

Our Spiritual Authority



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Luke 10:19, Mark 16:17, Ephesians 2:6

Demonic Works

1 John 3:8, Acts 10:38

A, Sicknesses & disease

B, Situations

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Demonic Influences

A, Over People

B, Over Demonic Influence in World Systems

C, Over Geographic Regions

D, Over Demonic Habitations

E, Over Objects & Artifacts

F, Over Occult Expressions

G, Over Organizations and Institutions

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Doctrines of Demons

A, False Cults

1 Timothy 4:1-3, 2 Timothy 2:24-26

B, Messengers of Satan

Acts 13:6-12 2 Corinthians 11:13-15

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Matthew 10:1,7,8

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John 14:12



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The Perimeters of Our Spiritual Authority



Luke 9:51-56

- ✓ **We cannot oppose God's plan for the human race**
- ✓ **We cannot violate God's written Word**
- ✓ **We must be aligned to the mind of God in a particular situation**
- ✓ **We cannot control or manipulate another person's will / volition**
- ✓ **We cannot force a gift or work of God into a heart of unbelief**

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Failures?



Matthew 17:14-21

Possible reasons for failure:

- **Not knowing the mind of God**
- **Lack of faith**
- **Sin – unknown, un-confessed**
- **Unbroken dedications, pledges, allegiances**
- **Dealing with symptoms instead of the root cause**
- **Not closing all entry points after ministry**

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Proper Response To Failure:

- ✓ **Do Not Speculate. We Don't Have All The Answers.**
- ✓ **Accidents Do Not Discredit Possibilities**
- ✓ **Experience Can Change, Truth Cannot**
- ✓ **Jesus Christ is Perfect Theology**
- ✓ **Let's Keep Pressing In**