## **THE ATTORNEY OF A GODLY MAN**

### **ROMANS 8:23**

23 And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body.

### **ROMANS 8:24**

24 For we are saved by hope: but hope that is seen is not hope: for what a man seeth, why doth he yet hope for?

#### **ROMANS 8:25**

25 But if we hope for that we see not, then do we with patience wait for it.

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# **HOLY SPIRIT:** RUACH HA-KODESH

**HELPETH:** Greek: sunantilambanomai, joint help. It is the assistance afforded by any two persons to each other, who mutally bear the same load or carry it between them.

The Spirit helps (pres. tense, "keeps on helping"). It is not that the Spirit helps in those occasional times when Christians are

weak; their state is one of weakness and the Spirit continually helps them.

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**INFIRMITIES:** astheneia {as-then'-i-ah} Weakness, disease, sickness, want of strength, of the body; its native weakness and frailty,

**GROANINGS:** stenagmos {sten-ag-mos'} a groaning, a sigh, unutterable gushings of the heart.

#### **ROMANS 8:27**

27 And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the **\*SAINTS** according to the will of God.

**SAINTS:** hagios {hag'-ee-os} holy, Holy One, most holy thing, a saint, those who are devoted or consecrated to God. THE SAME WORD USED IN HOLY GHOST.

# **ROMANS 1:7**

7 To all that be in Rome, beloved of God, called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ.

# **I CORINTHIANS 1:2**

2 Unto the church of God which is at Corinth, to them that are sanctified in Christ Jesus, **called to be saints**, with all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, both theirs and ours:

The word church in the Greek language means "a calledout people." Each church has two addresses: a geographic

address ("at Corinth") and a spiritual address ("in Christ Jesus"). The church is made up of saints, that is, people who have been or "set apart" by God.

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#### I CORINTHIANS 14:14

14 For if I pray in an unknown tongue, my spirit prayeth, but my understanding is unfruitful.

### **I CORINTHIANS 14:15**

15 ¶ What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also.

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that's the man in private prayer out yonder somewhere speaking to God, speaking to God in angelic tongues. I could just call you a case right now, but I haven't got time. You remember when the woman come to the auditorium there, in where Doctor Alexander Dowie's from, Zion. Remember me down there? And Billy come after me down there to get me to go to the meeting; I said, "Billy, go on back." I...

He said, "What you crying about? Somebody been here?" I said, "No, sir. You go on back; tell Brother Baxter to preach tonight."

And I got down on the floor and I said, "Lord, what's the matter with me?"

And all of a sudden I heard Somebody at the door, speaking in other languages. I thought... It was German; I thought, "Well, that fellow's come up to get him a..." I stopped, you know, praying; I listened at him standing there like this. And I thought, "Well, how that guy will ever understand that?" 'Cause I knowed the man that run that motel, about five miles out of the city, you

know. I had to get out there, so many people around, small town. I said, "Well, that's strange. Huh." And I said, "There... Well, boy, did you ever hear a... what... That guy don't even get his breath, hardly (See, I was thinking that.), hard as he was speaking." Well, I said, "Well, that... why, it was me." I just kept real still; he didn't say any, just kept real still. After while He got through speaking, and when It did, it felt like I could run through a troop and leap over a wall.

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS\_ JEFF.IN COD THURSDAY\_ 61-0112 552-260 And I went out and Billy was going out the gate and I hollered at him, "Wait a minute."

He come back; he'd been drinking a soda pop. And he said, "Daddy, what's the matter?"

I said, "Wait just a minute, just a minute, I'm going with you." I started washing my face real quick. He said, "What's the matter?" He knows better than to talk to me, going to the meeting. He said, "What's the matter?"

I said, "Nothing, nothing, not at all. Just go ahead to the meeting."

We went on to the meeting, Brother Baxter was setting there playing, "Nothing between my soul and the Saviour." He come in, he said, "Whew! Thought you wasn't coming."

I said, "Sh..." Went on up and just started preaching.

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS\_ JEFF.IN COD THURSDAY\_ 61-0112 552-266 When I got through, about time I got through preaching, well, boy, somebody like to took the back of the building, back there in that big auditorium. Run an extension mike back there, and there was a woman back there just walking up and down that aisle, shouting hard as she could shout. Come to find out, she had TB, and they left Twin Cities, St. Paul; the ambulance wouldn't bring her because they was afraid she would burst her lungs. The doctor said, "Anything, her lungs was like honeycombs," if they ever broke she'd be dead. That'd be all." And some saints took an old '38 Chevrolet car, and took the back seat and fixed it up, put her in there, and was on the road over. And they hit a little bump or something another down

there, and she started hemorrhaging, and she just started spurting the blood right out, and she... It was going through her nose and everything like that. She got weaker and weaker, and finally... She didn't want to die in the car; she told them to stop and put her on a grass plat.

They picked her out. And they was all standing over her, praying, and all of a sudden she said something struck her and up she got. And away she went, shouting down that road, as hard as she could. Here she was at church, just walking up and down those aisle.

I said, "Sister, what time was that?" Just exactly the same time the Holy Spirit was speaking through me. What was it? Gifts.

#### **ROMANS 8:27**

27 And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God.

### **ROMANS 8:28**

28 And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.

## **ROMANS 8:29**

29 ¶ For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

# **ROMANS 8:30**

30 Moreover whom he did predestinate, them he also called: and whom he called, them he also justified: and whom he justified, them he also glorified.

# **ROMANS 9:11**

11 (For the children being not yet born, neither having done any good or evil, that the purpose of God according to election might stand, not of works, but of him that calleth;)

#### **EPHESIANS 1:11**

11 In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of him who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will:

### **II TIMOTHY 1:9**

9 Who hath saved us, and called us with an holy calling, not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace, which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began,

#### **JAMES 5:15**

15 And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him.

#### **JAMES 5:16**

16 Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The \***EFFECTUAL** fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

**EFFECTUAL:** energeo {en-erg-eh'-o} Put forth power, to work for one, to effect, to display one's activity, show one's self operative

The word signifies, "wrought by the energy of the Spirit." The word properly refers to that which has power; which in its own nature is fitted to produce an effect.

# Availeth much; is very powerful with God

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I think, character, it's measured by... man, not by the muscles on his arm or by the callouses in his hands, **but the bag** in the knees of his trousers where he has prayed. I think that's what makes man.