## Power in the Blood

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- 2. Several years around 40 different churches
- 3. Trained many pastors Milwaukee area, U.S. and Africa
- 4. African affiliate ministry Uganda 2018. MBC has school Burundi, Africa Train pastors, teachers, elders. Ministry affiliated with 30 yrs. Established over 500 churches 10 African nations
- A. Intro. Testimony Ps. 40: 1-4
  - 1. Vs. 2 Horrible pit tumult & destruction, miry clay full forth & slime
  - Set feet rock Christ Jesus
- B. Hymn There is power in the Blood
  - 1. Vs. 1 "Would you be free from the burden of sin? There's power in the blood, power in the blood Would you o'er a victory win? There's wonderful power in the blood"
  - 2. Chorus "There is power, power, wonder working in the blood of the Lamb. There is power, power, wonder working power in the precious blood of the Lamb"
  - 3. Vs. 2 "Would you be free of your passion and pride? There's power in the blood, power in the blood Come to a cleanse to Calvary's tide There is wonderful power in the blood".

- C. There is truely power in the blood Jesus
  - Life creature is in blood Lev. 17:11"For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you for an atonement for yourselves on the alter; it is the blood that makes atonement for one's life"
    - a. Blood that makes atonement for sins Priest & Israelites
      i. Offering OT half Blood bull-calf and goat sprinkled at entrance tent meeting.
      - ii. Symbolizes Cleansing feet from sin world
        - Jn. 13:5 -10 Jesus washing feet Peter refused.
          Jesus said unless wash feet no part Me. Peter's &
          our feet have been walking in world of sin therefore
          the blood needs to wash our feet as well.
        - 2. Priest entered Holy of Holy & spread rest blood goat & bull calf sin offering. Priest would sprinkle blood on four horns & alter, the rest blood poured base.
        - 3. It cleansed Priests & Israelites temporarily. Another sin offering was goat
          - Priest lay hands goats head represents sins Israelites then sent out wilderness symbolized removal sins
          - ii. Where term scapegoat
      - b. To be cleansed must take life for life
        - 1. Ex. 12:7;12-13 Passover "Then they are to take some of the blood and put it on the side and top of the doorframes of the houses where they ate the lambs"
        - 2. Because Blood lamb applied sides & top door frame. God saw blood passed over them no plague.
        - All OT fulfilled by Jesus spotless lamb NT shed blood for forgiveness our sins, & give abundant & eternal life
        - 4. Heb. 9:20-22 "He said, this is the blood covenant, which God has commanded you to keep. In the

same way, he sprinkled with blood both the tabernacle and everything used in the ceremonies. In fact, the law requires that nearly everything be cleansed with the blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness." OT Blood covenant - God commanded Israelites keep it

- c. "without shedding blood no forgiveness sin"
- d. New covenant Jesus had shed blood inorder fulfill law ten commandments so that we not under the wrath God's judgement
- e. By faith in Jesus we receive forgiveness
- D. Blood covenant-contract, agreement between God/people. God gives promise/commanded walk faith, we must obey His commandments, laws & statutes
  - 1. Ex. 24:5-8
    - a. Vs. 6 Divide blood twofold
      - i. Blood alter Symbolizes God's forgiveness & acceptance offering
      - ii. Blood sprinkled people forgiveness. Oath be obedient law in book covenant
        - Obedience Jesus & Word God's
    - b. Mk 14:24 Jesus said
      - i. "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many."
      - ii. This blood new covenant poured out all us
        - 1. Jesus death cross shed blood us
        - Are you still living under law? trying lives a good moral life - get approval men
          - a. Do you not know that you are a wretched sin?
      - 3. Charity Gayle has a very powerful & Biblical sound song "I was a wretch, I remember who I was, I was lost, I was blind, I was running out of time. Sin separate,

the breach was far to wide - But from the far side of the chasm, You had me in your sight"

- a. Chorus: "Thank you Jesus for the blood applied Thank you Jesus, it has washed me white Thank you Jesus, you have saved my life Brought me from the darkness into glorious light"
- b. Bridge: "There is nothing stronger than the wonder working power of the blood, the blood That calls us sons and daughters We are ransomed by our Father through the blood-then it repeats
- c. In Jesus blood we have the power to conquer our sins and have resurrection life, eternal and abundant life. Are you living an abundant life?
- b. Matt. 26:28 "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many the forgiveness sins." but we must accept Jesus as Savior & Lord inorder be forgiven
  - I. Jesus took own life that we could have life, a life more abundant
- E Jesus High Priest Heb. 9:11-15 (read)
- a. Jesus entered greater & more perfect tabernacle heavenly sanctuary God's presences
  - a. Not by the blood goats, calfs & lambs
  - b. Enter Holy Holy' once for all with his own blood
    - i. Obtaining eternal redemption for all who believe
    - ii. Jesus had shed blood to fulfill law, old covenant
- F. Blood goats & bulls OT
  - Sprinkled their blood ceremonially unclean sanctifying so they outwardly clean

## G. Blood Jesus Christ

- If they were cleansed by animals how much more blood Jesus Christ through the Holy Spirit completely cleanse our conscience from acts death
- 2. Stand pure, holy & righteous before God
- 3. That we might serve living God & fellowship him
  - b. Christ mediator new covenant for those who called receive promised eternal life
  - c. Rom. 8:10-11 "But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life of righteousness. And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who ralsed Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you."
    - i. Spirit gives life, must live righteousness
    - ii. Same Spirit rose Christ from dead dwells in us so we have resurrection power
  - d. Are you living in resurrection power?

## H. Are you called?

- a. Are you obeying God's calling life?
- b. Are you fulfilling the Great Commission?
- c. Through Jesus's death & resurrection we have power. Are you witnessing people about Gospel?
  - i. Or sitting in your seat in Church & just listening to the sermons and not putting them into action?
- d. Don't you realize that you have power Jesus blood?
- e. Phil 4:13 NKJV "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Under power Holy Spirit go forth proclaim Gospel
- f. Wake up church & go out proclaim Jesus's salvation
- g. People are suffering, in great pain and living in hopelessness. You have the living hope in you if you

- have surrendered your life to Christ. Go forth and proclaim the good news.
- h. But if you don't know Jesus come forward now and receive the abundant gift of life which God our Father wants to freely give you. He wants to heal your souls, mind, will and emotions. Don't leave before you get the eternal gift of life. Jesus intensely loves you and wants to free you from your guilt and shame and give you abundant life. Amen