

Manifesting The Anointing Pt. 2 By Todd Bentley

"THE LINGERING PRESENCE OF GOD STILL LIVED IN HIS VERY BONES"

Also, the apostle Paul was another son of God who carried the manifestation of the anointing to such a great extent that God worked unusual miracles by his hands (Acts 19:11). Paul took the anointing and the substance that he possessed and put it on handkerchiefs or aprons (v. 12), and when the cloths were carried from his body to the sick and demonized, they were healed and set free because of the resident anointing on the material.

I don't believe the handkerchiefs or aprons were merely a point of contact. I believe that the substance of God-the living, manifest, tangible, transferable anointing of the Holy Ghost that Paul carried-was transferred to these cloths because they were in contact with the manifest presence of God on/in Paul's body.

Scripture doesn't give details concerning the exact kind of contact the material had with his body, but it would be reasonable to imagine Paul laying hands on the material before it was carried to the sick. The Bible does not give a lot of detail, but we feel that desperate family members of the sick and demonized brought handkerchiefs or aprons to Paul so that he could touch and pray over them. Many people must have been healed and delivered because Scripture says "and the diseases left them and the evil spirits went out of them" (Acts 19:12).

As well, Elisha the prophet was a son of God, who not only possessed a double portion of the spirit of Elijah (2 Kings 2:9, 12), but he also carried the manifest anointing of God. The Bible records that a deceased man was about to be buried, but he was cast quickly into the grave of Elisha rather than his own grave because of sudden danger from a marauding band: "...and when the man touched the bones of Elisha he revived and stood up on his feet" (2 Kings 13:21). The man was resurrected! Why? Because the manifest anointing, the lingering presence of God, still lived in the very bones of Elisha, even after his death.

CHRISTIANS RECEIVE AND DISPENSE GOD'S GLORY

What amazes me is that the tangible presence of God manifests on man's flesh as well as in his bones! So I want us to consider just how much of God's glory we can receive and manifest in our flesh as we look at this aspect in the life of God's servant, Moses. After Moses encountered God's Spirit (for 40 days and 40 nights on Mt. Sinai) he had to put a veil over his head because the radiance of God's glory shone through his face so brilliantly the people were afraid to come near him (Exodus 34:29-35).

We need to remember that Moses was a human being (just like us) who carried the manifest glory of the Lord because he had an intimate relationship with God and he was continually in His presence. He is such a great example of someone who manifested the glory of God. And, today, I believe there is a place being prepared in our hearts to receive and manifest the glory of God in a much greater capacity than ever before.

Listen! The glory of God will also be seen on our flesh, if we're serious about seeking the Lord concerning this. I believe our capacity to receive and manifest the glory of God on our flesh is increasing. As our faith for this manifestation intensifies, there is great potential for God to touch us mightily with His glory on our flesh. When God's glory shines in us and on us, we'll be like lights shining in a dark world. The prophet Isaiah describes this:

"Arise, shine; for your light has come! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and deep darkness the people; but the Lord will arise over you, and His glory will be seen upon you. The Gentiles shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising." Isaiah 60:1-3

WHAT DOES IT LOOK LIKE WHEN WE DISPENSE HIS GLORY?

As Christians begin manifesting the glory of God, they'll be so filled and impacted by the presence and the anointing of the Holy Spirit that, when they step into a city, literally, they'll take the ground for Christ.

Charles Finney, born in Connecticut in 1792 (died in 1875), was one powerful believer who took the ground when he stepped into factories carrying the manifest anointing. All he would do is step into a factory, not saying a word, and the presence of God that he carried brought such a conviction of sin that the workers got saved. He was a dispenser of God's glory.

I'm waiting for Christians, who carry the manifest presence of God, to cause demons to manifest and flee! You know, all I have to do in some crusades is start talking and the demons manifest because of the presence of God.

For instance, in Israel, at one of the holy sites we visited, as I preached and the team began to pray and minister, the on-site Jesuit priest began to manifest a demon, speaking out in demonic tongues and doing a demonic dance. Our tour guide, who's been to that particular place about twice a month for many years, said that she had never seen him act this way before. It was obvious that the anointing of the Holy Spirit agitated the enemy. As sons and daughters of God we can take authority over demons and bring deliverance to those who are affected by them.

And, did you know that in the Welsh revival, there was such an anointing (on that revival), that in the bars, patrons couldn't even get the beer up to their mouths because there was such a permeating, convicting power and presence of the Holy Spirit? That's the kind of anointing that I'm talking about; it will take place when we develop a God consciousness.

When we see the manifestation and the revealing of the sons and daughters of God who understand who they are and what they have, they will take responsibility to defeat sin (corruption, sickness, disease, death, poverty) and to bring the glory of God with them wherever they go. Because of the glorious liberty of the children of God, believers will carry the revelation of who they are and what they have and they will be dispensers of glory.

"IT IS NO LONGER I WHO LIVE, BUT CHRIST LIVES IN ME"

As well, I believe God is going to bring the body of Christ together in unity, positioned to receive a corporate revelation concerning the fact that "...it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me..." (Galatians 2:20). We need to be possessed by the Holy Spirit in such a way that we know it's no longer us who lives, but Christ who lives in us. And we'll be walking in this reality when Jesus actually lives through us like He wants to; through our eyes, ears, words, touch, and our presence.

Then the body of Christ will have a deeper revelation of what it really means to be sons and daughters of God. They will be possessed with so much of the fullness of God that they will dispense God's glory through their prayers and worship -- filling the very atmosphere with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord.

"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea." Habakkuk 2:14

The glory will be seen like it was when the Shekinah glory filled the temple. And not only that, the glory will also be revealed in us.

"For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us." Romans 8:18

It's not just in us and to us, but through us; because those whom He has called, He has justified and those He has justified, He has glorified (Romans 8:30). And if we have this treasure in earthen vessels (2 Corinthians 4:7), how much of a capacity do we have as mere men to receive and manifest the glory of God? As I said earlier, I believe we will be saturated with that glory just like Moses was.

"THE KINGDOMS OF THIS WORLD HAVE BECOME THE KINGDOMS OF OUR LORD"

Listen, the kingdom of heaven is at hand (Matthew 10:7). And when we look at the world and the world system, we need to understand that the kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and Christ (Revelation 11:15). It's done. The world just doesn't know it yet!

Instead of looking at how defeated the world is, let's look at the potential there is for the world to become the kingdom of God. We need to understand that it's the knowledge of the glory of the Lord released through us as sons and daughters of God and the dispensers of His glory that will cause His kingdom to come on earth as it is in heaven.

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