

# Immense Increase

Honour Opens the Door to Supernatural Increase





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# Gates of the City

*raising leaders for the coming harvest*





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# OPEN THE DOOR

# Honour

- as adding weight and value;
- high respect; great esteem.

# Ten Truths on Honour

- 1. Do not be embarrassed by honour, receive from the Lord**
- 2. You do nobody favours when you let dishonour pass**
- 3. If you create a culture of honour, you will receive every blessing**
- 4. Beware of those who only show honour at distant shores**
- 5. Obey your spiritual leaders and do what they say**
- 6. Honour always involves finances**
7. Initiative can be honouring or dishonouring, need discernment to see difference
8. Honour is expressed in obedience not sacrifice
9. Honour is the master key to promotion
10. Honour the highest authority first

















"The Angel of the Lord encamps around  
those who FEAR HIM, and delivers them."

Psalm 34:7





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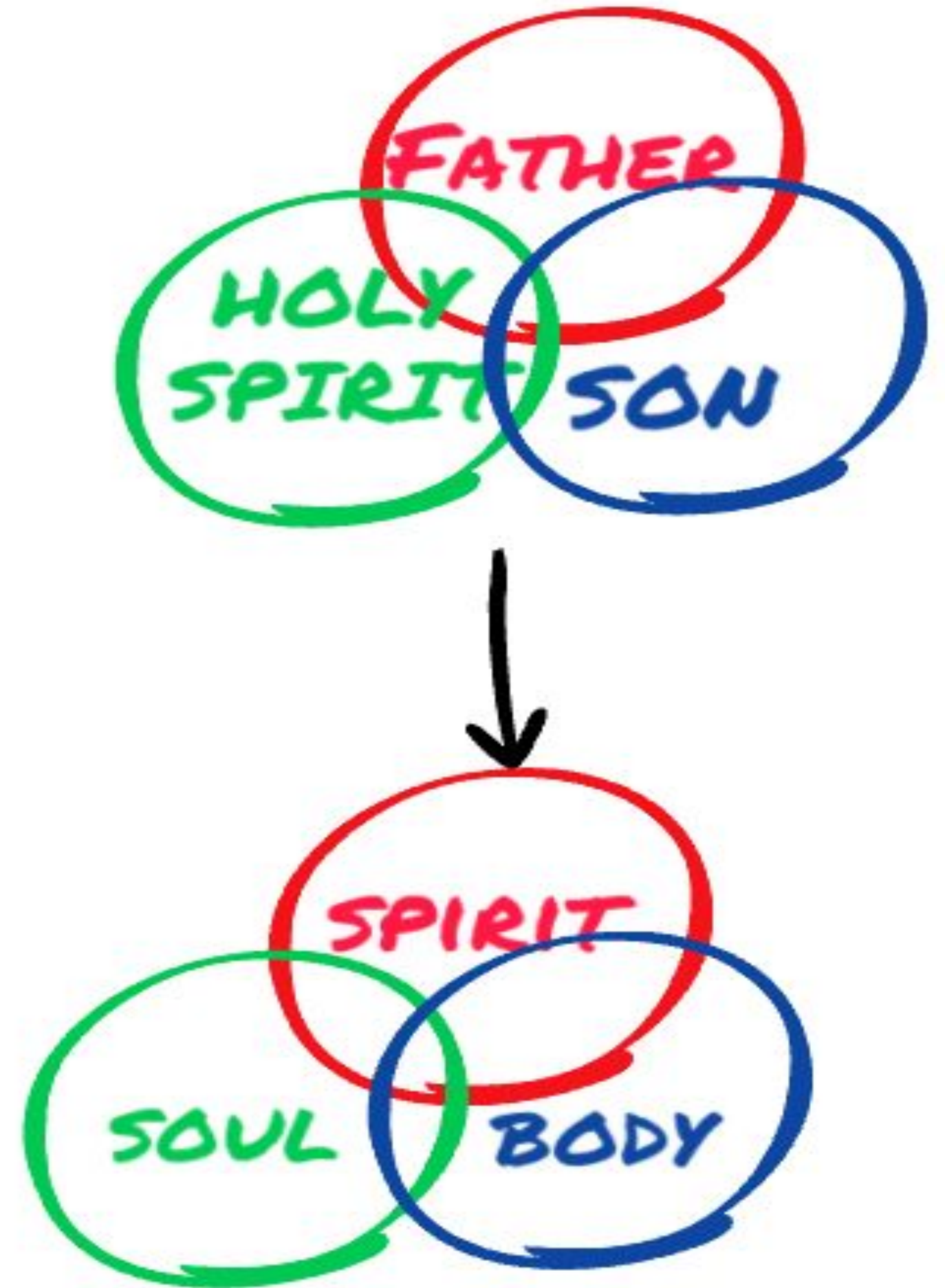
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# Ephesians 3:20

