# Who is a Minister?

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WHO IS A MINISTER OF GOD? Who are these men and women? They are the Elect Seed of God through Abraham by the operation of the Holy Spirit! They are the "CALLED OUT ONES", called by the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob! Called out of the world to be separated unto a Holy God through His Holy Spirit by the Blood Atonement of Jesus Christ unto a Holy calling!

This same Blood Atonement that God Spoke of to Satan when He said:

### Genesis 3:15

15 And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

This was the first time that God mentioned that there would be an atonement for mankind. This atonement would come through Jesus Christ, God's only begotten son.

This seed of the woman was to become Satan's worst nightmare! But Satan couldn't understand what God had in mind.

God, through His Holy Prophets, began to reveal His master plan to man. He began by first showing man that he was a sinner and in total need of God and His Atonement! When Adam sinned before God, he didn't know about the atonement and what it meant.

# Genesis 3:21

21 Unto Adam also and to his wife did the Lord God make coats of skins, and clothed them. God Himself showed Adam what the atonement was to mean. He took an animal and sacrificed it upon an altar and gave the skin thereof to be used as clothing. Adam did not need clothing before his fall, for he was clothed in the Glory and Righteousness of God!

## Genesis 2:7

7 And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

The word for breath used is the same word for spirit; neshamah. God breathed into Adam's nostrils the "Spirit" of Life! When Adam sinned against God, he no longer had the "Breath" or "Spirit" of Life! For this reason mankind was cut off from God!

But, praise be to God, He had a plan! He would come as a man, and die for the sins of man. He would take upon himself the sinful nature of man, though He Himself would be without sin! HE CAME UNTO HIS OWN AND HIS OWN KNEW HIM NOT!

JESUS, THE GOD OF ABRAHAM, ISAAC AND JACOB, came into the world just as He said He would! Through a virgin girl named Mary. He became the Sacrificial Lamb that was to die on the tree for all mankind!

#### Luke 4:18-19

18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised,

19 To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

Jesus Christ was Anointed of God and He was Sent by God! Jesus had the Spirit of God in Him from His birth and The Spirit of God on Him since His baptism!

Jesus chose men to follow Him. He would teach them what it would mean to be a minister sent by God! He would work with them daily, driving the sinful nature of man out into the open where they could see it! He would rebuke them when they let this nature overcome them and blind them to what He was to accomplish!

"Get thee behind me Satan, for thou knowest not what thou sayest, Peter!", He said to Peter one day. Jesus was describing to the disciples how He would die for the sins of the world, when Peter tried to talk Jesus out of going on to Jerusalem, where Jesus would die. Peter's sinful nature refused to see God's plan in what Jesus was telling them.

"Oh ye of little faith!", He shouted, when they were in the ship about to sink. How soon they forgot that the one who said, "Let there be light", had also said, "Let us go unto the other side!" How soon does the sinful nature of man forget that when a word is spoken by God, that NOTHING CAN CHANGE IT!

Jesus had come to deal a crushing blow to that sinful nature! Jesus had come to defeat the author of man's sinful nature! Jesus came to pour out His own perfect blood! That whosoever would call upon the name of the Lord would be SAVED!!

That whosoever would call upon the name of Jesus would be washed clean by the BLOOD OF THE LAMB OF GOD! That his sins would be washed AWAY! And with it the sinful nature of man through the Power of God's Holy Spirit!

### John 20:19-23

19 Then the same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled for fear of the Jews, came Jesus and stood in the midst, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you.

20 And when he had so said, he shewed unto them his hands and his side. Then were the disciples glad, when they saw the Lord.

- 21 Then said Jesus to them again, Peace be unto you: as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you.
- 22 And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost:
- 23 Whose soever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them; and whose soever sins ye retain, they are retained.

The resurrected Jesus came into His disciples and greeting them said, "As My Father had sent me, even so send I you!" Can this be? Do my eyes see the truth? Praise be to The God of Jesus Christ, IT IS!!

JESUS WAS GIVING THE DISCIPLES A COMMISSION! THE SAME COMMISSION THAT HE, JESUS, RECEIVED FROM HIS FATHER!

