



Anointing or Hype

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We live in a day when there is a lot of hype and a lot of noise in the American Church.

Most Believers cannot even tell the difference between the anointing or plain hype and excitement.

In the spirit world, however, there is a huge difference between the two. One is from the Lord, and removes the burden and destroys the yoke. The other is from the soul realm and just stirs up our emotions, without changing our lives.

Isaiah 10:27: **“And it shall come to pass in that day, that his burden shall be taken away from off thy shoulder, and his yoke from off thy neck, and the yoke shall be destroyed because of the anointing.”**

On the other extreme we have Churches where it is so quiet that you can hear a pin drop, and even that might be too loud for some people. No life, no excitement, nothing, just plain and very boring religious traditions.

Where is then God's way? **God's way is the way of the Anointing!**

The anointing comes from the Anointed. **“Jesus the Anointed Son of the Living God, (Yeshua HaMashiach Ben shel Elohim), is the way, the Truth, and the Life.”** (John 14:6)

God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him. (Acts:10:38)

We receive the anointing by receiving His wonderful Holy Spirit. “Then said Jesus to them again, Peace be unto you: as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you. And when he had said this, **he breathed on them, and saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost**” (John:20:21-22)

In 2 Corinthians 1:21, Paul writes to the church in Corinth: **Now He which stablisheth us with you in Christ, and hath anointed us, is God.**

God is an anointed God who speaks. He created us in His image. This is why God gave us the ability to speak, unlike the rest of His creation. We have to use our anointed voices to move things in the spirit world.

That is how He created everything, by **words filled with power and anointing and faith.** Genesis 1 demonstrates how God did this repeatedly: **“And God said, and there was...”**

Jesus also told his disciples in Mark 11: 22-23 **“Have the Faith of God. For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.”**

Sometimes we have to raise the volume and shout—in other words, **speak with a very loud and anointed voice.**

Jesus stood and cried (out loud), saying: “If any man thirst, let him come unto me and drink. He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.”

Note that we are laborers together with God (1 Corinthians 3:9). So, when we cooperate and work with God by allowing His Holy Spirit (the river of living water) to speak or cry out with a loud voice through our hearts and mouths, Satan cannot resist but has to obey and flee.

James 4:7 states, **“Submit yourselves therefore to God, resist the devil and he will flee from YOU.”**

Remember, Satan's burden and yoke that he imposed onto your life is destroyed, because of God's anointing by the Holy Spirit, and not because of hype.

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