Now to him who is  
able to do  
immeasurably more  
than all we ask or  
imagine, according  
to his power that is  
at work within us,









# 1 Kings 17:13

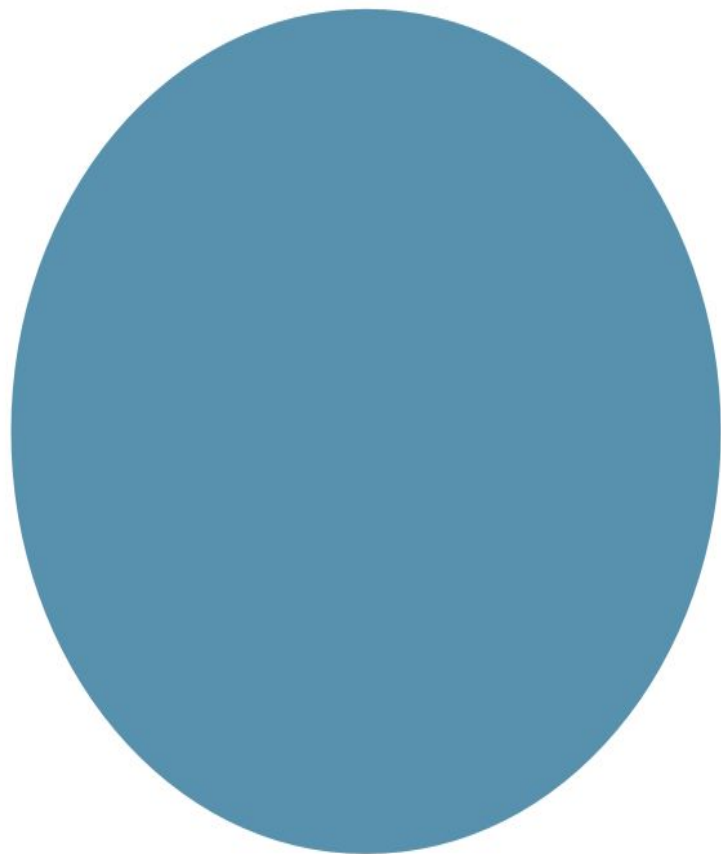
And Elijah said to her,  
“Do not fear; go *and* do  
as you have said, but  
make me a small cake  
from it **first**, and bring  
*it* to me; and afterward  
make *some* for  
yourself and your son.



