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I've Got the Keys

In this lesson you will learn about three keys to advance in your walk with God.

Introduction: Revelation 1:18- He holds the keys and He is alive forevermore. Keys represent access, authority, and power. Jesus said in Matt 16;19- that He has given us the keys to the Kingdom. Keys can open things up and they can lock things down. All of God's children have been given the keys to the Kingdom. Yet, many of us keep the keys in our pockets never discovering the power and access that these keys afford us. Having the keys to something means ownership and power. It is time we realize that we have the power and access to advance the Kingdom. You have Christ in you the master key.

I. The Key of Seeing

- A. 2 Kings 2:7-12- If you can see it, then you can have it. You have to see it on the inside before you can see it on the outside. What do you see? The power of vision elevates us from what we see with our eyes to what is possible. Your vision and your perspective will shape your life. Your vision inspires your steps. Sometimes you must close your eyes to really see what is possible with God.

II. The Key of Serving

- A. One of the keys to victory is developing a heart to serve. Matt 23:11- the greatest title you can ever receive is servant. See a need and meet it, see a hurt and heal it. Allow God to develop your character on the journey. Develop a passion for God to serve His purpose. If serving is beneath you, then leading is above you. The greatest among you will be servant of all. Your serving will catapult you into leadership.

III. The Key of Speaking

- A. Change the narrative of your mind, and change the confession of your mouth. Your feelings don't have to dictate your words. Even when all around you looks like defeat, you can raise a voice of victory. Prov 18:21- we have the key to change our situation. We can speak life over every situation. Don't let the enemy have any word of your mouth. Lift up your words to the level of victory you want to experience.

Discussion Questions

1. Do you ever feel like that you don't measure up?
2. Are you relying on Christ in you and His grace to help you?
3. Are your words full of faith or defeat?