Beyond Sunday with Scripture

Sevens (Government Endings pt 3)

A Sermon Application Guide

This guide is designed to offer a simple tool for those wanting to take the next step with Sunday's message. You can print this guide to study on your own, or use it in a group and experience transformation together. Our hope is that the living, breathing words of truth that are revealed to you become a part of your everyday life. In the book of James, we read about a key to living life with God. We are told that if we ask for wisdom by faith then we shall receive it generously from our Father in Heaven.

One of the best ways to receive this wisdom is by preparing to receive it. We invite you to pray this prayer prior to the message and starting the study guide:

"God, thank You for Your truth and wisdom. Help me to see what I need to see, hear what I need to hear, and know what I need to know. Holy Spirit, help me to understand in a way that shows me the Father's true nature and heart. May this time help me to know You more and become more like Jesus. Amen."

Message Theme

Biblical Prophecy Coming Alive

Key Concepts/Truths

What God did through Jesus Christ is greater and more far effective than what Satan did through Adam.

Bible prophecy proves the Bible to be a supernatural book and truth. It points to the promises of the future, like Jesus arriving in Jerusalem.

If we can understand Daniel's 70 week prophecy of end times, all other prophecies pertaining to that time period fall in line.

When we come to something that we don't understand, we can receive amazing clarity and revelation by bringing it to God and trusting his word.

God created the church to be salt, to preserve, and to be light. The antichrist spirit has been around since the first century, but it is the church that holds him back until God's appointed time.

God has provided everything that we need in order to be aware of the signs of the last times in His word.

Key Verses: 1 John 3:3 • Matthew 24:15 • Daniel 9

Which one truth do you already have evidence of in your life today? Ask the Lord for new ways to see even more of it for you and others around you. Write your answers out.

Which one truth is the most challenging or least existing in your life today? Why do you think this is? Ask the Lord if there are any beliefs or barriers that are keeping you from believing that particular truth. Write it out.

Real-Life Application

Trust God. How great it is to know that God has a plan that he is sticking to. We know that God's word is living and active. His prophecies are active as well. Understanding this gives new meaning to scripture when it says it is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path.

God's word is literally a map to a right way of living and a promise that God will never forsake us. He has things planned for this world on a scale that we can't possibly fathom, but we know that he works all things for the good of those who love him.

You and I have been called according to his purpose. All of us!

It's important to remember that if something isn't good, God isn't done yet. God says in Philippians 1 that he has started good works in us and will continue those works until the day of Christ.

What is He working out for good in you right now? What is He working out for good in the world around you. Trust Him and know that He has His plan that is active right now.

This Week's Declarations

Life is released when your words are in agreement with God. Intentionally speaking life and biblical truth out loud is extremely powerful. In fact, you have that very life in the power of your tongue. These words below, when spoken out loud, will cause an acceleration of the reality of God's words in your life. We encourage you to speak the following with an expectancy to renew your mind and see God's fullness.

• God has a plan for me individually, and the church corporately, and I choose His vision for my life.

- What God did through Jesus is stronger than what Satan did through Adam and I live with that same power.
- I trust God's word as truth over my life, and I live according to it.

• I choose to follow God's plan, bless those around me, bless Israel, and pray God's Kingdom come on earth as it is in Heaven!

What's Next?

Now it's time to write down anything that the Lord has spoken to you. Praise Him, thank Him, and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk this out.

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1 John 3:3 NKJV

And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

Matthew 24:1-3 NKJV

Then Jesus went out and departed from the temple, and His disciples came up to show Him the buildings of the temple. **2** And Jesus said to them, "Do you not see all these things? Assuredly, I say to you, not *one* stone shall be left here upon another, that shall not be thrown down." **3** Now as He sat on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things be? And what *will be* the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?"

Matthew 24:15 NKJV

Therefore when you see the 'abomination of desolation,' spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place" (whoever reads, let him understand),

Daniel 9:24 NKJV

"Seventy weeks are determined For your people and for your holy city, To finish the transgression, To make an end of sins, To make reconciliation for iniquity, To bring in everlasting righteousness, To seal up vision and prophecy, And to anoint the Most Holy.

Zechariah 12:2-3 NKJV

"Behold, I will make Jerusalem a cup of drunkenness to all the surrounding peoples, when they lay siege against Judah and Jerusalem. And it shall happen in that day that I will make Jerusalem a very heavy stone for all peoples; all who would heave it away will surely be cut in pieces, though all nations of the earth are gathered against it.

Daniel 9:24 NKJV

"Seventy weeks are determined For your people and for your holy city...

Genesis 29:15-20 NKJV

Then Laban said to Jacob, "Because you *are* my relative, should you therefore serve me for nothing? Tell me, what *should* your wages *be*?" **16** Now Laban had two daughters: the name of the elder *was* Leah, and the name of the younger *was* Rachel. **17** Leah's eyes *were* delicate, but Rachel was beautiful of form and appearance. **18** Now Jacob loved Rachel; so he said, "I will serve you seven years for Rachel your younger daughter." **19** And Laban said, "*It is* better that I give her to you than that I should give her to another man. Stay with me." **20** So Jacob served seven years for Rachel, and they seemed *only* a few days to him because of the love he had for her

Matthew 1:17 NKJV

So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations, from David until the captivity in Babylon are fourteen generations, and from the captivity in Babylon until the Christ are fourteen generations.

Daniel 9:2-3 NKJV

in the first year of his reign I, Daniel, understood by the books the number of the years specified by the word of the Lord through Jeremiah the prophet, that He would accomplish seventy years in the desolations of

Jerusalem. Then I set my face toward the Lord God to make request by prayer and supplications, with fasting, sackcloth, and ashes.

Daniel 9:24 NKJV

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Daniel 9:25 NKJV

"Know therefore and understand, That from the going forth of the command To restore and build Jerusalem Until Messiah the Prince, There shall be seven weeks and sixty-two weeks; The street shall be built again, and the wall, Even in troublesome times.

Matthew 21:6-9 NKJV

So the disciples went and did as Jesus commanded them. **7** They brought the donkey and the colt, laid their clothes on them, [a]and set *Him* on them. **8** And a very great multitude spread their clothes on the road; others cut down branches from the trees and spread *them* on the road. **9** Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying: "Hosanna to the Son of David! 'Blessed *is* He who comes in the name of the Lord!' Hosanna in the highest!"

John 1:29 NKJV

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!

Romans 5:12-15 NKJV

Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned (For until the law sin was in the world, but sin is not imputed when there is no law. Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those who had not sinned according to the likeness of the transgression of Adam, who is a type of Him who was to come.

1 Corinthians 15:45 NKJV

And so it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being." The last Adam became a life-giving spirit.

Romans 5:15 NKJV

But the free gift is not like the offense.

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But the free gift is not like the offense. For if by the one man's offense many died, much more the grace of God and the gift by the grace of the one Man, Jesus Christ, abounded to many.

Daniel 9:26 NKJV

And after the sixty-two weeks Messiah shall be cut off, but not for Himself; And the people of the prince who is to come Shall destroy the city and the sanctuary.

Luke 4:18-20 NKJV

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me...To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord."

Daniel 9:27 NKJV

Then he shall confirm a covenant with many for one week; But in the middle of the week He shall bring an end to sacrifice and offering.

2 Thessalonians 2:4 NKJV

who opposes and exalts himself above all that is called God or that is worshiped, so that he sits as God in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God.

2 Thessalonians 2:7 NKJV

For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work; only He who now restrains *will do so* until He is taken out of the way.

1 John 4:3 NKJV

and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God. And this is the *spirit* of the Antichrist, which you have heard was coming, and is now already in the world.