

Calling Things into Existence That Are Not

Did you know that God called things into existence that didn't already exist?

Romans 4:17 says: "God, who gives life to the dead and calls those things that do not exist as though they did."

Let's take a look at Abraham. God called Abram the father of Nations. This was before Abram had the promised child. God even changed Abram's name to Abraham which means "Father of Nations", so that every time someone said his name he heard, "father of nations."

Look at **Genesis 1:2**: "The earth was without form and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters."

In the beginning the Spirit of God was hovering. There was darkness everywhere. What if you were to go out and there was nothing but darkness; black everywhere so that you couldn't see. What would you say? I know we all would say, "Boy is it dark out there!" It's a good thing we weren't God! God said "**Let there be LIGHT**"!!! And there was light!

He called everything into existence through His words. Where there was nothing, he called something. You may say, well He could do that, after all, He's God. Well the Bible tells us that **we were created in the image of God in His likeness. (vs. 26.)**

Then in **Mark 11:23**, Jesus tells us: "For assuredly, I say to you,, **WHOSOEVER** says to this mountain, 'Be removed and be cast into the sea', and does **not doubt** in his heart, but **BELIEVES** that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says.

And in **Mark 16:17**, Jesus says, "And these signs will follow **THOSE WHO BELIEVE**: In my name they will cast out demons, they will speak with new tongues, they will pick up serpents and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them. They will lay hands on the sick and they **WILL RECOVER!**"

We are to speak like God speaks. God calls things into existence that are not present. If we are created in His likeness, then we need to speak like God speaks. After all, if we have accepted Jesus as our Lord and Savior, then we are heirs to the kingdom. We are children of God and He has given everything to us.

Back in **Genesis chapter 1, verse 28**, "God gave Adam **dominion** over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, over the cattle, over **ALL** the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

Man was given **dominion**. What does that mean? The definition on dictionary.com says "the power or right of governing and controlling; sovereign authority; to rule; control; domination"

Man was given the authority to rule this earth!! Well how was he supposed to do that? He didn't have any tools! All he had was his mouth, his words! He was to rule over the whole earth using his words!!! Just like God! Because he was made in the image of God and in his likeness! We are made in the image of God! We are to be speaking and acting like God! We are his children! Adam was to speak over everything! His words had power. God made him in his image and gave him power to rule over the earth using his words. And since Adam walked with God everyday, and Adam's spirit was alive to God, Adam would have spoken the things that would have lined up with the character of God; which is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, gentleness,, faithfulness, and self control.

But unfortunately, Adam gave his dominion over to Satan and so he lost his power to rule. Satan took everything over and has been using it to his advantage ever since. And Satan doesn't rule with love, joy, peace, patience, etc. Just look at the world and the problems that are in it.

But praise God for JESUS!!! He took back the keys to God's kingdom and gave them back to US when He went to the cross and died for us! Satan does **NOT** have authority anymore over us or this earth!!!!

Yes it looks like he still does by the way things are going, but that's only because we Christians have not gotten the revelation that **WE HAVE THE AUTHORITY!!!** How do we utilize the authority that Jesus died to give us?? By our **WORDS!!!**

The Bible tells us in **Proverbs 18:21**, that "Death and life are in the power of our tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

What are you eating???? Life or death?? God used His words to speak life. We are created in His image, He gave Us authority over all the earth. Are you speaking life or death?

Since God called things into existence that were not, then we are to do the same thing! We have dominion, we have authority,, we have the same power! Remember that Jesus told us in **John 14:12**, "**Most assuredly, 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 my Father.**"

Do you believe in Jesus? Do you believe what he just said??? Either Jesus is true, or He is a liar! What do you believe? **Who** do you believe? The Words of God, or the words of Satan??? You know, Satan twists the Word of God like he did with Eve in the garden. He doesn't want us to know that we have been given back authority through Jesus with our words. He wants us to think that he still has all the power, all the

authority over us. He is the thief that Jesus said comes to steal, kill and destroy. **(John 10:10)**

He wants us to think we can't change anything with our words, after all, that's silly to think that just by speaking words out loud, we can change our situation. He lies to us telling us, the doctor said you have an incurable disease, that you will die within a few months, put your affairs in order. Or he tells you that the world's economy is getting worse and worse and there is nothing you can do about it. You will lose all your money and end up poor and destitute. Or he tells you that those things were just for the disciples and the apostles. That's not for today.

He will send people around you to discourage you when you speak God's promises over yourself. They will tell you you're just lying. How can you say you're well when you're sick? You tell them, you are speaking like God. You are calling things into existence that are not. You are telling your body that sickness has no right to exist in your body because sickness is a curse (Deut. 28:15) and Jesus has redeemed you from the curse of the law!!!

If the Bible is true, and we believe that Jesus is the Son of God and that He died on the cross and He is our Savior, and if we believe that we are saved because we believe in Him, then we have to also believe these words that He says! Jesus came to give you an abundant life!!! **(John 10:10)** An abundant life here on earth!

Start believing God's Words, and ACT ON THEM!!! Speak them out loud! You may feel foolish at first, but don't let Satan make you feel foolish. God created you in His image, you are His child, He is your Father, you should be acting like Him!!

If God called things into existence with His words, then we are to do the same. Look at your life. When we hurt, we generally talk about the pain, the things we can't do, the tumor, we can't breathe, we can't walk, or our finances, we don't have enough to pay that bill, every time we get ahead, something bad always happens, the car breaks down or the kids get sick.

You are saying what is already here. You are not calling things into existence that are not! If you are sick, call health into existence!! If you have lack in your finances, call abundance!!!

