

Making a Call through to the Lord

Text:

Isaiah 58:9 Then shalt thou call, and the LORD shall answer; thou shalt cry, and he shall say, Here I am. If thou take away from the midst of thee the yoke, the putting forth of the finger, and speaking vanity;

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- I. An Effectual Call through to the Lord is learned by calling and keep on calling on Him, not just relying on others to meet your needs.
 - a. Calling on the Lord in Faith
 - b. Calling on the Lord in Humility
 - c. Calling on the Lord in Submission
 - i. Faithfulness to God

Jere. 33:3 (GOD'S TELEPHONE NUMBER)

Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not. {mighty: or, hidden}

- ii. Faithfulness to the Elders of the Church

Jas 5:14 Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord:

15 And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him.

16 Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

- II. An Effectual Call through to the Lord is made by one that has heard from the Lord already.

When the Lord answers; you know His voice, you have learned how He speaks to you.

You may not understand the Truth of His Word nor His Will so you **cry** out to Him.

“thou shalt cry” Cry till He answers you

*“Then shalt thou call, and the LORD shall answer; **thou shalt cry,**”*

*“Then shalt thou call, and the **LORD shall answer**” The Lord reveals Himself*

- a. Hearing the Word of God is **enlightening**; The Lord will illuminate your soul, heart and mind with Truth to help you understand His Will.
- b. Hearing the Word of God is **Sanctifying**; The Lord will sanctify your whole soul, heart and mind with the Truth to help you to do His Will.
- c. Hearing the Word of God is **Enabling**, The Lord will enable you to hear more from Him and the more you know the more you are responsible to do and the more you're able to do now.

III. An Effectual Call through to the Lord is when you're hearing right now

"Then shalt thou call, and the LORD shall answer; thou shalt cry, and he shall say, **Here I am**"

Prov. 30:4 Who hath ascended up into heaven, or descended? who hath gathered the wind in his fists? who hath bound the waters in a garment? who hath established all the ends of the earth? what is his name, and what is his son's name, if thou canst tell?

Psalms 2:7 I will declare the decree: the LORD hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee.

Ex 3:14 And God said unto Moses, I AM THAT I AM: and he said, Thus shalt thou say unto the children of Israel, I AM hath sent me unto you.

a. You really have Him in your soul, heart and mind.

b. He is on the line now **"Here"**
"and he shall say, **Here I am**"

c. The main line is HOT (on fire) He is Here right now **"Here I am"**
(The Truth speaker is Present)
(He is on the line with me)
He says **"Here I am"**
The Lord reveals Himself to the obedient
The Lord reveals Himself to the humble

Isaiah 57:15 For thus saith the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy; I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones.

d. He not only has the answer, He is the answer.
"Here I am"

"The I am that I am" will talk with you like he talked with Moses if you obey Him.

Always remember the Holy Ghost doesn't speak of Himself.

I'm looking for a call with the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

God has revealed Himself through the Son and the Holy Ghost is given to us that we may obey, all His authority, even His delegated authority.

IV. An Effectual Call through to the Lord is when you are obeying all His revealed Word and Will without any distractions or hindrances in you.

"Here I am. If thou" (if there are some things to deal with, let's deal with it right now)

"If" any and every condition

What is in the "midst" what's wrong or what's happening right now.

“take away from the midst of thee the yoke, the putting forth of the finger, and speaking vanity”

- a. The Yoke slavery and bondage

1. Controlling

- a.) Anything in you're life that is not of Faith, is not of God.
- b.) If it is not of God it is slavery, It is a bondage.
- c.) What is keeping you from being the testimony you need to be?

- b. The Putting forth of the finger

1. Correcting

- a. The finger of scorn pointed at simple-minded godly men.
Mocking, scoff, judging falsely or disdainful insulting
- b. The middle finger used by the vulgar.
- c. The pointed finger is an extreme serious act that men take so lightly.

- c. Speaking Vanity (lies, false, empty, cruel and wicked words)

1. Counseling

- a. If you want to make an effectual call it must be made in truth.
- b. If you want to keep the call effectual you must stay truthful.
- c. If you want all your prayers answered you must speak only the Revealed Truth with faith and confidence in your heart daily.

Controlling, Correcting and Counseling is all serious business, God ordained and a person contracts a fearful debt, to usurp authority over one person or many.

If you want God to answer your prayer you must let Him do the controlling, correcting and the counseling.

Making a Call through to the Lord is worth the call.

Making a Call through to the Lord is worth everything to get the right answer—His answer

Making a Call through to the Lord is worth the “**CRY**”

Making a Call through to the Lord is worth the commitment.

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