## KINGDOM LEADERSHIP

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Isaiah 9:6-7

Kingdom leadership is different from worldly leadership. Worldly leadership relies on their instincts to make decisions. Kingdom leadership relies on the **LAWS** of the Kingdom of God to govern their decisions.

Instinctive leadership is derived from a person's perception and discernment. This form of leadership is not bad but it is inconsistent. Your perception can be wrong and your discernment can be inaccurate.

In most cases, people's perception is heavily influenced by their experiences which can be biased, distorted and diluted. However, Kingdom leadership is greatly different. Kingdom leadership is not dependent on your intelligence, experience or perspective. Kingdom leadership relies on the strength of God's Government. The Prophet Isaiah said it best. Isaiah 9:6-7 says, "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this."

As the scripture states above King Jesus did not come to the earth to bring a religion. He came to bring a **GOVERNMENT**! Every government governs the people and the country with **LAWS**. This is why people who are Kingdom citizens lead with the knowledge of Kingdom laws.

Kingdom citizens understand that their opinion does not matter when you are subjected to a King's authority. Unlike the world, Kingdom citizens **ECHO** the words of King Jesus because the words of a King becomes law. Ecclesiastes 8:4 says, "What the king says is law; no one tells him what to do."

## THE BENEFITS OF KINGDOM LEADERSHIP

When you lead under the influence of Kingdom leadership you will never be wrong. I know the word never is a strong word but it's true. Every word King Jesus speaks is right. When you echo his sentiments **YOUR** instructions and guidance will be right.

## HERE ARE A LIST OF BENEFITS OF KINGDOM LEADERSHIP

- God's government will **SUPPORT YOUR** decisions because you are enforcing His laws.

- Kingdom laws will help you ANTICIPATE what is to come.
- Leading with Kingdom laws will make you LOOK
   SMARTER than what you are.
- Leading with Kingdom laws will REMOVE the stress of trying to figure out which way to go. The laws will direct your path.
- Following a leader who is a Kingdom leader will ENSURE your success.
- People who are led by the Kingdom laws of God are
   GUARANTEED prosperity. Joshua 1:8
- The enemy CANNOT defeat you when you obey the Kingdom laws of God.

 When you obey or are led by a leader who honors the Kingdom laws of God you will attain **POWER** (Dominion) over your circumstances.

There are many other benefits but these are important to mediate on. Kingdom leadership relies on the influence of the Kingdom of God to change people. They do not rely on their charisma, personality or fancy words to persuade people. The **ONLY** power that is operating in this type of leadership is the authority of King Jesus.

Unfortunately, most churches are not led under the influence of Kingdom leadership. They are led by the traditions and customs of the churches historical practices. This style of leadership has misled many people. It has confused many minds because this style of leadership combines tradition with transformation.

Kingdom concepts **MIXED** with men's tradition is called religion. Taking God's ideas and fitting them under the confines of men's ways distorts Kingdom leadership.

Remember, the Lord said in Isaiah 55:8 that His thoughts are **NOT** are our thoughts and His ways are **NOT** our ways.

If you are looking to be a Kingdom leader begin to study and **APPLY** the laws of Kingdom that are stated in the Bible. A Kingdom law is defined in three ways.

- 1. **EVERY** word King Jesus speaks is a Kingdom law.
- 2. **EVERY** scripture that has a blessing and a consequence attached to it is a Kingdom law.
- 3. **EVERY** scripture that presents a cause and an effect is a Kingdom law.

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THE BETTER LEADER YOU WILL BECOME.

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