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OVERCOMERS - PART 1

It's essential we start at the beginning when looking at who will be the church who overcomes and receives the full reward of inheritance which Jesus has for them. It's essential to know that only those who overcome will receive this reward or inheritance that is in Christ.

We will look at the difference between being an overcomer positionally and being an overcomer experientially.

These truths are to seriously have us take account of our lives now and ask serious questions about our fellowship (oneness) with Him and if we are in fact living by faith and obedience in Him, living as we are truly called to live through His Commandments.

This is all part of the letter to the 7 churches. It was written by our Messiah to them and us, so we can know from His perspective what He says is their and our true state of being.

The first question I want to start with is who is the FIRST 'Overcomer', because without knowing this Person through revelation of the Spirit, there is no way we can overcome anything, and be overcomers'.

Our ability to be an overcomer is purely based on our true knowing of The Overcomer.

Revelation 5:5 and one of the elders said to me, "Stop weeping; behold, the Lion that is from the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has overcome so as to open the book and its seven seals."

Colossians 2:15 When He had disarmed the rulers and authorities, He made a public display of them, having triumphed over them through Him.

There are a multitude of Scriptures that declare that Jesus is the Overcomer of all things. He defeated everything, including the sting of death, to raise up on this earth 'overcomers' who are more than conquerors.

The word 'overcome' means "to conquer or to gain victory over something". Jesus conquered all things so we too can conquer all things, but it is only possible IN Him. We must know what it is to be IN Him if we are to be the 'overcomers', the more than conquerors, the Living Word speaks of.

One can only know what it is to be IN Him, the Overcomer of ALL things, when one has experienced this through the Spirit doing a work on the inside of our hearts. It's a behind the veil work that only occurs in the deepest recesses of the hidden place of the heart through grace. The place where His life is conceived in us.



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It is not something we work out or try to figure out through the reading of the Scriptures. It's not something we apply ourselves to through human effort and works. If we don't have a reference for it through Him giving it to us, we don't know what this is, and that's OK, and we need to be OK with that, otherwise we will create our own version of being in Him which is futile and lifeless.

We also run the risk of denying, justifying and rejecting Him and His Will as we continue to try to bring ourselves into the "In Him" dimension, which is behind the veil.

It is something He gives us through our petition and prayers to Him. It is that simple, so don't overcomplicate it and make it confusing for you and others. Just posture yourself before Him in weakness, knowing His grace is sufficient to do what you can't do, and bring you into this "In Him" dimension.

He is the great 'Overcomer'.

QUESTIONS

1. Why is it so essential we know the One who has overcome all things, if we are to truly be the overcomer's the Scriptures speak of?
2. In your own words describe what it means to be an Overcomer.
3. Have you experienced Christ as the Overcomer in your life? Share your experience and how this changed you.
4. How do we become the overcomers that will receive the full reward of inheritance that Jesus has for them?