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A SPIRITUAL SHIFT

But we have this treasure in earthen vessels that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us. We are hard pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed—always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our bodies. 2 Corinthians 4

God chose to release 'Dunamis' power through earthen vessels. He sealed the essence of His spirituality in you. Dunamis is defined as: force, miraculous power, ability, abundance, meaning, working of miracles—it's His resurrection power in you. That means there's a vast amount of unstoppable power waiting to break free through you.

Consider how this is illustrated in creation: The Earth's crust is eighteen miles deep. It seems like a wide crust—yet in perspective it's thinner than the ratio of an egg shell to its yolk. Mankind sits on top of a thin crust but hidden within is so much fervent heat that diamonds melt.

Occasionally the great pressure of this huge inner force causes a shift in land plates and molten lava erupts through small gaps or crevices in the crust. The eruption causes gold, diamonds and silver to form in places that later can be handled or mined.

=Internal Force

Genius is present in every age, but the men carrying it within them remain benumbed unless extraordinary events occur to heat up and melt the mass so that it flows forth. DENIS DIDEROT

The INTERNAL FORCE is the excellence of His power. Sometimes God uses events to shift your plane of thought—using trials and experiences to force a shift in your perception. It allows gold, diamonds, silver, precious stones to surface—a resurrection of spiritual truth and power. *“For now we see through a glass, darkly, but then face to face: now I know in part, but then shall I know even as also I am known.”* Those who discern

the supernatural realm can actually perceive 'precious stones' in your aura, thought forms, speech, etc.

The 'precious jewels' became the product of spiritual matter that had been forced to break through your outer shell of defense. You don't even have to wait for some kind of personal volcanic eruption to release His treasure. Sometimes it's as simple as the twinkle in your eye, brimming tears, a sweet sigh, a handshake, heartfelt smile or the words you speak.

What's formed in your thoughts and emotions defines your faith and is released in your TESTIMONY. *"Those who feared the LORD spoke to one another and the LORD listened and heard them."* God writes your testimony in His book of remembrances.

=Breakthrough Anointing

"They overcame ... by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony."

God carved a path for rivers out of the rocky earth shell. Did you find a pathway out of your rocky places? Often it's allowing God to help you break the 'defensive' shell you created to justify or protect yourself.

Man sometimes thinks there's a sense of security in inner silence but what's locked inside is greater than your fears. The power of God can't be hid. The UNCTION of the Spirit urges your expression. You release it by speaking or acting on your spiritual thoughts. Whenever you BREAK THROUGH, your testimony reveals the rich anointing of dunamis power.

Those living on the outer edge tap into the secret places and create a bubbling forth of wisdom and understanding. It's an opportunity for the shell to release some of its core treasure by creating a spiritual shift.

A groundswell began in the dry bones of Ezekiel's vision and causes a supernatural breakthrough or eruption in those who are born again. It's resurrection power. God says, *"Behold, I will open your graves and cause you to come up from your graves, My people; and I will bring you into the land of Israel."*

=Glorious Eruption

"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea."

Moses wanted to see the glory of God. He's set on a cleft of the rock—a crevice that's similar to a riverbed carved in stone. God said, *"I will make all My goodness pass before you, and I will proclaim the name of the LORD before you."* It's the pattern for GLORIOUS ERUPTION: Moses witnessed the goodness of God and heard God's testimony. He learned that the manifestation of goodness leads to change—what he's learned became his personal TESTIMONY of Who God is and what He's done for him.

Testifying to each other about what God does causes an automatic shift. When you TESTIFY of the goodness of God you glorify His Name in the earth. You don't even have to be an eloquent speaker to testify about what God's doing. It's not the choice of words you use but rather the richness of His Presence that becomes a GLORIOUS ERUPTION of power, beauty and majesty in your testimony.

=Spiritual Atmosphere

Glory is the only atmosphere in which God manifests His power. God does nothing outside of glory. Dr. Mark Hanby

Your conversation with others creates an ATMOSPHERE for diamonds, rubies and gold to form in veins that can be discovered by others searching for God. Future generations are emboldened with the nuggets deposited by your courageous stand or by the proclamation of dynamic leaders throughout history.

Elijah's testimony demonstrated the power of creating SPIRITUAL ATMOSPHERE. He aligned with the spiritual and miracles happened. He called fire down from heaven, divided the water with his mantle, rode the whirlwind, etc. Elisha witnessed the release of spiritual power through Elijah. He saw how to align and automatically SHIFTED into that position—into the driver's seat and called out, *"Where's the LORD God of Elijah?"*

=Spiritual Shift

Elijah never spoke anything when he struck the water. Neither does Elisha. You would expect him to command the water to part while striking it with his mantle. Instead Elisha simply asked, *"Where is the LORD God of Elijah?"* Convinced he's aligned to his father Elijah in every way, Elisha's question was more of an acknowledgment that the SHIFT had taken place. Without any doubt he owned the mantle that had fallen to him and moved forward totally confident in his authority.

Elisha moved into the atmosphere where dunamis power surged through him. It was a conscious alignment to the Spirit. When he asked if he could have a double portion of what Elijah had—he wanted the inheritance. Elijah couldn't bequeath a spiritual inheritance but God does. If Elisha ALIGNED himself through positioning to receive from his father he could receive everything that flowed from God to Elijah.

At first the SPIRITUAL SHIFT may take some conscious effort. It's your determined choice—not carelessly stumbled into by chance. First, become aware that the opportunity exists for the miraculous to happen though you. Then, because you're looking for the spiritual—you'll be able to shift into it automatically.

=Are You Ready?

And my speech and my preaching were not with persuasive words of human wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power that your faith should not be in the wisdom of men but in the power of God. FIRST CORINTHIANS 2

There is a SPIRITUAL SHIFT in the manifestation of dunamis power today. The question is: Do you desire to release the supernatural power of God? There's only one answer to hesitancy about Jesus' mantle of authority falling to you: *"All things are possible in Him!"* Acknowledge the possibility that locked inside you is the dunamis power of God ready to fully manifest at such an incredible time as this.

"Greater is He that is in you" means nothing holds you back from fulfilling God's purpose. You can be pushed around, depressed, attacked or forsaken—yet in you there's a dunamis power that's able to rise up and erupt in the miraculous "demonstration of the Spirit and of power."

"They overcame by the blood of the Lamb and the word of their testimony." It's time you position yourself as a son to your father. Jesus was the firstborn of all creation. If you align through His Blood you find the spiritual vein to the Father—all His inheritance flows to you as heir of His dunamis power in the Body of Christ

You were born to manifest the glory of God in the earth. Desire churns inside until you overcome every resistance and break through *"into the glorious liberty of the children of God ... conformed in the image of His son."* Are you ready for a spiritual shifting in your life?

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