Jesus was telling the disciples that the same commission that He had received, was now given to His disciples! The same calling! The same anointing! The same authority! The same power! Was now given to man in the Name of Jesus Christ!

Then Jesus did a very special thing, He BREATHED on them! And said, "Receive ye the Holy Ghost!" Listen, if you haven't jumped out of your chair and shouted, Hallelujah! Praise be to God! And thank you Jesus! Then you haven't gotten what I have said!

Jesus said, "Receive ye the Holy Breath of Life that I gave to Adam when I created Him!!!!! I have fixed it! I have now made a way for you to stand before Me in My Father's Throne, yes and even to SIT with Me in that Throne! All you have to do is BELIEVE EVERY WORD THAT HAS COME OUT OF MY MOUTH SINCE THE CREATION! AND IT IS DONE UNTO YOU!"

Yes, if you believe God's Word, with all of your heart and ask Jesus to be your atonement, then Jesus will wash away ALL of your sin and drive out the sinful nature, and fill you with His Holy Spirit!

Jesus said, "Whose soever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them; and whose soever sins ye retain, they are retained."

The Priest of Rome doesn't have the right to forgive you your sins! I don't have the right to forgive you your sins! Only Jesus has that right! But if you confess Jesus as your Lord and Savior and receive His Holy Spirit, then I CAN tell you that your sins are FORGIVEN! And if you REJECT so great a salvation that has been given to you by Jesus Christ, then I CAN tell you that your sins are NOT FORGIVEN!

# Acts 1:4-5

4 And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me.

5 For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.

These disciples KNEW Jesus. They HAD been baptized in water. They BELIEVED on Jesus. They RECEIVED the Holy Spirit. Yet Jesus said, "Wait for the promise of the Father!" "Wait for the promise of the Father, which, ye have heard of me!"

### **Acts 1:8**

8 But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

The one thing that they had not yet received was the Baptism of the Holy Spirit! They were not yet ANOINTED TO PREACH! And it showed in their FEAR!

But when the Holy Spirit came upon them on the day of Pentecost, something happened to them that changed their lives! They were no longer the timid believers who were afraid of offending the Jews! (Religious People) They became on FIRE for the WORD OF GOD AND HIS MESSAGE FOR THE WORLD!

REPENT! REPENT! FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS AT HAND! Repent of your sins and be washed clean and pure by the Blood of the Perfect Lamb, Jesus the Christ and you, too, can receive the Gift of the Holy Spirit from Jesus, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob!

Listen to the Lord's Prayer:

### John 17:1-26

- 1 These words spake Jesus, and lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee:
- 2 As thou hast given him power over all flesh, that he should give eternal life to as many as thou hast given him.
- 3 And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent.
- 4 I have glorified thee on the earth: I have finished the work which thou gavest me to do.
- 5 And now, O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was.
- 6 I have manifested thy name unto the men which thou gavest me out of the world: thine they were, and thou gavest them me; and they have kept thy word.
- 7 Now they have known that all things whatsoever thou hast given me are of thee.
- 8 For I have given unto them the words which thou gavest me; and they have received them, and have known surely that I came out from thee, and they have believed that thou didst send me.
- 9 I pray for them: I pray not for the world, but for them which thou hast given me; for they are thine.
- 10 And all mine are thine, and thine are mine; and I am glorified in them.

- 11 And now I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to thee. Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are.
- 12 While I was with them in the world, I kept them in thy name: those that thou gavest me I have kept, and none of them is lost, but the son of perdition; that the scripture might be fulfilled.
- 13 And now come I to thee; and these things I speak in the world, that they might have my joy fulfilled in themselves.
- 14 I have given them thy word; and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
- 15 I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil.
- 16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
- 17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.
- 18 As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world.
- 19 And for their sakes I sanctify myself, that they also might be sanctified through the truth.
- 20 Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word;
- 21 That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.
- 22 And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one:
- 23 I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect in one; and that the world may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me.
- 24 Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me: for thou lovedst me before the foundation of the world.
- 25 O righteous Father, the world hath not known thee: but I have known thee, and these have known that thou hast sent me.
- 26 And I have declared unto them thy name and will declare it: That the love wherewith thou hast loved me may be in them, and I in them.

