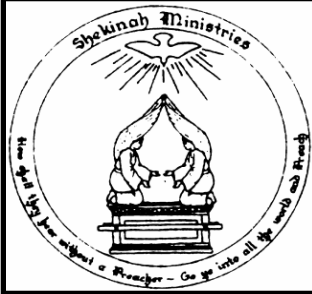


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Beloved Partners & Friends

James is very clear about the source of war which is namely lust. The Holy Spirit gave me a powerful definition that is parallel to this. Wars begin with the fear of losing possession of anyone we love or losing anything material. This is Adamic thinking and since we have been TRANSLATED into the kingdom of light we should have been delivered from such lusts. The whole ministry of Jesus on earth was not healing the sick, raising the dead or delivering the possessed. Such supernatural declarations were merely to prove His message and ministry. Jesus Christ came to reveal the KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. Jesus said, *"If I cast out devils by the Spirit of God know this, the Kingdom of God has come unto you."* Every time you experience a setback in life - and they may be daily - that causes you to lapse back into the natural emotions then you have just again stepped out of the Kingdom of Heaven into the nature of fallen Adam. More than that, you have just prevented God from supernaturally operating in your life and circumstances. Being "born again" is simply SEEING the Kingdom but the Lord is looking for those who will ENTER the Kingdom or become immersed in the principles of the Kingdom and live by them. Far more than this, however, there are those very few who have INHERITED the Kingdom. These are the believers who not only live by Kingdom principles but enjoy full Kingdom authority and know how to rule and reign over the principalities and powers and to establish true kingdom rulership in the Adamic or natural world. To do this, I cannot be held captive by natural emotions, circumstances or laws for the Kingdom of the heavens transcends all of that which is natural. Here is the real key to true KINGDOM OF HEAVEN reality. I may OWN something natural or material without possessing it. This is what true stewardship is all about. Jesus

INHERIT THE KINGDOM

is the true living WORD by whom the worlds were framed. God as fully man walked and talked, loved and ministered to the very world He had created. The fullness of the earth belongs to the Lord but He never possessed any of it when on earth. This is why Jesus was so free as much as He desires that each of us should enjoy similar freedom. The moment you take possession over anything material you have simply stepped back into Adam's fallen realm and become ruled by it. I am well able to own without ever possessing. To enter into this realm of inheriting the Kingdom of Heaven, I must be supremely in love with the Lord and realize that all I am and have really does belong to Him. Jesus lived to reveal the Kingdom of Heaven that gives the most incredible freedom and therefore true power and authority in every area of life. Someone inheriting the Kingdom of Heaven can never be intimidated, terrorized or manipulated. This means that such a person cannot possibly compromise or be bought or sold. Most believers see glimpses of the Kingdom or snatch moments of living it but then it fades like the morning dew. How fantastic those moments were. Actually, they are so real that they are too good to be true but this is precisely what the Lord has planned for those who love Him forever and forever. The greatest message ever preached has been lost on the church because the church herself is so wrapped up in Adam and his nature where the greatest fear is losing possession. The Lord though, has delivered us from such mundane things and brought us by His supernatural power into a Kingdom life that is simply glorious. It is no wonder that Jesus demonstrated such authority and taught us to do so as well. What greater Kingdom authority had Jesus than to stand before Pilate and declare, "You can have no power over me" or "My kingdom is not of this world or my disciples would fight." The Lord is surely beckoning each of us to step up higher into Him than we have ever done before. Paul declared, *"The Kingdom of Heaven is not meat and drink but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost."* The world is in serious recession. She will rally but the next time will be even worse. This is all in preparation for the coming of THE Antichrist. BUT, each believer has this glorious opportunity right now to live the Kingdom life and see the supernatural transcend the natural and to really live rather than merely exist.

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TESTIMONIES FROM THE U.K.

We have had great enjoyment in helping to coordinate small groups watching the intercession DVDs with the introduction of some practical 'training'. We have seen one young man aged about 30 and several women grow remarkably in their relationship with the Lord. We have seen their confidence grow in bold group prayer and praise. The young man Gary, a believer about two years old was not able to pray out loud or 'shout' or praise with passion at the beginning of the course. By the end of the 'course' the Holy Spirit had freed him from inhibition. We have found it profitable to augment the DVDs with CD extracts from stuff you taught at Crediton and Lapford. Do you remember teaching about 'authority over lower creation'?

Here is testimony flowing from it. "After hearing the Michael Howard's recording where he mentions taking authority over all creatures, I went home and exercised it on my two kittens, who had been repeatedly jumping on the kitchen table and taking no notice at all of any commands not to. This was very unhygienic and undesirable so I spoke to them both, taking authority over them in the name of Jesus and telling them that they were under my authority and would therefore obey me. They do not jump onto the table any more! They come running at full tilt when I call them. They used to fight terribly and I now only have to speak sharply to them and they stop. As cats are notoriously independent and "snooty" I can see a complete change in their behavior after taking authority over them."

