

## The Greater One Lives In Us

John 14:10-12

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.

### **John 14:11-12 (AMP)**

11. Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father in Me; or else believe Me for the sake of the [ very ] works themselves. [ If you cannot trust Me, at least let these works that I do in My Father's name convince you.]

12. I assure you, most solemnly I tell you, if anyone steadfastly believes in Me, he will himself be able to do the things that I do; and he will do even greater things than these, because I go to the Father.

***Greater: larger (literally or figuratively, specifically in age): - elder, greater (-est), more.***

With Jesus being our connection to God the Father, He is the One that does the work as He did through Jesus for they are One. (John 14:6)

**Greater works (more works) shall you do, because the Greater One lives in us. God is the One who does the works through us. We have to be the obedient vessel to be used by Him, for Him to work through us.**

Jesus said in His Word that He only did what He saw His Father do (John 5:19) and said what His Father said (John 12:49-50). As the body of Christ and ministers of the Word of God we have the same responsibility to minister what He says to minister. We are held accountable for it. One thing for us to remember, this is a great responsibility, because God trusts us with His Word.

Mark 16:15-20

15. And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.

16. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.

17. And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;

18. They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

19. So then after the Lord had spoken unto them, he was received up into heaven, and sat on the right hand of God.

20. And they went forth, and preached every where, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following. Amen.

At what we call the Great Commission, Jesus told His disciples to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature (The Amplified version says – of the whole human race), this is the same command that we have today. It hasn't changed and it won't change.

He has anointed us to go and minister where He calls us to go. We will see the Greater works take place, for God is working through us.

### **The Greater One, Jesus Who Is In Us Made Us Overcomers**

1 John 4:4

Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

1 John 5:1-5

1. Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him.

2. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God, and keep his commandments.

3. For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous.

4. For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.

5. Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Son of God?

**Believeth:** Greek meaning *to have faith (in, upon, or with respect to, a person or thing), that is, credit; by implication to entrust (especially one's spiritual well being to Christ): - believe (-r), commit (to trust), put in trust with.*

There are times that we deal with situations during the day. The devil will use people and mind games to attack us. He will try to put things in our mind to think about and to get our mind and focus off God and His Word. One thing to remember, with the help of the Holy Spirit, we overcome anything that he brings against us.

### **We Must Make Sure That We Don't Leave A Open Door Letting Satan In.**

2 Corinthians 2:11

Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.

**As we read the Word of God, we learn of the enemy's devices. The Holy Spirit will let us know if the devil is going to attack, we just have to be open to the Holy Spirit and listen to Him for He is speaking. We can overcome the devils attacks.**

John 16:13

Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.

With the leading of the Holy Spirit, He will guide and direct us as the Father tells Him to, because He only does as the Father says to do.

We have been given the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Truth to guide us into ALL truth. He doesn't speak of Himself, but what ever He shall hear, is what He will speak to us and show us things to come (John 16:13). As we are sensitive to the Holy Spirit, He will reveal to us what we need to know.

### **Jesus Has Given Us Authority Over The Enemy!**

Luke 10:19

Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

We have Jesus' authority to activate in every situation to overcome whatever temptation, scheme and lie, and any other attack the enemy brings against us.

With Jesus in our life, we have the Greater One in us who is the Overcomer and who has made us overcomers. Once again, we can overcome every attack the enemy brings against us, because the Greater One lives in us, for Greater is He that is in us than he that is in the world (1 John 4:4).

### **We Must Be and Stay In Love and Faith To Overcome. Love and Faith Work Together.**

Romans 5:5

And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

### **We Are Strong In The Lord, Because He is In Us**

Ephesians 6:10

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.

### **We Have The Joy That He Has Given To Us**

Nehemiah 8:10

Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord: neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the LORD is your strength.

### **We Have Peace Through Jesus, The Greater One**

John 16:33

These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

Through Jesus the Greater One, we have peace through tribulation and any situation and circumstance, because Jesus already overcame the world and He lives in us therefore we overcome the world.

**Tribulation:** Greek meaning - *pressure* (literally or figuratively): - afflicted, (-tion), anguish, burdened, persecution, tribulation, trouble.

Romans 8:37

Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us.

**Conquerors:** *Greek - to vanquish beyond, that is, gain a decisive victory: - more than conquer.*

**Vanquish:** *to defeat (someone) completely in a war, battle, etc.*