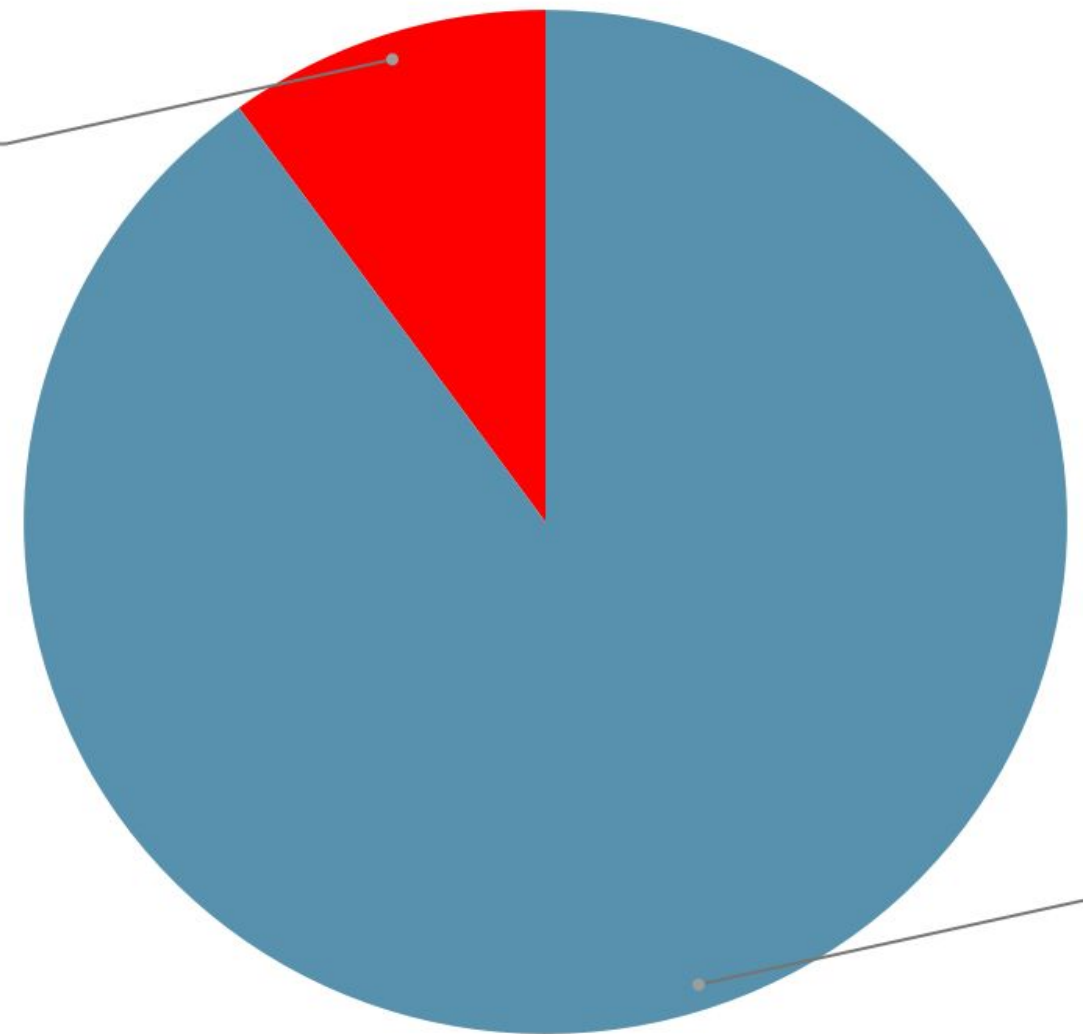


# When dealing with life's challenges - which is better?

All You



God  
10.0%



You  
90.0%



PHEW!





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Leading Through Serving



# 1 Samuel 16:7

But the LORD said to Samuel, “Do not look at his appearance or at his physical stature, because I have refused him. For *the LORD does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart.*”



# 1 Samuel 14:1,2,4-10

Now it happened one day that Jonathan the son of Saul said to the young man who [a]bore his armor, “Come, let us go over to the Philistines’ garrison that *is* on the other side.” But he did not tell his father. **2** And Saul was sitting in the outskirts of Gibeah under a pomegranate tree which *is* in Migron. The people who *were* with him *were* about six hundred men. **4** Between the passes, by which Jonathan sought to go over to the Philistines’ garrison, *there was* a sharp rock on one side and a sharp rock on the other side. And the name of one *was* Bozez, and the name of the other Seneh. **5** The front of one faced northward opposite Michmash, and the other southward opposite Gibeah. **6** Then Jonathan said to the young man who bore his armor, “Come, let us go over to the garrison of these uncircumcised; it may be that the LORD will work for us. For nothing restrains the LORD from saving by many or by few.”

