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1. God Creates Heavens and The Earth.

(Scriptures from KJV unless noted otherwise)

Gen 1:1-3

¹ In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth. ² And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ³ **And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.** ⁴ And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness. ⁵ And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day. (KJV)

- In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.
- **And God said**, let there be light: and light was.

Heb. 11: 1-3 (By Faith We Understand)

¹ Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. ² For by it the elders obtained a good report. ³ Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear. (KJV)

- Through **His words** and through **His faith**.
- **Authority is transferred & carried by words.**
- This is a word **created**, word **operated**, word **controlled planet**.

2. God Creates Mankind.

Gen.1:26-31

²⁶ And God said, **Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.** ²⁷ So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them. ²⁸ And God blessed them, and God said unto them, **Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.** ²⁹ And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat. ³⁰ And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to everything that creeps upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so. ³¹ And God saw everything that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day. (KJV)

- Mankind in His image or likeness (man is also to operate by words & faith).
- God **delegates His authority to mankind** (Man/Woman).
- Mankind **given Lordship and dominion** over all the earth.
- Mankind **also to have dominion by words & faith**.
- Mankind has **dominion in 3 worlds** – spirit, soul, body.

3. The Fall of Man.

Gen.2:8, 15-17 (Life in God's Garden)

⁸ And the Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed. ¹⁵ And the Lord God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it. ¹⁶ And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, of every tree of the garden you may freely eat: ¹⁷ **But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, you shall not eat of it: for in the day that you eat thereof you shall surely die.** (KJV)



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Gen.3:6

⁶ And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, **and gave also unto her husband with her**; and he did eat. (KJV)

Gen.3:9-11

⁹ And the Lord God called unto Adam, and said unto him, Where are you? ¹⁰ And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and **I was afraid**, because I was naked; and I hid myself. ¹¹ And he said, Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded you that you should not eat? (KJV)

1 Tim.2:14

¹⁴ And **Adam was not deceived**, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression. (KJV)

- Mankind falls into sin through disobedience.
- Mankind loses lordship & dominion on the earth.
- **Fear & Death** enter into the garden (Gen.3:9-11) and **the law of the Spirit of Christ Jesus** is replaced by **the law of sin and death**. Rom.5:12, 17-21; 8:1-2
- Mankind falls from life **to death both** spiritually & physically.
- **Adam** becomes the **first man to be born again** from life to death.
- Adam lives to 930 years as he had to learn how to physically die – (Gen.5:5-32), Seth 912 Years; Enoch 905 years; Cainan – 910 years; Mahalalel – 895 years; Jared 962 years; Enoch 365 (and God took him); Methuselah 969 years; Lamech 777 years; Noah 950 years (Gen.9:28)
- Before the fall into sin, mankind was made to live physically eternally.

4. Satan Rules Creation.

Luke4:6-8

⁶ And the devil said unto him, All this power will I give thee, and the glory of them: **for that is delivered unto me**; and to whomsoever I will I give it. ⁷ If thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be thine. ⁸ And Jesus answered and said unto him, Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve. (KJV)

- The authority given to man **transferred** to Satan who became a stepfather to mankind.
- Jesus tempted by Satan – offered all power or authority - Satan had the power to give!
- **Jesus responds with the word** to Satan instead of acting on what Satan said – **Jesus passed the test the first Adam failed**
- Satan also called the god of this world- but only a fallen angel. 2 Cor.4:4
- Through sin, the curse enters into God's creation including sickness, Disease, Poverty, lack, Debt, The Curse, etc. Duet.28:15-68

5. God's Plan of Redemption.

His plan of redemption for man through His son Jesus (THE SEED)

Gen.3:15 (God talking to Satan!)

¹⁵ And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise His heel." (NKJV)

Your seed = Satan's family

Her seed = God's family

It = Jesus (THE SEED)

John 8:44; Acts 13:10; 1 John 3:8

Isa.7:14; **Luke1:31**, 34-35

Rom.16:20; Rev.12:7



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- God spoke through His Prophets over 4,000 years there is one coming, a Messiah – He spoke **His word** into the earth the **Word, Jesus**, becomes flesh. John 1:1-5, 14
- **Man** was the key figure of the fall; **man** had to be the key figure of Redemption.
- Jesus is referred to the last Adam. 1 Cor.15:45-47
- Jesus knew that he had to go to the cross **to legally obtain man's redemption** and **the authority** that he had lost in the fall.
- Man had been given so much authority before the fall that the sin affected 3 worlds in existence: **heaven, earth, and under the earth – everything had become perverted and had to be cleansed.**

6. The Sacrifice for Mankind.

- Jesus became the sacrifice on the cross for man. Phil. 2:8
- Through the work on the cross, Jesus destroyed him that had the power of death. Heb.2:14
- Jesus who knew no sin **was made sin** and was taken illegally to hell by Satan, and there He paid for our sins. 2Cor.5:21
- Jesus, through His sacrifice and blood, purged man's sins, made a new covenant, and cleansed all that was perverted up to and including the heavenly utensils of worship.
- Jesus called the first born from the dead. Col.1:18; Rev.1:5
- Jesus the first born of a new species of man. 2Cor.5:17
- Jesus becomes the first born of many brethren. Rom.8:29
- Jesus exalted by God and **given a name above every Name.** Phil. 2:9-12
- All power given to Jesus in heaven & earth. Mat.28:18
- The authority given back to man. Mark 16:15; Mat.28:19

7. Who We are In Christ Jesus.

2Cor.5:17

¹⁷ Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. (KJV)

