

## **Unmatched Authority Over Darkness**

### **Matthew 8:28-34**

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- **NO DARKNESS KEEPS JESUS AWAY (v28-29)**

**But none of those things intimidate Christ.**

The same Jesus who stood unshaken before a legion of demons still stands with absolute authority over the darkness and struggles people face today.

**Romans 6:14** *“For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace.”*

- **NO DARKNESS CAN STAND AGAINST HIM (v30-32)**

With one word, Jesus completely overpowers what no one else could control.

**Luke 8:35** *“...sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind.”*

- **NO ONE CAN STAY NEUTRAL ABOUT HIM (v33-34)**

**Matthew 8:34** *“the whole city came out to meet Jesus. And when they saw Him... they begged Him to depart from their region.”*

**John 3:19–20** *“And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed.”*

- **NO ONE FINDS FREEDOM APART FROM HIM**

**...The power is found in the authority of Christ.**

**James 4:7** *“...submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.”*

**How do we apply this to Monday Morning?**