And from the same lady, whom Holy Spirit through your teaching has inspired to walk in growing and considerable faith:

"Last December I was taken seriously ill with gallstones, and had to be rushed into hospital in an ambulance with severe jaundice. I had a gastroscopy with a highly revered consultant. He told me after the procedure that I needed an urgent operation to remove them as the gall bladder was 'stuffed with stones' and it had been impossible to laser them as there were far too many. He said it was very high priority as the size of them meant I would have a high risk of them sticking in my bile duct. As I had been waiting for the gastroscopy I was very frightened as I am a complete 'woos' when it comes to pain and illness and any surgical procedure makes me terrified. I was assailed by a fellow patient who had just come out of the theatre and who persisted in telling me in great detail about it (he had refused the sedation) and it was making me feel more terrified as he would not shut up! I started to pray for God's help, and then remembered Michael Howard's teaching. I stopped what I was doing and instead I took authority over the terror and fear. I commanded it to go as I would not accept it. Immediately I felt peace wash all over me and was absolutely calm. I then prayed against any side effects, including any soreness in my throat (the tube they force down is very large!) and no headache from the sedation. When I came round after the procedure I had no pain, discomfort or soreness at all and even the nurses were surprised.

As I waited to be booked for the operation I had several episodes of the extreme pain as gallstones moved from the gall bladder through the bile duct. I chased the hospital for an earlier appointment. However, at one of our sessions with the intercession group, one member said she believed I would not need the operation and should pray for healing instead. One

Sunday having returned from church I stood at my kitchen sink peeling carrots and took authority over my gallbladder, commanding it to be empty of stones, and not to cause me any further pain or problems. I felt God's peace. The next day I made an appointment with my GP and asked for a repeat scan to check my gall bladder. He agreed and the same technician who had done the scan in December did it again and said, 'Oh yes, all clear except for a couple of tiny ones in the bottom.' I asked him to repeat that, and was he absolutely sure. I then explained what he had found in December. He was speechless. I literally bounced out of the department and hospital, and came home to let the GP know I no longer needed the operation. The next week I was due to see another doctor for a chiropractic appointment. He had seen me the day before I was rushed into hospital with jaundice. He asked if I had had the operation and when he heard how long I had been waiting for it he was appalled as he said I could have died. I then said, "But I don't need it now because they have gone" at which he did a double take and stared at me. I said "I prayed and they disappeared" and he said "That does not happen, there are only two explanations. Either the hospital was grossly incompetent and they were never there in the first place, or you are telling the truth. I am not a religious man, but there is no other explanation." He wrote on my notes "Patient's gallstones have vanished due to divine intervention". When I left he said "Keep praying!"

Another lady on completing the Intercession course wrote: "Being guided through Michael Howard's Intercession DVD course has been the most amazing appetite stimulant ever. I can't get enough of God. I've found a new place of deeper intimacy with Him. My excitement for the future is barely containable."

FROM FINLAND

This comes from one of our students from Finland who completed his Bible School training in Malawi:

FIRST OF ALL THANK YOU!!!

Thank you for being yourself and caring for us! We miss you and thank you for your encouraging words. We were so blessed by your company and your strengthening words. Your words have really encouraged me to move on and go forward. I have read the Bible way more frequently and I am hungry. Also in Laura's life there have been changes! I am very happy!

Now, the church in Lahti where we held our meetings at (Kääntöpiiri), just called me up this week and they asked me to be their youth worker/pastor. I said I will pray about it and so I have. We are tomorrow night going to my grandparents' summer cottage, and we will spend time in prayer together with the family. On Monday I will probably let them know. It is a really big and scary challenge for me. If this is the place God wants for me, it will be only by His power and strength that I can do it. So please pray that God will really lead us in our decision. I have no information at all about the practical side of the work, nor of the salary, but I believe it's good like that for now, as it does not affect me hearing from God. If he says go ahead, I will find out more. Very exciting and scary.

TESTIMONIES FROM KALIBU BIBLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

Kalibu's Bible School Students were sent to preach in different areas in Malawi during the school holidays in this month. Some went to the North and some to the South side of Malawi. One of these teams that was sent included me, Patterson and in Nsanje (the area were we were sent), Overseer Pelera. So, the three of us went and preached in many churches and got to witness the goodness and love of our Lord Jesus towards His people including us who were so overwhelmingly blessed the whole tour.

I emphasized that all ministry is born and flows out of this amazing love relationship with this unspeakably glorious King of Kings who has a plan and a purpose for each and everyone of us. Everyone is important and has a heavenly calling and gifts from God. Therefore we should not expect the Pastor to do everything for us but rather seek opportunities to minister with the gifts and callings that God has given us.

We received a good response to our visits in different churches and saw also willingness in people to dedicate their lives to our Lord Jesus. In one church we got to witness the healing power of Christ as one of the women in that church was prayed for and according to her own words was healed. Hallelujah! We were also asked to conduct a baptism "ceremony" in the Shiri-river which is known for its crocodiles. I must say, that when I entered that water I was praying: "Jesus help me!" Ha Ha ☺ Altogether our "preaching-mission" was successful and we were invited to come again.

