

What Is The Kingdom of God

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The Kingdom of God is seen, when the realm of the Spirit gives birth to the natural (sense level) realm.

This was seen in the creation, when words proceeding from the mouth of God, produced all we see in the physical realm. The Spirit created or brought into being the natural (physically observable) realm of existence.

Man, born again and empowered by The Spirit of Truth, can also create with his words and can effect change on creation, with his words.

The Kingdom of God, or the Kingdom of Light, can be cataloged as, all that came out of God, in creation and its expansion.

Our Lord declared "The gold is mine, the silver is mine, declares The Lord." Haggai 2:8

"The earth and the fullness thereof are the Lords." 1 Corinthians 10:26

"All those who call upon the name of The Lord, shall be saved."

Romans 10:13

1 John 2:1-2 (NAS)

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; 2 and He Himself is the propitiation for our sins; and not for ours only, but also for those of the whole world.

The propitiation, or literally the satisfaction, of sin's penalty.

Luke 11:20 (NAS)

But if I cast out demons by the finger of God, then the kingdom of God has come upon you.

One could say, our Advocate, our Lawyer, the One called alongside to help, satisfied our sin debt. (For the wages [paycheck] of sin is death. Romans 6:23)

Lit:

Not for our sin only, but also for the whole cosmos.

God wants His people back, His planet back, His heavens back, His universe back.

The Kingdom of God, is all that is His.

The Kingdom of God is manifested, each time His will, His plan, His purpose are put back on track by His people performing His works, and demonstrating His triumph over satan's works.

Matthew 6:33 (NAS)

But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

His Kingdom (rule, reign, manifestation, expansion)

Matthew 6:10 (NAS)

**'Your kingdom come.
Your will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.**

Thy – God's Kingdom, come into manifestation.

The Believers job description is outlined in:

John 14:12 (NAS)

Truly, truly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do, he will do also; and greater *works* than these he will do; because I go to the Father.

The works He did, in ruling over fallen creation.

The church, the "called out ones" the assemblage is to be about the business of change. Bringing redeeming grace to fallen people, places and ways.

Change must first occur in a person's spirit. Then the mind must be renewed to Truth, through subjecting the thought process to the washing of the New Covenant Word of change.

The Believer, thus renewed in spirit and mind, can bring Kingdom realignment (change) to fallen man and creation.

What part have you seen, in your spirit, in your dreams, in your meditations of Truth and His promises, that you are to play, in the Kingdom of God, Kingdom of Light, manifestation in the earth?

The New Covenant Believer must learn to avoid the traps described in Mark 4.

Mark 4:3-9 (NAS)

"Listen *to this*! Behold, the sower went out to sow; ⁴ as he was sowing, some *seed* fell beside the road, and the birds came and ate it up. ⁵ Other *seed* fell on the rocky *ground* where it did not have much soil; and immediately it sprang up because it had no depth of soil. ⁶ And after the sun had risen, it was scorched; and because it had no root, it withered away. ⁷ Other *seed* fell among the thorns, and the thorns came up and choked it, and it yielded no crop. ⁸ Other *seeds* fell into the good soil, and as they grew up and increased, they yielded a crop and produced thirty, sixty, and a hundredfold." ⁹ And He was saying, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

Mark 4:13-20 (NAS)

And He **said* to them, "Do you not understand this parable? How will you understand all the parables? ¹⁴ The sower sows the word. ¹⁵ These are the ones who are beside the road where the word is sown; and when they hear, immediately Satan comes and takes away the word which has been sown in them. ¹⁶ In a similar way these are the ones on whom seed was sown on the rocky *places*, who, when they hear the word, immediately receive it with joy; ¹⁷ and they have no *firm* root in themselves, but are *only* temporary; then, when affliction or persecution arises because of the word, immediately they fall away. ¹⁸ And others are the ones on whom seed was sown among the thorns; these are the ones who have heard the word, ¹⁹ but the worries of the world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the desires for other things enter in and choke the word, and it becomes unfruitful. ²⁰ And those are the ones on whom seed was sown on the good soil; and they hear the word and accept it and bear fruit, thirty, sixty, and a hundredfold."

1. The Word of Truth, sown on hard, trampled down soil. People too hurt, too angry, too disappointed, too sorrowful, too hopeless, for the Word to sink in to their laden hearts.

Ephesians 1:16-21 (NAS)

do not cease giving thanks for you, while making mention *of you* in my prayers; ¹⁷ that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of Him. ¹⁸ *I pray that* the eyes of your heart may be enlightened, so that you will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, ¹⁹ and what is the surpassing

greatness of His power toward us who believe. *These are* in accordance with the working of the strength of His might ²⁰ which He brought about in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly *places*, ²¹ far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come.

People blinded by life:

2 Corinthians 4:4 (NAS)

in whose case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelieving so that they might not see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

The eyes must be opened, the veil rent.

2. Sown on rocky soil, their hardness is just below the surface. They may appear to be good soil, but the things they harbor, prevent any depth of understanding. They are unable to grow in grace.

Hosea 10:12 (NAS)

Sow with a view to righteousness,
Reap in accordance with kindness;
Break up your fallow ground,
For it is time to seek the Lord
Until He comes to rain righteousness on you.

Jeremiah 4:3 (NAS)

For thus says the Lord to the men of Judah and to Jerusalem,
"Break up your fallow ground,
And do not sow among thorns.

Unplowed ground can kick the stones, rocks and boulders, that will hamper growth. Tilling the soil, exposes the rocks, that make better fences or borders, than they do soil.

3. Thorns, unproductive growth, worries, fears, doubts and second guesses; secular concerns of the world system.

Desires for things which God has not inspired. Non-Kingdom of Light concerns or desires that occupy too much of one's thoughts, desires or direction. These contrary to Truth concerns eat up all the life and energy of the individual. They are too drained by cares, to produce faith.

4. Good soil, ground that is hurt free, over experiences. Ground that is rock free, no kingdom of darkness issues. Thorn free, the cares and concerns of the world have been ruled over, and rendered non issues.

Fertile soil, to receive seeds of Truth.

Being in right standing with God (righteous) is a gift, that of necessity, requires the recipient to make a quality place for the gift.

Every new Believer, needs saturation with new Covenant Truth. They need cultivation of the spirit man. They need to learn to yield to and embrace the leading of The Holy Spirit of Truth.

Kingdom of Light growth, will by its presence, drive out kingdom of darkness, presence and influence.

The Kingdom of God is come, anywhere its nature, presence, or power is made manifest.