

Sons Are Expected to Operate in the Ways of Heaven

I would say that the statement in the heading above should go without saying. But, do we really live as Kingdom citizens, operating like Heaven does, or are we still Christian Aussies (Ozzies)?

That's the big question, which one are we?

In the Kingdom we're actually citizens of the Kingdom of Heaven which resides on Earth, which resides within us. That means we should be displaying Heaven all the time so that the world can see how Heaven¹ desires to see Earth function. We're not here to be powerful spiritual believers – that's a pentecostal and charismatic mindset, not Heaven's description of us.

As sons we're to represent Father to the world, but we're not supposed to do that in any Christian way. The Spirit should train us to be different and show us how to implement that to those around us. That's how we impact others, not just by our belief system. For example: If Father's character is love, and Heaven operates on love, then we're supposed to be living that as well.

Here's what Father had to say about our role recently:

“I am ready to bring my kingdom into your life, so that you will be transformed and represent the ways of Heaven to those around you. Your world, your city, your nation, and your generation are drowning—sinking into hopelessness and confusion. But I have given you my Spirit—the very power of resurrection. You will be more than my witness; you will release the fullness of my love. I am ready to invade your world. Step out with me.”²

The Kingdom will invade the Earth through love, not power. Living a love-life (that's his love, not our love) will release the power of the Kingdom more than anything else. The problem is, we don't believe it will, because we think love makes us weak, not powerful.

Jesus operated in love and he had abundant power to do whatever was required of him to do through that power. He's our prototype, so we really need to 'step up to the plate' and start radically changing how we speak and interact with others.

Sure, like Jesus, many will be 'rubbed up the wrong way' and we'll be subject to their disdain, but that's 'par for the course'. We can't squib out of the difficulties that sonship causes in the world around us. We have to allow ourselves to be changed from the inside out, including the ability to withstand undeserved opposition.

For Heaven to invade Earth, so that the Kingdom spreads and fills the whole of the planet, we need to change how we approach our part in that process. After all, Father works through his sons (i.e. us), because that's the way he set it up at the very beginning.

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(Readers will need to look up for themselves any scriptures alluded to in this document)

1 – This is the collective name for the government of Heaven, not the entity called heaven. It's the same as the use of 'The Crown' in Britain.

2 – EXTRACT: Brian Simmons (5-12-2022) "I Hear His Whisper..." "Step out with me." [distributed e-newsletter]

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