

# Taking Responsibility For Ourselves

Once you get away from the biblical concept of praying for one another and understand that we are planet managers and vice regents of the King with our own kingdom to oversee, our parasitism of others to fix our problems drops off like a dead leech. You see, included in our reprogramming for the Kingdom is the knowledge that we were created autonomous, able to make big decisions and be in charge of our lives. Therefore, we should 'pull our sox up' and act like mature adults – you know, the ones we look up to because they've 'got it all together'.

Here's the reality: Children don't take responsibility for their speech and actions, but mature adults do.

We all have the potential and wherewithal to be stable and dominate our situations and circumstances. As sons, this is even a greater aspiration for us because our spirit has been regenerated and we have access to Heaven's support. This occurs while the life of the King infuses us and supplies every need.

We're not to think we are invincible, that's arrogance and foolishness. However, we must see ourselves as powerful, in that there is no reason at all for our circumstances to get 'on top of us'. More importantly, we have the ability to control ourselves, rather than to be controlled by our soul, mind and emotions. But, that control only happens if we change our thinking.

“As a man thinks in his heart, so is he”<sup>1</sup>. That's wisdom for what I'm trying to convey here.

When we change the way we look at ourselves, ceasing to see a weak, wishy-washy being, we can determine to become who we really are – sons of the Most High God. This determination is required because, sadly, religion has trained us to think we aren't who we really are. This need for change will take a paradigm shift for us to jump completely to who we are to become, rather than the brow-beaten, energy-sucking, defeatists that we've been trained to be.

Again, this concept is not arrogance. It's the reality of who we are now as sons, as seen from the perspective of the Kingdom, not the church.

We need to break the chains that constrain us from manifesting who we are. Doesn't everyone want to be in charge of their lives and circumstances? Well, that's the reality that is ours (or can be ours). As we totally surrender ourselves, our very being, to the Trinity, and allow them to totally oversee our lives, we enter into a place where everything works out. In that place you can effortlessly go through each day without being in turmoil. Everything may be 'topsy-turvy' around you, but like Jesus sleeping through the storm on the bottom of the boat, circumstances are irrelevant. Our King 'has our back' and we don't need to submit to our circumstances. Doing what we know we have to do and leaving the rest to our overseeing Heavenly family results in stability at all times. This, of course, requires complete trust that they are in control and doing for us what's for our own good and in their best interest.

An example from me – I'm doing a Diploma in Community Service course at the moment, which I'm finding hard to fit in with everything else I do. Recently one of the units took me 2 weeks to complete the assessments, instead of the usual one week. It had so many long tasks that I started to get uneasy, especially as in-class training started for the next unit before I had time to start it at home myself. I could see myself getting so far behind if this work load continued, that I'd fall behind in getting my assessments submitted by the deadlines. So, out of complete trust, I surrendered that to my King and stopped concerning myself about what was probably going to happen ahead of me. Then, a day or 2 later, I discovered that the following 2 class days (Mondays) were both public holidays. As there would be no classes on those days I checked the lesson schedule online and found that there were none timetabled for 2 weeks. I emailed the course co-ordinator to ask if the deadlines for the 2 units that would normally be done during those weeks would be delayed by 2 weeks. It was confirmed. I then had 2 weeks with 2 free Mondays to catch up and actually get ahead using my next unit's workbook. This is what happens when

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1 – Proverbs 23:7

you completely rely on the Kingdom to meet your needs and you don't stress about it – you rest and relax in the Trinity's ability to set it right somehow.

For years I've been concerned by the huge number of Christians who don't 'have it all together'. I would see them week after week going out to the prayer line in the hopes that someone's prayer would deliver them from themselves and their circumstances. It was demoralising for me to watch. This activity, of course, was a direct consequence of the pulpit teaching they had been under for so long.

In my experimentation into what/who we are really supposed to be and what to believe, I can say that the best thing I did was to develop an intimate relationship with each member of the Trinity so that my spiritual life became my life, and a reality. This took me out of the realms of what I believed from the Bible and allowed me to be trained so that **my desire to know who I was meant to be has now become who I am.**

The keys for me to achieve this change were:

1. Absolute, complete, total surrender to their will so that I was prepared to give everything up and do whatever I was told (I can't be more emphatic than that)
2. Actively divesting myself of all religion and legalism as I became aware of instances of these
3. Allowing myself to be reprogrammed by my King, without objecting to anything he showed me
4. Refusing to operate out of fear or to be accused by anyone for who I had become, where I was going and what I believed
5. Developing complete trust in the Trinity, then resting in that trust, and then learning (a difficult task) to relax throughout the day

So much of life in Western culture (AKA 'the world system') is about finding someone else to blame for a person's problems, rather than taking ownership of their lives and 'working things through'. All the changes in me have meant that I now take responsibility for myself. I have a big brother who is my justifier and defender, and therefore I don't need to kowtow to the enemy's accusations or his machinations. I'm responsible for my foibles, bad habits, sinful tendencies, as well as everything I do and say. No one else is to blame for these things, only me. No one needs to fix my messes but me. I'm in control of my life and I take full responsibility for it.

I'll be judged by the King of Kings after I leave the natural realm, but I have confidence that his blood sacrifice covers all my sins, iniquities and transgressions. My judgement will focus on what I did with my life: How I worked with Heaven's plans and how I was able to expand the Kingdom on Earth. I am not a sinner – that'd be an oxymoron. I do sin when what I do and say is out of alignment with the King's expectations, but I'm not a sinner.

**IMPORTANT:** Humility is a critical factor in the way I function these days because to mature and be given more responsibility is predicated on that.

To get more of a picture of who we really are, have a read of something that Mike Parsons wrote. He's another person who's exploring his sonship, to go beyond the limits that have been placed on us by the church system:

*“He desires to restore everything about us, including our identity, position, authority, abilities, knowledge, wisdom, relationship and connection to the created order. He desires to remove the limitations of the finite and the mortal nature of our minds and restore the limitlessness of our transcendent and infinite origins. We are relational beings, made in His image, of limitless creative potential.*

*We were conceived as limitless, immortal beings like our Father. He never intended the limited, restricted, finite, mortal existence which mankind now experiences because of choosing the DIY path instead of the Tree of Life. Restoration of our sonship encompasses possibilities far beyond the wildest*

*dreams of even the most creative minds. I can imagine eyes capable of seeing all wavelengths of light, ears capable of hearing all wavelengths of sound, bodies capable of multidimensional travel and existence, minds capable of creative expression, bodies capable of instantaneous healing. I can imagine doing the works Jesus did, and greater works: controlling the molecular structure of water, becoming invisible, creating and manipulating matter, telepathy (knowing people's minds and hearts) and telekinesis ('immediately the boat was at the land to which they were going'), creative thought, translation, bilocation, pre- and post-cognition, time travel...*

*If I can imagine those things, then the true potential of restored sonship lies far, far beyond them.”<sup>2</sup>*

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2 – Mike Parsons (19-1-2019) “257. Limitless, Immortal Beings” [freedomarc.blog/2019/01/19/257-limitless-immortal-beings](https://freedomarc.blog/2019/01/19/257-limitless-immortal-beings)