

MP4 – POWER – Part 1**COVENANT OF THANKSGIVING...Celebrate Jesus!****PRAYER redefined:**

- The supernatural POWER exchange that happens between two spirits: God and man
Jesus was praised, prophesied about and ministered to by angels SO HE COULD DO ONE
THING: Have the Power to Die

THE FIRST LEVEL OF POWER IS THE POWER TO DIE

HEBREWS 12:1-3, PHILIPPIANS 2:5-10: Jesus set the: die.

JOHN 15:19-20: Pursue death, endeavor to die

Until death has no power over you, you are still subject to the manipulation of the enemy.

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WHAT TO DIE TO

- **POWER OF PERSONALITY - STYLE, DREAMS, AMBITION, VOICE.**
 - Absalom - **2 SAMUEL 14:25-26; 15:6**
 - David - **1 SAMUEL 16:6, 7, 11-13, 2 SAMUEL 15:24-26**

Your personality, dreams, ambitions cannot override your heart posture and the glory of God.

- **POWER OF THE FLESH - BODY, MIND, LUST**
 - **DANIEL 1:3-5, 8, 20**
 - **PHILIPPIANS 3:18-21**
 - **1 JOHN 2:15-17**

Subdue appetites of the world and flesh. They are stopping your entry into the arena of power.

- **POWER OF SELF-PRESERVATION - SELFISHNESS, PRIDE, FEAR**
 - **GENESIS 3:11-14** Power is transferred to the one who does not self-preserve.
 - **1 SAMUEL 15:10-12, 24**

THESE DEATHS are the INTRODUCTION TO BIBLICAL POWER.

God is trying to kill us, but we refuse to die, keeping our will and flesh alive:

- Because everything else has dominion over you until you have died to it.
- The many things we go through is God trying to make us flammable – fuel on wet wood

GALATIANS 2:20

JOHN 12:24-25

SUMMARY

- Jesus died and rose again to reconcile us to God. We by the Spirit of God must die to the dictates of the world/flesh so we can represent Him in the earth [reconciling men to God].
- To truly manifest the life and power Christ has for us, we must truly die to everything else.
- The unwillingness to do that is what has given us a mixed bag of results and us behaving like mere men.