## The Final Battle: Not Ashamed!

We are in the Final Battle and the war is escalating. The Anti-word-of-God is attacking the Word of God and all of those who hold on to traditional values. The great deception is upon us as millions of Christians are calling evil good and good evil, unaware they are fighting against the Word of God. When Jesus returns, He will strike the nations with the sword of His mouth, the Word of God, and will rule them with the rod of iron (<u>Rev 19:13-16</u>). Jesus gave us this rod of iron to rule with Him.

**Satan is the Accuser!** He wants to shut us up through intimidation, guilt, false sympathy, doubt, rejection, hypocrisy, getting us to back down becoming timid, weak, doubtful, milquetoast, pantywaist, dysfunctional, powerless Christians!

Ps 2:1-4 Why do the nations rage, And the people plot a vain thing? 2 The kings of the earth set themselves, And the rulers take counsel together, Against the Lord and against His Anointed, saying, 3 "Let us break Their bonds in pieces And cast away Their cords from us. 4 He who sits in the heavens shall laugh; The Lord shall hold them in derision."
The kings of this earth are breaking free of the Word of God and heading into a One World Order, trying to return to the days of the Nephilim, ultimately raising Apollyon. This will eventually happen (Rev 9:1-11), but first, we win souls.
Ps 2:8-9 Ask of Me, and I will give You The nations for Your inheritance, And the ends of the earth for Your possession.
9 You shall break them with a rod of iron; You shall dash them to pieces like a potter's vessel.""
God said to Jesus, "Ask of Me" and Jesus did, and then Jesus gave us the rod of Iron and the Morning Star Authority.
Rev 2:26-28 And he who overcomes, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations — 27 'He shall rule them with a rod of iron; They shall be dashed to pieces like the potter's vessels' — as I also have received from My Father; 28 and I will give him the morning star.

Peter and John healed a 40-year-old man who was born lame, and never walked (<u>Acts 3:1-10</u>). Peter and John used this to glorify Jesus and preach the Gospel, and for this they were arrested. The Sanhedrin asked them "*By what power or by what name have you done this?*" Then Peter, **filled with the Holy Spirit**, spoke **boldly** about Christ. Because of their **boldness**, the Sanhedrin knew they had been with Jesus and marveled at their wisdom. Peter and John were not ashamed of Jesus, but empowered by His Holy Spirit. There is no power in a watered-down Gospel. Boldness is not beating someone with the Gospel, but loving them with the truth and compassion of Jesus Christ.

They commanded them and threatened them not to speak or teach in the name of Jesus, and they were released. They went back to their companions and told them what had happened. **Together as one**, they **prayed for boldness** and quoted **Ps 2:1,2** using the Old Testament to verify the foundation on which they stand and have faith (<u>Acts 4:1-31</u>). The Apostles knew to **proclaim-prophesy** the Scripture applying it to their situation. The ultimate fulfillment of **Ps 2:1-12** is **Rev 11:15** "*The kingdoms of this world becoming the kingdoms of our Lord and His Christ.*" **Rev 2:26-28** is the promise from Jesus to see us through this transition from the Church Age into the Kingdom Age where we will reign with Him as His kings and priests (**Rev 5:10**).

## Boldness releases the power of God!

Get filled with the Holy Spirit, speak the Word of God with boldness releasing great power as we strike the nations (regions). We strike this region called The Thumb with the Word of God in boldness because we are **Not Ashamed** of the Gospel of Christ for it is the power of God unto salvation!

**<u>Rom 1:16-17</u>** For I am **not ashamed** of the gospel of Christ, for it is the **power of God** to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. 17 For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, "The just shall live by faith."

<u>Phil 1:20</u> according to my earnest expectation and hope that **in nothing I shall be ashamed**, **but with all boldness**, as always, so now also **Christ will be magnified in my body**, whether by life or by death.

Not Ashamed! Releasing the Power of God Over the Thumb. Prayer for boldness and proclamation of the Kingdom. Together as one, we fight for the glory of our Lord Yeshua Hamashiach and the souls of men, Christ be magnified! Life Song Church: Living the Power of Praise!