- **Through Jesus you have an inheritance.**

Col.1:12-14

¹² Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light: ¹³ Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son: ¹⁴ In whom we have redemption through his blood, even the forgiveness of sins: (KJV)

- **Through Jesus you have inherited his power.**

Col.2:9-10

⁹ For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. ¹⁰ And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power: (KJV)



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Eph.2:6

⁶ And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus: (KJV)

- **Through Jesus we sit in heavenly places** Eph.1:20-23
- **Through Jesus we become His body.** Eph.1:20-23
- You are over comers. 1 John 5:4-5
- You are the righteousness of God. 2Cor.5:21; 1 Peter 2:24
- You are made kings and priests. Rev. 1:5-6
- If you are born again **you have authority** through Jesus in **3 worlds Spiritual, Mental, and Natural.**
- You have authority over **Satan and his demons.** Mark 16:15-18, Mat.28:16-20
- You have authority over **sickness and disease.** Mark 16:15-18, Mat.28:16-20
- You have authority over the **wind, trees, sea, Death** as Jesus had. Jn.14:12
- Jesus gave you **his power & authority.** Mat.28:18
- Jesus gave you his power & authority to go into the world. Mark 16:15-18

John 14:7-14 (The Father Revealed)

⁷ If ye had known me, ye should have known my Father also: and from henceforth ye know him, and have seen him. ⁸ Philip saith unto him, Lord, shew us the Father, and it sufficeth us. ⁹ Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou then, Shew us the Father? ¹⁰ Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father, and the Father in me: or else believe me for the very works' sake. ¹² **Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.** ¹³ And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If ye shall ask any thing in my name, I will do it. (KJV)

As a “Believer” in Christ Jesus, “Born Again” by the Spirit of God, You are a “New Creation”, you have authority through & in Christ Jesus – exercise it now!

**What you CONFESS you will eventually BECOME!
What you CONFESS you will eventually POSSESS!**

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What I Confess I Possess

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A bold challenge to "Speak The Word Only" Matt.8:8

01. **I CONFESS**, "Jesus as my Lord" - **I POSSESS** salvation! Rom 10:9-10
02. **I CONFESS**, "By His stripes I am healed" - **I POSSESS** healing! Isa 53:5
03. **I CONFESS**, "The Son has made me Free" - **I POSSESS** absolute freedom! John 8:36
04. **I CONFESS**, "The love of God is shed abroad in my heart by the Holy Spirit" - **I POSSESS** the ability to love everyone! Rom 5:5
05. **I CONFESS**, "The righteous are bold as a lion" - **I POSSESS** lion-hearted boldness in spiritual warfare! Prov. 28:1
06. **I CONFESS**, "He will never leave me nor forsake me" **I POSSESS** the presence of God each step I take! Heb. 13:5-6
07. **I CONFESS**, "I am the redeemed of the Lord" - **I POSSESS** redemption benefits every day! Ps 107:2
08. **I CONFESS**, "The anointing of the Holy One lives in me" - **I POSSESS** yoke-destroying results by this anointing. 1 Jn. 2:27; Isa 10:27
09. **I CONFESS**, "In the Name of Jesus I can cast out devils" - **I POSSESS** dynamic deliverances as a devil-master. Mark16:17
10. **I CONFESS**, "I lay my hands on the sick and they shall recover" - **I POSSESS** positive healings for the oppressed. Mark 16:18
11. **I CONFESS**, "I am a branch of the Living Vine" - **I POSSESS** Vine-life where I go! Jn. 15:5
12. **I CONFESS**, "I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus" - **I POSSESS** the ability to stand free in God's holy presence, and in Satan's presence as a victor! 2Cor 5:21
13. **I CONFESS**, "I am a temple of the living God" - **I POSSESS** God dwelling in me and walking in me! 2 Cor. 6:16
14. **I CONFESS**, "My God shall supply all of my needs" - **I POSSESS** the supply of every need! Phil 4:19

My Never Again List

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01. **Never Again will I confess**, "I can't," for "I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me." Phil 4:13
02. **Never Again will I confess**, lack, for "My God shall supply all of my need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus". Phil 4:19
03. **Never Again will I confess**, fear, for "God hath not given me the spirit of fear, but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind." 2Tim 1:7
04. **Never Again will I confess**, doubt and lack of faith, for "God hath given to every man the measure of faith." Rom 12:3
05. **Never Again will I confess**, weakness, for "The Lord is the strength of my life." and "The people that know their God shall be strong and do exploits." Ps 27:1; Dan 11:32
06. **Never Again will I confess**, supremacy of Satan over my life, for "Greater is He that is within me than he that is in the world" 1 Jn. 4:4
07. **Never Again will I confess**, defeat, for "God always causes me to triumph in Christ Jesus" 2Cor2:14
08. **Never Again will I confess**, lack of wisdom, for "Christ Jesus is made unto me wisdom from God." 1 Cor. 1:30
09. **Never Again will I confess**, sickness, for "With His stripes I am healed." and Jesus "Himself took my infirmities and bare my sicknesses." Isa.53:5; Matt 8:17
10. **Never Again will I confess**, worries and frustrations, for I am "Casting all my cares upon Him who cares for me." In Christ I am "care-free"! 1 Pt 5:7
11. **Never Again will I confess**, bondage, for "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty." My body is the temple of the Holy Spirit! 2 Cor. 3:17
12. **Never Again will I confess**, condemnation, for "There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus ". I am in Christ; therefore, I am free from condemnation. Rom 8:1

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