**7** So his armorbearer said to him, “Do all that is in your heart. Go then; here I am with you, according to your heart.” **8** Then Jonathan said, “Very well, let us cross over to *these* men, and we will show ourselves to them. **9** If they say thus to us, ‘Wait until we come to you,’ then we will stand still in our place and not go up to them. **10** But if they say thus, ‘Come up to us,’ then we will go up. For the LORD has delivered them into our hand, and *this will be a sign to us.*”





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# 1 Samuel 15:1-9

Samuel also said to Saul, “The LORD sent me to anoint you king over His people, over Israel. Now therefore, heed the voice of the words of the LORD. **2** Thus says the LORD of hosts: ‘I will punish Amalek *for* what he did to Israel, how he ambushed him on the way when he came up from Egypt. **3** Now go and attack[a] Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have, and do not spare them. But kill both man and woman, infant and nursing child, ox and sheep, camel and donkey.’ ”

**4** So Saul gathered the people together and numbered them in Telaim, two hundred thousand foot soldiers and ten thousand men of Judah. **5** And Saul came to a city of Amalek, and lay in wait in the valley.

**6** Then Saul said to the Kenites, “Go, depart, get down from among the Amalekites, lest I destroy you with them. For you showed kindness to all the children of Israel when they came up out of Egypt.” So the Kenites departed from among the Amalekites. **7** And Saul attacked the Amalekites, from Havilah all the way to Shur, which is east of Egypt. **8** He also took Agag king of the Amalekites alive, and utterly destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword. **9** But Saul and the people spared Agag and the best of the sheep, the oxen, the fatlings, the lambs, and all *that was* good, and were unwilling to utterly destroy them. But everything despised and worthless, that they utterly destroyed.



# 1 Samuel 15:10-15

**10** Now the word of the LORD came to Samuel, saying, **11** “I greatly regret that I have set up Saul as king, for he has turned back from following Me, and has not performed My commandments.” And it grieved Samuel, and he cried out to the LORD all night. **12** So when Samuel rose early in the morning to meet Saul, it was told Samuel, saying, “Saul went to Carmel, and indeed, he set up a monument for himself; and he has gone on around, passed by, and gone down to Gilgal.” **13** Then Samuel went to Saul, and Saul said to him, “Blessed *are* you of the LORD! I have performed the commandment of the LORD.”

**14** But Samuel said, “What then *is* this bleating of the sheep in my ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?”

**15** And Saul said, “They have brought them from the Amalekites; for the people spared the best of the sheep and the oxen, to sacrifice to the LORD your God; and the rest we have utterly destroyed.”



# 1 Samuel 15:17-20

**17** So Samuel said, “When you *were* little in your own eyes, *were* you not head of the tribes of Israel? And did not the LORD anoint you king over Israel? **18** Now the LORD sent you on a mission, and said, ‘Go, and utterly destroy the sinners, the Amalekites, and fight against them until they are consumed.’ **19** Why then did you not obey the voice of the LORD? Why did you swoop down on the spoil, and do evil in the sight of the LORD?”

**20** And Saul said to Samuel, “But I have obeyed the voice of the LORD, and gone on the mission on which the LORD sent me, and brought back Agag king of Amalek; I have utterly destroyed the Amalekites. **21** But the people took of the plunder, sheep and oxen, the best of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice to the LORD your God in Gilgal.”

