

Lesson Plan

Subject: The Army of the LORD

Objectives/Goals: To bring understanding regarding the Army of the LORD from its beginning to end. (From the Garden of Eden to Revelations and the battle of Armageddon). To establish all the main elements of an Army in order to gain understanding of the necessity of an Army of the LORD on Earth. To equip leaders to be productive Soldiers in the LORDS Army and understand His expectations and standards through submission and surrender.

Direct Instruction: Submission, Surrender, Sacrifice, Service equals Total, Absolute, Unconditional, and irreversible Obedience.

Sacrifice:

1. An act of offering to a deity something precious especially the killing of something on an altar.
2. Something offered in sacrifice.
3. Destruction or surrender of something for the sake of someone else, something given up or lost.

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present you bodies a living sacrifice, "holy acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.
Romans 12:1

Service:

1. The action of helping or doing work for someone.
2. Work done by one person or group that benefits another.
3. The act of help or service.

And it shall come to pass, if you shall hearken diligently unto my commandments which I command you this day, to love the LORD your Gods and to serve Him with all your heart and all your soul. Deuteronomy 11:13

We must go from submission to surrender, from surrender to becoming a living sacrifice, then we are able to enter into His service. All of this requires we Enthroned Christ on the Altar of our Hearts.

Enthroning Christ - Glorifying Christ. It is the crowning of Jesus as LORD of all in our own heart and Life. If you do not crown Him LORD of all, then we do not crown Him LORD at all. John 7:38-39

We must Enthroned Him in Our Hearts. Him being in our hearts, in the throne room, and not placed on the throne is not good enough. We must place Him on the throne. There

has to be a day in our lives when in full and with gladness we surrendered all crowning Him as Lord of all. Revelation 22:1

Once we Enthroned Christ it is not our business what He does with us. How He uses us, our anointing, our name, title, or position. The Blessing He has in store for us is beyond measure, if we would only do these simple things. Our life and service would never be the same again, because of the gifts and graces the Holy Spirit would pour on us.

Guided Practice: Tonight, let's look at individuals from the Old and New Testament who help us to this lifestyle they were called too and that we were called to as well. We shall compare them to see if they were successful or did, they fail, like sometimes we do.

Jonah: chapters 1-4 (emphasis placed on 1:1-12; 2:1-10, 4:1-11)

Daniel: chapters 1-12 (emphasis placed on 1:1-21; 2:1-49, 3:1-30; 6:1-28)

Stephen: Acts chapters 6-8:1-4

Closure: Q & A

Independent Practice:

Read the books of Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Jeremiah, Daniel, and Acts

Required Materials:

Bible

Notebook

Pen

Desire to Learn

Participation is a Requirement