Listen, this is what the Lord Jesus told me one night in prayer through His Spirit! He told me that I was to read these words out loud until I understood what they meant! That this was His prayer TO God the Father FOR us!

The prayer that He taught His disciples to pray, that is commonly called "The Lord's Prayer' was not His prayer, but ours!

That was an outline for us to follow in our prayer life with Him! This prayer that He prayed was for US!

### Look! John 17:1-2

- 1 ...Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee:
- 2 As thou has given him power over all flesh, that he should give eternal life to as many as thou hast given him.

The God and Father of Jesus Christ has GIVEN Jesus POWER over all flesh. Over the flesh of the Jew AND the flesh of the Gentile. And it is Jesus that should give eternal life to as many as God has given Him!

Mister, your church can't save you! Sister, your religion can't save you! Deacon, your works can't save you! Preacher, your denomination can't save you! There is only ONE NAME UNDER HEAVEN THAT CAN SAVE YOU! JESUS! JESUS! JESUS! He is the only one who can save and He is the only one who can give eternal life!

### John 17:6

6 I have manifested thy name unto the men which thou gavest me out of the world: thine they were, and thou gavest them me; and they have kept thy word.

Jesus manifested the name and person of God to the men that were given to Him. God gives Jesus His people, and His people KEEP HIS WORD! They don't change it to fit their purpose. THEY USE IT TO FULFILL THE WILL OF JESUS CHRIST AND GOD THE FATHER! AND GOD GIVES THE PERFECT GIFT TO HIS PEOPLE! JESUS!

If I haven't made you too mad yet, whoever you are that reads this, just keep reading.

### John 17:9-10

9 I pray for them: I pray not for the world, but for them which thou hast given me; for they are thine.

10 And all mine are thine, and thine are mine; and I am glorified in them.

Jesus Christ DID NOT pray for the WORLD! He DID NOT pray for MANKIND! He DID pray for those who were given to Him by God and for those, also, who would be given to Him by God! AND THOSE WHO BELONG TO JESUS CHRIST KEEP HIS WORD AND GLORIFY JESUS AND NOT THEMSELVES OR THEIR WORKS! BUT THEY GLORIFY JESUS CHRIST AND HIS WORKS!

I DON'T CARE WHO YOU ARE MISTER! YOU MAY BE A PREACHER WITH DOCTOR IN FRONT OF YOUR NAME WITH DEGREES THAT WOULD FILL A SCOTT'S TISSUE ROLL! BUT IF YOU ARE NOT PREACHING THE WORD OF GOD IN POWER AND IN TRUTH! YOU ARE NOT OF GOD AND HE HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU!

### John 17:11

11 And now I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to thee. Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are.

The Elect Seed of God are NOT of the World! They are in the world that they might bring to light the ones that are called of God! Mister or Mrs. or Miss, yes even Ms, don't think that you

can be of the world and call yourself of God! For the Spirit of God WILL NOT MIX with the spirit of the World!

God calls His people to be ONE with HIM! One Faith! One Spirit! One Word! One God! One Jesus Christ! One Body! Called out of the world! Holy! Sanctified! Perfect before Him! He doesn't call anybody! He calls HIS OWN! And they BELIEVE HIM! AND THEY FOLLOW WHAT HE SAYS! AND THEY DO AS HE GIVES THEM TO DO!

God never called us to be one at any cost! The cost that the world puts on unity is far to high a price to pay! That cost is your SALVATION! You can't have fellowship with God's Holy Spirit and with devils also! You will either have fellowship with God's Holy Spirit OR with devils! NOT BOTH!

Jesus said "...That they may be one, as we ARE!"

How is Jesus One with God the Father? Did He change God's word? Did He say that sin in your life was ok? Did He say that any faith was good as long as you believed in it? Did He say that you could be a part time Christian? NO!

### John 17:14-17

- 14 I have given them thy word; and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
- 15 I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil.
- 16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
- 17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.