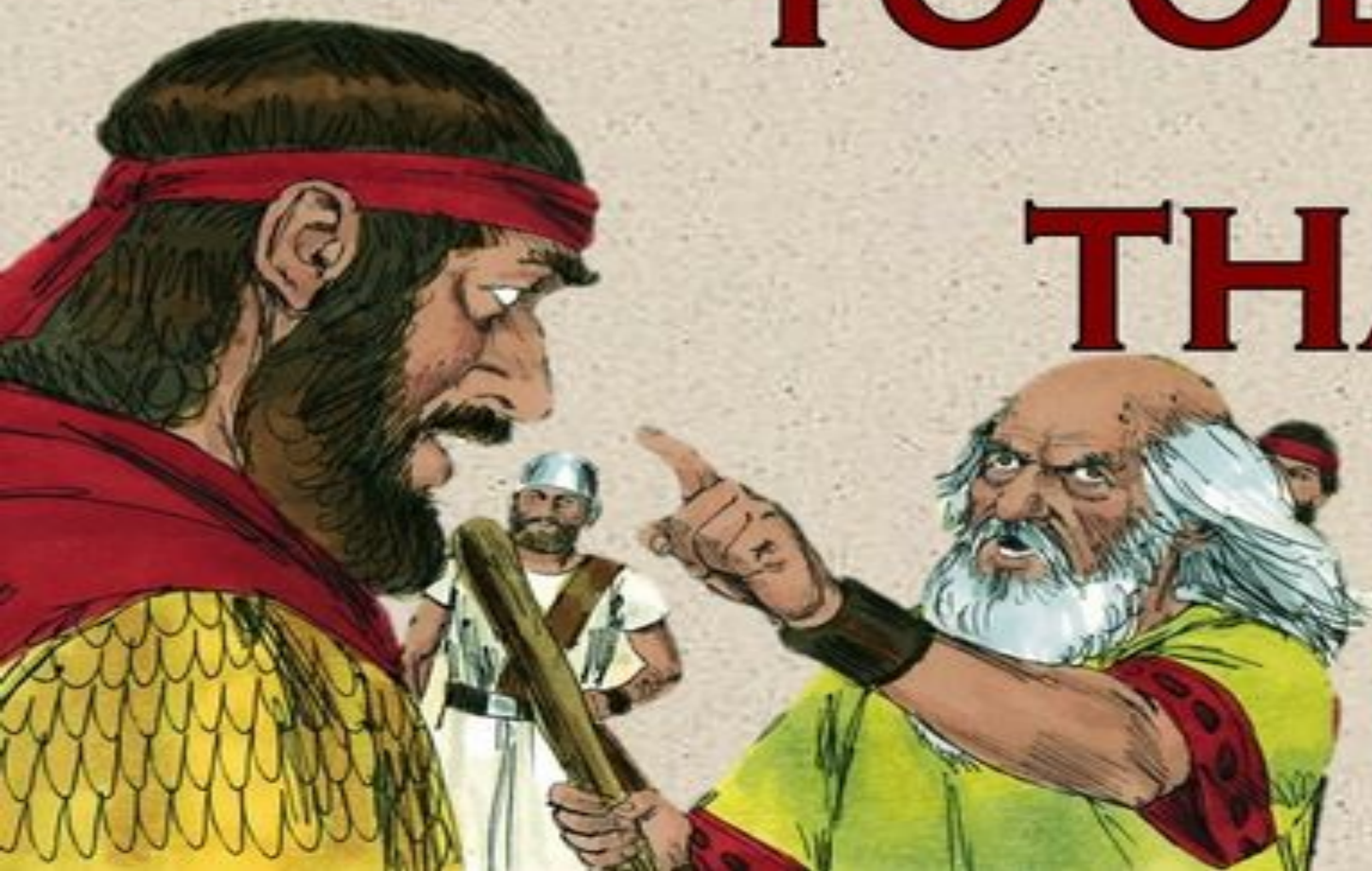


Samuel said to Saul...

Has the Lord as much delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as in obeying the voice of the LORD ? BEHOLD.....

**TO OBEY IS BETTER  
THAN SACRIFICE**

1 Samuel 15:22





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