To most of us that sounds ridiculous. But think about this: In everything else in life, we don't call what is already here, we call what is not here, For instance, suppose it's 100 degrees outside and your house has been shut up for a few days while you've been gone. You come back in and the temperature is 105 degrees inside your home. You go to the thermostat and put it at 70 degrees. Why did you do that? You were calling for a temperature that is not. You are calling for a cooler temperature.

What if you had set the thermostat at 105 degrees. What would happen? Nothing! You would not have changed anything. You would have just called for what already existed.

What if your spouse is not with you and you want to talk to him or her. What would you do? You would CALL them here. Or if your dog is not around and you want to feed your dog, what do you do? You call your dog here.

You see, we do that in the world things, but when it comes to the things of God, we just say it like it is. When we are sick, we say we are sick. When we have financial lack, we call the same.

Is that what you want??? If you are sick, call for health according to the Word of God. Find those scriptures that says what God says you can have.

God has already given you everything. He says in **1 Peter 2:24**, "By His stripes you were healed." So if you were already healed, then why are you sick? Could it be that you haven't called for it? Have you been repeating over and over, I'm sick, I hurt, I can't do this I can't do that???

Speak what GOD says you already have!! Now it's not a magic formula. You have to exercise your faith. For most of us, we haven't grown up with this knowledge. (Remember the Bible says, my people are destroyed for lack of knowledge." (**Hosea 4:6**)

We have to renew our minds, change our way of thinking. Speak what God says about our situation. But in the beginning when you start to do this and nothing changes you think, "this doesn't work". But keep saying it over and over because what you are doing is building up your faith. Remember that faith comes from hearing and hearing by the word of God. (**Romans 10:17**)

Are your words putting faith in what God says, or what the devil says? What do you keep saying over and over??

You have to build up your faith in God's Word before you see anything change. Keep speaking God's word over whatever is your situation. Find the scriptures that pertain to your problem and then speak His words over and over and DON'T speak the problem, because you will only nullify what you are wanting to come to pass. Nothing will happen if you speak what God says and then speak the problem.

Remember the house that was 105 degrees inside and it was also 105 degrees outside? If you would have set the thermostat at 105 degrees, nothing would have changed. You called for what was already there. Hot air. That's not what you wanted. You wanted cool air, so you would have to call for what you want. Set the thermostat at the temperature you want it to be.

The bible says in **2 Corinthians 4:18** "that we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things that are not seen. For the things that are seen are temporary, but the

things which are not seen are eternal." So be encouraged, if you see a problem, YOU can change it!!! How??? With your words!!!

Put a guard over your mouth and think before you speak!! Is what you are about to say going to change things for the better the way God sees it, or is it only re-hashing the problem that already exists in your life?

Do you want to keep the circumstances that already exists, or do you want things to get better? Do you want to keep the sickness? Do you want to keep the lack, the relationship problem?

If you don't, then speak what God says!! Use your words to speak life! Not death!!!

Do the same for your children or your boss. Don't keep saying, my child keeps getting into trouble at school. You are only reinforcing the already known problem. Bless your children with words of encouragement speaking life over them saying things like, my child is created by God, he makes wise choices, he is led by God, he thinks before he speaks, he is diligent to do his homework. Call into existence what you want to see instead of calling what already is.

Speak what God says about you and the promises He has for you. They are already yours. But just because they are written in the Bible doesn't mean you have them. YOU have to call for them!!!

Just like Jesus died for ALL sinners, and whoever calls on Him will be saved, doesn't mean that everyone is saved. They have to speak it out and call on Him. Jesus already did it, but you have to accept him and call on Him in order to receive the promise of salvation.

You must speak out the promises of God over your situation in order to receive the promises. Just because God says you can have them doesn't mean you have them!! YOU MUST **CALL** FOR THEM INTO YOUR LIFE! How do you do that? Through your words. Speak over your life, speak over your circumstances, but remember, don't negate what you want to see happen by speaking what already is. Don't speak about the problem, speak the answer.

Remember that it will take time. Most of us have grown up not knowing these things and speaking the circumstance, complaining about what is or what we don't have. But even if you have spoken what is, (the lack, or the health problem all your life, it CAN be changed!!! Start now to change your words that you speak. It won't happen over night. You need to build up your faith, and faith comes by hearing. Keep speaking it, keep speaking it. Eventually, you will begin to have faith in what God says and believe what God says, and then you will begin to see things change.

Make it a way of life, not just something you do just to get something. This is a principle of God; this is God's method; and since you are his child, you need to be doing what God says to do.

Just remember also not to nullify or make void what you are saying what you want to come to pass, by speaking the problem. We all have to be so careful in this, because most of us have grown up speaking the problem.

Renew your mind with God's Word. Read and speak what's in the bible. Meditate on it. Don't just take my word for it, look it up in the scriptures and make it your own.

I pray that these words that God has given me to share with you have encouraged you and caused you to think about them; to look into God's Word to see for yourself how important your words are and how you can change your own circumstances with the words you speak.

God loves you so much. He wants you to have all that He has promised to you in His Word. Find out what all those promises are by reading the Bible, then speaking them out loud over your life, and the lives of your children.

Don't forget to speak blessings over those who persecute you and hate you, as Jesus told us to in **Matthew 5:43**: "But I say to you, 'love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you that you may be sons of your Father in heaven.'"

God has a wonderful plan for each of you, but those plans cannot come into existence without your cooperation. Speak out what His Word says, believe and doubt not in your heart that what He says is true. Keep your mind focused on Him and His word. Lean not on your own understanding, but in all your ways acknowledge Him and He will make your paths straight." (**Proverbs 3:5-6**)

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