Jesus said, "I have given them thy word;..." Jesus didn't give them His word! Or His INTERPRETATION! He gave them GOD'S WORD! And the World hated them for IT! Even as the world hated Jesus for IT! Jesus prayed, "I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil!" Jesus knew that Satan would try to get his hands on God's Word! The spirit of Satan IS the spirit of the World and it HATES GOD'S WORD!

In 1611, God gave the English speaking world His word through His servant King James. This Bible had been the Standard for the English speaking world for 248 years! Then Satan found a man. A son of perdition! His name was Charles Darwin! He was NOT a scientist! He WAS a "religious" man. He wrote his paper on the evolution of man, and Satan went right to work! In a very short time he had two more versions of the Bible written. One in England and one in America. They watered down the Word of God!

And EVERY Bible written since then has sought to de-miraclize the Word of God!

Jesus said, "My doctrine is not mine, but his that sent me." (John 7:16) Jesus did not come preaching His own Doctrine! He spoke only that which His Father gave Him to speak! And again

Jesus said, "If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God, or whether I speak of my self. He that speaketh of himself seeketh his own glory: but he that seeketh his glory that sent him, the same is true, and no unrighteousness is in him."

IF Wesley could see and preach in the Methodist Church today, would he commend it for doing a good job? Would he congratulate it for Ordaining Homosexuals? NO! And again I say NO! He would say the same thing that John the Baptist said to the Pharisees in his day! "O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come? Bring forth therefore fruits meet for repentance: And think not to say within yourselves, We have Abraham to our father: for I say unto you, that God is able of these stones to raise up children unto Abraham. And now also the axe is laid unto the root of the trees: therefore every tree which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire!" (Matthew 3:7-10)

You who call yourself learned in the Word of God! Do you think that God will accept ANY ROTTEN fruits? And yet you have taken of God's Holy WORD and PUTREFIED it with your rottenness and seek to make it an unholy thing! WOE to you HYPOCRITES! GOD WILL CAST IT AND YOU INTO THE FIRE THAT HE HAS PREPARED FOR SATAN AND HIS FALLEN ANGELS!

WOE TO YOU WHO SEEK TO CHANGE GOD'S HOLY WORD! HE HIMSELF WILL AVENGE HIMSELF ON YOU!

Let me tell you a secret. God has a people! He has a people that He is raising up all over the world and THEY will KNOW the TRUTH! They will speak God's Word with a FIRE that even you can't put out! They will be the ELECT SEED OF GOD! Called of God! Sanctified by God through the Blood of the Lamb! Filled by God with His Holy Spirit! AND ANOINTED BY GOD WITH HIS HOLY SPIRIT THROUGH THE BAPTISM OF JESUS CHRIST!

THEY WILL PREACH THE GOSPEL IN TRUTH! THEY WILL HEAL THE SICK! THEY WILL CAST OUT DEVILS! THEY WILL SPEAK WITH NEW TONGUES! THEY WILL RAISE THE DEAD! AND THEY WILL WALK IN HOLINESS, A SEPARATED PEOPLE UNTO HIM!

THEY WILL NOT COMPROMISE THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE SAKE OF THE WORLD'S "LOVE GOSPEL!" They will be SANCTIFIED through God's TRUTH: HIS WORD IS TRUTH!

Read John 17:18-19! Even as God the Father HAS sent Jesus into the world, Jesus sent His Elect Seed into the world! Jesus sends His Elect Seed into the world with the SAME SPIRIT OF POWER AND ANOINTING THAT HE HAS! They will lack for nothing that belongs to God!

They will not be caught up in material things that are of this world! For the things of this world are not the things of God's Kingdom! Satan is the god of this world! And the things of this world belong to him! Go and read for yourself! Did not Satan show Jesus all of the Kingdoms (things) of this world and say that they were his to give to Jesus if He would but bow down and worship him? YES HE DID! (Luke 4:6) And Jesus didn't deny that they were Satan's. What Jesus did say

was, "Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and HIM ONLY shalt thou SERVE." (Luke 4:8)

The children of this world seek the things of this world! But the Children of God seek those things that come down from above in Jesus Christ the Son of God! Salvation, Holiness, Sanctification, Righteousness, the gifts of the Holy Spirit, the fruits of the Holy Spirit! These are the things of God! AND THE ELECT SEED OF GOD THIRST AFTER THESE THINGS! AND THEY ARE SATISFIED!

