The Reality of the Authority of the Name of Jesus Sun am 6/17/20

Mark 16:15-20 (NKJV)

**15**And He said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.

**16**He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned.

**17**And these signs will follow those who believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues;

**18**the will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover.”

**19**So then, after the Lord had spoken to them, He was received up into heaven, and sat down at the right hand of God.

**20**And they went out and preached everywhere, the Lord working with *them* and confirming the word through the accompanying signs. Amen.

 *The source of the believer’s power, in“My Name” express the full power of attorney. If one fully uses the power he will do the works of Christ.*

# Acts 3:6 (NKJV)

**6**Then Peter said, “Silver and gold I do not have, but what I do have I give you: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk.”

# Acts 3:16 (NKJV)

**16**And His name, through faith in His name, has made this man strong, whom you see and know. Yes, the faith which *comes* through Him has given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all.

 *This is the secret of power with God and of all divine miracles.*

# Acts 4:10 (NKJV)

**10**let it be known to you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by Him this man stands here before you whole.

 *We do not hesitate to declare to you that it was by the name (authority) of Jesus Christ of Nazareth that this man was healed.*

# Acts 4:16-18 (NKJV)

**16**saying, “What shall we do to these men? For, indeed, that a notable miracle has been done through them *is* evident to all who dwell in Jerusalem, and we cannot deny *it.*

**17**But so that it spreads no further among the people, let us severely threaten them, that from now on they speak to no man in this name.”

**18**So they called them and commanded them not to speak at all nor teach in the name of Jesus.

# Proverbs 18:10 (NKJV)

**10**The name of the Lord *is* a strong tower; The righteous run to it and are safe.

# Acts 3:12 (NKJV)

**12**So when Peter saw *it,* he responded to the people: “Men of Israel, why do you marvel at this? Or why look so intently at us, as though by our own power or godliness we had made this man walk?

# Acts 4:8-10 (NKJV)

**8**Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders of Israel:

**9**If we this day are judged for a good deed *done* to a helpless man, by what means he has been made well,

**10**let it be known to you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by Him this man stands here before you whole.

 *Peter uses the power in the Name of Jesus. We have a need of the Name of Jesus today. Even thought the believer has been delivered from the power of darkness, he still lives in a world dominated by satan. The name of Jesus is a weapon for us to use.*

 *The greatness of the Name of Jesus is threefold.*

# Hebrews 1:1-5 (NKJV)

**1**God, who at various times and in various ways spoke in time past to the fathers by the prophets,

**2**has in these last days spoken to us by *His* Son, whom He has appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the worlds;

**3**who being the brightness of *His* glory and the express image of His person, and upholding all things by the word of His power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high,

**4**having become so much better than the angels, as He has by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they.

**5**For to which of the angels did He ever say: “You are My Son, Today I have begotten You”? And again: “I will be to Him a Father, And He shall be to Me a Son”?

 *He inherited His Name from God, the power in His name can only be measured by the power of God.*