The Lord Jesus was with us just as He promised to be. He said, go into ALL the world and PREACH the GOSPEL to everybody and I will be with you confirming my word with signs and wonders and upholding you with my mighty power! Surely, I must say, we had plenty of challenges and dying to self but as Paul the Apostle put it: *"But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God."* (Acts 20:24) even so, I wish to be able to say as well. Not that I am already there but I'm praying to God that He would make me a living sacrifice for His glory for He ALONE shall be exalted in that day that no one wants to talk about anymore.



A Real Bush Experience

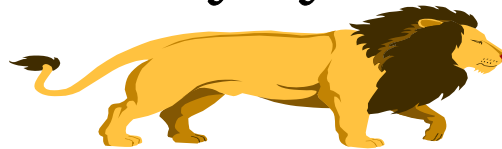
What a powerful trip it was. Two times our car engine overheated, we got stuck on rocks several times and had to get out and push, we got stuck on a steep hill, we had to cross a treacherous bridge, and just as we were about there the gas tank got punctured. All this happened in the bush. There were forces working against us that did not want us to get to our destination, but let me tell you something, the God inside of us is greater than he that is in the World and to God's glory we made it. Our destination was Mwanza, the western most part of Malawi and our mission, to edify the Body of Christ. We were there for three days of conferences. The first two days I and my fellow Bible school colleague Mark Cronin were given the privilege of having the floor. For me this was my first experience to preach, so you could imagine I was a bit nervous. I couldn't

say it was a gem, but my message was the pearl of great price and I gave it my all. For Mark who was well seasoned it was only a matter of having enough time to share all of his passion. With his message God stirred up His fire in all of us and all were hungry to hear more of what he had to say. The Word of God is alive. It is life to all those who have ears to hear. The third day was a very special day and on this occasion the leader of our trip Pastor Navaya spoke. This day was to be a day of baptisms and of great rejoicing. There were seventy seven who in time past had given their life to Christ and now we were given the honor in leading them in their next step to total consecration to Christ. We all gathered and worshiped together before we went out. As we were going we all took branches and the whole way to the baptizing location we waved the branches. At the forefront was John who was our interpreter and also a graduate of Kalibu's Bible school. He led the way with songs and we all sang along, worshiped and danced. Wow and how awesome it was! When we got to the location Mark and I got in position to take pictures and meanwhile the baptisms commenced with Pastor Navaya and the assisting Pastor until all were finished. Afterward we marched through all the neighboring towns with the newly baptized and just as before we waved the branches, sang songs, worshiped and danced until finally we were back at the church. Church then began. After worship we all took communion together. Then our leader took all the Pastors which were there and washed their feet before everyone. This was a great lesson to us in how we should all serve one another. Pastor Navaya then concluded with his message on the resurrection. That all would surely know and understand that they are a new creation baptized now in Christ's death and resurrection of life; Being dead to sin but alive to Christ, that they would live as the new creation and not the old. "For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."(Ro.6:23) This was then the end of our time in Mwanza. What a special time it was and how great to see God's hand in all that took place. This goes to show that when there is a great battle there is sure to be a great victory. Therefore, press on my brothers and sisters for God will bless you in your pursuit of Him and His Kingdom. God is and He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him. Amen!



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Please remember that Bwana will be in the US for the month of August. Contact the office in Missouri if you would like to have him come and speak at your church or if you have a group that would get together during a week night. The number is (636) 462-5540 and email address is shek-min@aol.com.

Even though it has been some time since we sent a container to Malawi we are still collecting. If you have anything that can be used in the school or the cottages and of course the pastors and their families please send to the warehouse in Toledo. The address should read:

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Please remember to give your best and not rags, broken objects etc. JESUS gave His best for us and we can do no less for others.

TAPES AND DVD'S

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| Sermon on the Mount | 8 tapes |
| Revival | 8 tapes |
| Until All Have Heard | 5 tapes |
| The Bride | 6 tapes |
| Repentance | 6 tapes |
| Over the Top | 4 tapes |
| Unity of the Brethren | 4 tapes |
| Break Through to Freedom | 3 tapes |
| Issues of the Heart | 3 tapes |
| Chicago Conference (Obedience) | 3 tapes |
| DVD Creation/CD Creation | \$15 |
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Tapes are \$4 each so a set of 8 tapes would be \$32.

We are having a sale of tape sets until present stock runs out. We then plan to go to CD's.

These tapes are on sale:

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| Until All Have Heard | \$15 | 5 tapes |
| Georgia Conference | \$10 | 4 tapes |
| Over the Top | \$10 | 4 tapes |
| Sermon on the Mount | \$25 | 8 tapes |
| The Bride | \$18 | 6 tapes |
| Repentance | \$18 | 6 tapes |
| Chicago Conference | \$ 9 | 3 tapes |
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| Revival | \$25 | 8 tapes |