

Signs and Wonders #4

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Elements of Our Spiritual DNA

- The Kingdom - It's supernatural, or.....it's nothing at all!
- Relationship with the Father - The Cure for mankind
- Grace - Can't separate the Kingdom and Father from Grace
- Family & Relationships - In the Kingdom - Relationship x 3
- Equipping the Saints - The Church will never be the Church until....
- Signs and Wonders - Signs shall follow....
- The Poor - Incredible potential in the poor in every community

Last Week:

- The first four elements are things He has given us
- The next three are what we do with what we've been given

Signs & Wonders, Miracles, the Supernatural Realm and You

- We have established the fact we're '*hardwired*' for the miraculous
- The Kingdom is a '*supernatural Kingdom*'
- Is the unseen realm the real world?
- **2 Corinthians 4:18** - "While we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal."

A Kingdom-equipped believer has the ability to operate in signs and wonders, not for show, but as a demonstration of the Kingdom and a confirmation of the Gospel. Jesus didn't just model miracles—He authorized us to do the same.

Jesus Sends Out the Twelve, the the Seventy

- **Luke 9:1** - "*Then He called His twelve disciples together and gave them power and authority over all demons, and to cure diseases.*"
- **Mark 6:7** - "*And He called the twelve to Himself, and began to send them out two by two, and gave them power over unclean spirits.*"
- Delegated authority to the twelve (*demons and sickness*)

- **Matthew 10:1** - *“He gave them power over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease.” (unclean spirits, all kinds of sickness and disease)*
- **Jesus sends out the Seventy: **(showing it's not just for the twelve)***
 - **Luke 10:1, 9** - *“After these things the Lord appointed seventy others also, and sent them two by two before His face into every city and place where He Himself was about to go. vs 9 - And heal the sick there, and say to them, ‘The kingdom of God has come near to you.’ ”*
 - **Luke 10:19** - *“Behold, I give you the authority... over all the power of the enemy...”*
- **Jesus' method of ministry:**
 - Chose the twelve, did the ministry while disciples observed
 - They did ministry and He observed and critiqued
- **2 x 2 - Jesus method of ministry**
 - **Power in agreement; Matthew 18:19** - *“Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven”*
 - Spiritual strength
 - Emotional support
 - Accountability
 - Learning environment **(essential part of equipping)*
 - Peter & John Acts 3
 - Paul & Barnabas Acts 13
 - Paul & Silas; Paul & Timothy
 - Ministry opportunity - Take someone with you
- **The Seventy Return:**
 - **Luke 10:17-20** - *Then the seventy returned with joy, saying, “Lord, even the demons are subject to us in Your name.” And He said to them, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you. Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rather rejoice because your names are written in heaven.”*
- **Authority given to all believers**
 - **Mark 16:17** - *“And these signs will follow those who believe....”*

- **John 20:21-22** - *“As the Father has sent Me, I also send you.”*
- We’re sent out with the same mandate as Jesus, by Jesus!
- Jesus doesn’t just call us to proclaim the Kingdom—He empowers us to demonstrate it
- Signs and wonders are not optional—they are part of our assignment.
- Authority comes from relationship with Jesus and flows through obedience.
- **Spiritual authority** - Heaven’s permission to act on Earth in Jesus’ name, under His rule, for His purpose, and by His power.
- Miracles point to the presence and reality of the Kingdom, not to us.
- The Holy Spirit is the power source; faith is the access point.
- As Kingdom people, we’re to ‘right’ every wrong we encounter in the course of our life
- *“Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven”*