

DOMINION

"Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands; thou hast put all things under his feet." Psalm 8:6

BIBLE PASSAGE: Genesis 1:26-28

Weekly Services

Sunday Service Times: Sunday: 10am - 12:30pm Prayer service: Friday: 7pm - 8:30pm

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Christ's Prayer For Man

I am in them and you are in me. May they experience such perfect unity that the world will know that you sent me and that you love them as much as you love me.

John 17:23

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The word kingdom is derived from the words "king" and "domain". Domain is the realm over which the king rules with absolute control. Dominion also refers to sovereign or supreme authority; the power of governing and controlling. It is the power to direct, use and dispose at pleasure. God is the creator of all things and all things belongs to him and under his sovereign control. Rev. 4:11, Jn. 1:3. Rather than rule directly from his throne above, He chose to exercise his kingly authority on earth through humans created in his image; One of the most beautiful features of the Christian life is that as God's children. we are created for dominion and have been blessed with power and authority to rule on God's behalf on the Earth (Rev.1:6), Ps. 115:15-17. We have been mandated to embody the nature of God on Earth and serve as his divine representative in the physical world. As believers we should not exercise our dominion negatively like the unsaved does; we are to use it for "building up" and not "pulling down".

OUTLINES:

- 1. How To Reign In Dominion
- 2. Some Areas Of Dominion

HOW TO REIGN IN DOMINION

In order to enjoy the kind of life God has prepared for us, you need to understand what it takes to have, exercise and maintain dominion. You must surrender your life to Christ, abide with him and remain under his authority as your Lord and saviour (Jn.3:3, 15:4-5, Phil.2:9-11). Maintain a life of peace and holiness (Heb. 12:14, Matt. 5:48, Eccl. 10:8). Rule over your own spirit (Prov. 16:32) by submitting it under the authority of the Holy Spirit (Rom.8:14). Receive by faith the gift of grace and righteousness (Heb. 6:9) Exercise your faith in Christ (Matt.17:20, Lk. 17:6). Pray fervently and without ceasing (Ja.5:17, 1Thess 5:18). Be courageous and bold. (Josh. 1:6, 9, Acts 4:13, Heb. 13:6)

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SOME AREAS OF DOMINION

As a child of God created in his likeness and regenerated in Christ, it is expected that you exercise dominion in every aspect of your life. These include:

- 1. Spiritual dominion. Eph.1:18-22, Lk.10:19
 - 2. Physical dominion. Gen. 9:2, Mk. 16:18
- 3. Financial dominion. 2Chr.1:11-12, Prov.22:7, Deut. 28:12
- 4. Political dominion. Gen.41:40-41, 1Kgs. 4:24 Dan.2:48, 6:1-2, Isa.

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CONCLUSION

The devil hates to see you enjoy your Christian life; he is also looking for obstacles to hinder you from exercising dominion. However, God has given you dominion over every power and antics of the wicked one (Lk. 10:19). Our dominion is not for ownership but rulership; Dr R.C. Sproul writes "we are called to reflect the character of God's righteous rule over the universe. He never ravages or exploits what he rules, but rather reigns in justice and kindness"

What's On

Our weekly service will be taking place this Friday at 7pm-8:30pm. This will be a time of prayer and Fellowship in the presence of God.

Stay connected in fellowship by joining one of the weekly House Fellowship groups. It is a wonderful time of fun, bonding and growing in God's word together. Kindly speak to Sister Remy for further details,