri, we attended Rev. Warren and Kayla's church service. With sincerity, I can say that when The Holy Spirit came into that room, I knew He was what I've been looking for all along. In His Presence there is complete love, peace

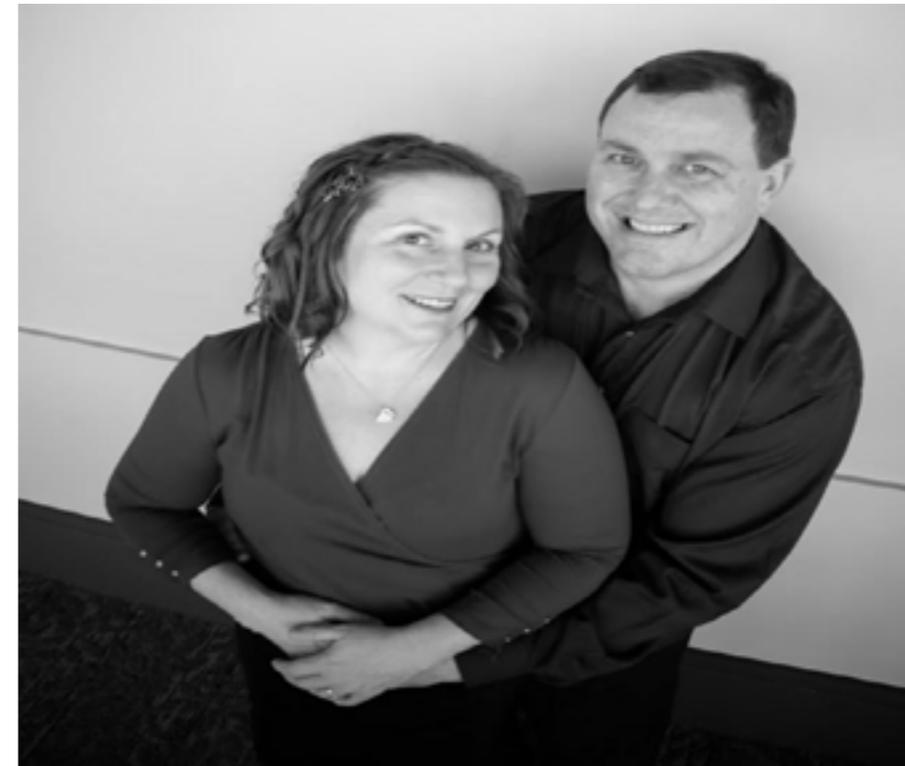
and purpose. That experience has given me momentum. I know now that He wants to be in church services.

LET'S TAKE A QUICK LOOK AT THE CONVERSATION BETWEEN JESUS AND THE RICH YOUNG RULER.

"TEACHER," HE DECLARED, "ALL THESE I HAVE KEPT SINCE I WAS A BOY." JESUS LOOKED AT HIM AND LOVED HIM. "ONE THING YOU LACK," HE SAID. "GO, SELL EVERYTHING YOU HAVE AND GIVE TO THE POOR, AND YOU WILL HAVE TREASURE IN HEAVEN. THEN COME, FOLLOW ME." AT THIS THE MAN'S FACE FELL. HE WENT AWAY SAD, BECAUSE HE HAD GREAT WEALTH. JESUS LOOKED AT HIM IN LOVE. NO MATTER WHERE A PERSON IS AT IN LIFE JESUS STILL LOVES THEM! THIS IS BOTH BEAUTIFUL AND FASCINATING. EVERY PERSON BECAME THE MOST IMPORTANT PERSON IN THE MOMENT OF ENCOUNTER WITH JESUS. HE KNEW WHEN TO FOCUS IN! ATTENDING A

RODNEY HOWARD BROWN MEETING, I WAS INVITED BY MY FRIEND TO COME AND SPEAK WITH RODNEY IN THE BACK AFTER THE MEETING. THOUGH THERE WERE MANY MINISTERS PRESENT RODNEY FOCUSED IN AND HAD A CONVERSATION WITH MY SON FOR ABOUT 20 MINUTES. THIS SEED THAT HE SOWED WENT INTO THE FUTURE AND, CONNECTING WITH OTHERS FROM TAMPA, MY SON WENT OUT AND BROUGHT IN OVER 300 PEOPLE TO THE KINGDOM ON THE STREETS IN JUST THREE MONTHS. I BELIEVE IT WAS AT THE MOMENT THAT THE SEED WAS SOWN WITH RODNEY. JUST LIKE JESUS, HE KNEW WHEN TO SAY YES AND WHEN TO SAY NO, ALWAYS STEPPING WITH LOVE AND WITH THE FUTURE IN SIGHT. REMEMBER THE SCRIPTURE SAYS TO SET YOUR MIND ON

THINGS ABOVE AND NOT ON THINGS BENEATH. YOU ARE SEATED WITH CHRIST, AND JOINT HEIRS WITH GOD. ASK FOR THE WISDOM TO SPEAK AT THE RIGHT TIME AND TO BRING FORTH THE WORD OF KNOWLEDGE AND WISDOM. THANK GOD YOU HAVE AN UNCTION FROM THE HOLY ONE WHO KNOWS ALL THINGS. THANK GOD YOU HAVE THE MIND OF CHRIST. THANK GOD FOR WHAT HE HAS PLACED INSIDE YOU. DRAW FROM THIS REVELATION. IF YOU DRAW FROM THIS REVELATION YOU WILL LEAD FROM ABOVE. I ENCOURAGE YOU TODAY, WHAT EVER YOU ARE DEALING WITH, GO TO THE HOLY SPIRIT AND TO GOD FIRST. DON'T DEAL WITH IT FROM THE NATURAL BUT FROM THE POSITION OF BEING IN CHRIST. GRACE AND PEACE BE WITH YOU. AMEN.



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