If you haven't gotten so mad that you have torn up this writing and you are still reading it, then there is MUCH hope for you! Read on!

NEITHER PRAY I FOR THESE ALONE, BUT FOR THEM ALSO WHICH SHALL BELIEVE ON ME THROUGH THEIR WORD;

Jesus Christ, when He prayed that prayer to the Father, KNEW EVERY PERSON EVER TO BE BORN WHO WOULD BELIEVE ON HIS WORD! My God! CAN YOU SEE IT?

JESUS PRAYED FOR ME!!! AND FOR YOU! IF YOU CAN BELIEVE!

Can you BELIEVE Jesus? Can you TRUST Jesus? THAT'S WHAT IT MEANS TO BELIEVE ON JESUS!

EVERYTHING THAT JESUS GAVE TO HIS DISCIPLES ARE YOURS! IF YOU ARE CALLED OF GOD! AN ELECT SEED! And if you can turn from your sins (repent), AND rely totally on Jesus Christ for YOUR Salvation and turn your back on the world and all that it has to offer you, THEN YOU ARE AN ELECT SEED OF ALMIGHTY GOD! And it is His will that you be filled with all the Fullness of God EVEN as Jesus IS, and has promised to us! (Read John 17:21-26)

The Elect Seed of God are Ordained of God from the foundation of the World and are Predestinated to succeed in the Power of the Holy Spirit as God has Called them! They can not fail and will not fail! For the God and Father of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, WILL NOT LET us fail! Because He Loves His only begotten Son too much to let HIM down!

Read the letter of Paul to the Ephesians! See what great things God showed to His servant Paul! Paul was an ELECT SEED OF GOD! DON'T LISTEN TO THOSE PEOPLE WHO SAY THAT THE POWER OF GOD IS NOT FOR TODAY! They say that the power left with the last Apostle. I tell you the TRUTH BY THE HOLY SPIRIT OF GOD THAT HE STILL HAS APOSTLES TODAY!

There are those who would tell you that you had to be one of the twelve or one who "walked" with Jesus. But I tell you that Paul WAS an Apostle! And he NEVER walked with Jesus before His death and resurrection!

Paul was an ELECT SEED of God! Called out of the Jew's religion! The Jew's religion was started by God! But the Jews were not satisfied with what God had given them! So they began to change God's Word by their traditions! God sent Jesus to the Jews and the Jews rejected Him! So God opened the Door to the Gentiles also!

GOD HAD A PLAN! GOD HAD A MAN! ORDAINED FROM THE FOUNDATION OF THE EARTH! AN ELECT SEED! PAUL! Saul of Tarsus, he was called. A Jew! He hated the Christians because he thought that they were against God! Saul LOVED God! But Saul DIDN'T KNOW GOD! Until one day Jesus said, "Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me?" That was when brother Saul came face to face with the God of his fathers! Jesus the Christ! AND THIS ELECT SEED OF GOD, WHOM GOD WAS SAVING UNTIL THE PROPER TIME, BECAME THE APOSTLE PAUL!

Mister, I don't care who you are! Sister, I don't care what you have done! JESUS HAS AN ELECT SEED! AND IF YOU CAN BELIEVE HIS WORD, THEN YOU TOO CAN HAVE WHAT PAUL HAD!

God's Ministers are of the ELECT SEED! They know the truth when it hits them in the face and knocks them off their "high horse", just like Paul did when the TRUTH, JESUS, knocked him off of his "high horse"!

This word that I have preached to you in this letter is the truth! I know that it is from the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ that shed His Blood for us! And if you know it too, then let Jesus make you to become that ELECT SEED that God has CALLED you to be. It is up to you!

Become that minister of Jesus that will stand for the Word of God in Spirit and in Truth! Preach the True Word of God and FORSAKE the perverted Gospel of the world! Amen!

This letter is written in the hope of finding and reaching the Elect Seed of God and of Jesus Christ our ONLY Savior, by Richard D. Eutsler, Sr., His servant in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.