

SUBMISSION EMPOWERS TO RESIST

MATTHEW 4:8

8 Again, the devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them;

MATTHEW 4:9

9 And saith unto him, All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me.

MATTHEW 4:10

10 Then saith Jesus unto him, Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.

MATTHEW 4:11

11 Then the devil leaveth him, and, behold, angels came and ministered unto him.

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JAMES 4:7

7 Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

This word is a military term that means "**get into your proper rank.**" When a buck private acts like the general, there is going to be trouble! **Unconditional surrender is the only way to complete victory.**

EPHESIANS 5:21

21 ¶ Submitting yourselves one to another in the fear of God.

EPHESIANS 5:22

22 Wives, ***SUBMIT** yourselves unto your own husbands, as unto the Lord.

SUBMIT: hupotasso {hoop-ot-as'-so}
put under, be subject unto, submit (one's) self unto, to arrange under, to subordinate; to subject, put in subjection; to subject one's self, obey; to submit to one's control; to yield to one's admonition or advice; to obey, be subject

A Greek military term meaning "to arrange [troop divisions] in a military fashion under the command of a leader". In non- military use, it was "a voluntary attitude of giving in, cooperating, assuming responsibility, and carrying a burden".

COLOSSIANS 3:18

18 ¶ Wives, **submit** yourselves unto your own husbands, as it is fit in the Lord.

HEBREWS 13:17

17 Obey them that have the rule over you, and ***SUBMIT** yourselves: for they watch for your souls, as they that must give account, that they may do it with joy, and not with grief: for that is unprofitable for you.

SUBMIT: hupeiko {hoop-i'-ko}
submit (one's) self, to resist no longer, but to give way, yield (of combatants); metaph. to yield to authority and admonition,

I PETER 5:5

5 ¶ Likewise, ye younger, **submit** yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble.

A.SUPER.SIGN_ JEFF.IN V-15 N-7 SUNDAY_ 59-1227M

70 And another thing, the Word was made dust, flesh, and dwelt among us. The Jehovah, the Word became human, became dust, and tabernacled with us.....

.....Abraham, if you can catch it, he had faith in God, which united the Spirit of God with the flesh of man. That is where the

faith come. There's why He could be the Abraham Seed, not all flesh, but **the uniting of Spirit and flesh together, God, making Himself, tearing out, rooting out all evil, bringing into submission the flesh, the dust that He created, and live with you as a--a partner.**

THE.MANIAC.OF.GADARA_ CHICAGO.IL TUESDAY_ 54-0720A

E-55.....At night time when you see me, your brother under vision, that's nothing else in the world but **submitting myself to the Holy Spirit.** You that's sick can submit yourself to the Holy Spirit so completely that you'll forget your sickness.

THE.MANIAC.OF.GADARA_ CHICAGO.IL TUESDAY_ 54-0720A

E-56.....You that's sinful, that maybe drink and smoke and gamble and do things like that, you'd say, "I can't give them up, Brother Branham."

Yes, you can. **You just submit yourself to God one time, and just yield your whole self to God and watch what takes place.** That's the whole thing. There's no secret in it. It's not a hocus-pocus. **The only thing it is is submit yourself to God.** Amen. There it is, and then it's--then it's not you any longer; it's the Lord. The Lord does it after that. Aren't you happy that we have that opportunity today for that?

EVERLASTING.LIFE.AND.HOW.TO.RECEIVE.IT_ JEFF.IN V-26 N-12 FRIDAY_ 54-1231

167.....What we need today is **a humble, submitted life.** Submit yourself. Don't squeeze yourself back. Don't do nothing but leads straight with the Holy Spirit. What the Spirit says do, do quickly.

LED.BY.THE.SPIRIT.OF.GOD_ SHREVEPORT.LA MONDAY_ 56-0723

E-64.....I tell you; devils will tremble, and sinners will wake, **when men and women submit themselves to God and are led by the Holy Ghost.....**

THE.CHURCH.AND.ITS.CONDITION_ JEFF.IN CH 1-34 SUNDAY_ 56-0805

39.....When we're lost, we are lost. There's no way we could find ourself. And there's only one way to do it; that's **submit**

ourselves to the Shepherd of the flock, and He does the leading.

THE.CHURCH.AND.ITS.CONDITION_ JEFF.IN CH 1-34 SUNDAY_ 56-0805

41 Now, another thing the lamb is, **the lamb is willing to submit its rights.** Now, God wants us to be lambs, but there's so many times that **we don't want to submit our rights, forfeit our rights.** So many of you say, "Well, I've got rights, Brother Branham." That's true, but are you willing to forfeit your rights? **Are you willing to give your rights that God could lead you?** That's what's the matter with our churches today in the great majority, that the gentleness of the Lamb of God... We are supposed to be lambs; we have become everything else but lambs. And that's the reason, as soon as we get that attitude, the Dove of the Holy Spirit takes Her flight and leaves.

EL.SHADDAI_ YAKIMA.WA TUESDAY_ 60-0802

E-14 **When you come to total obedience, then you can have possession. But until you totally obey.** You've got to completely surrender your own thoughts, your own will, your own mind, and let the mind of Christ operate in you. Now, do you think Christ would--the mind of Christ, in you, would say, "The days of miracles is past"? Do you think the mind of Christ, in you, would say, "The Bible's right in some places and not in others"? **The mind of Christ would sanction every word that Christ ever said. It's right. So if you don't use your own mind, just use His mind.**

PERFECT.STRENGTH.BY.PERFECT.WEAKNESS_ JEFF.IN V-8 N-1 SUNDAY_ 61-1119

73.....**But the thing of it is, is having nothing that you can depend on in your own self or anything that you can do, just a complete, total surrender of your weaknesses unto God, and say, "Here I am." Have nothing, no ability that you can trust in.**

A.TOTAL.DELIVERANCE_ JEFF.IN V-11 N-1 SUNDAY_ 59-0712

53.....God gives complete deliverance. When we... **He will do it if we'll completely surrender ourselves to Him. If we will completely deliver ourselves into His hand, then God can**

live in us, Christ the Hope of glory. He can reflect Himself from us as we get ourselves out of the way; then our thoughts are His thoughts. Could you imagine Christ smoking a cigar? Could you imagine Christ drinking or playing cards? Then if your spirit is part of His Spirit, He wants it to be upon your confession. But you permit the devil to come in and take over, and all the time in your heart way down deep you know you're wrong when you do those things.

And when one member would talk against the other member; you know that's wrong. You're commanded to pray for one another, not to talk against one another, but to love one another. And if someone is down, let's pick him up, help him. Now, that makes us a--a--a unified group of believers. **Now, when we don't obey that, then we don't obey God and we displease God. And therefore, our church, our people cannot prosper, the church cannot go on, is because we're disunified together. As Jesus said, "A little leaven leavens the lump."...**

EPHESIANS 4:27

27 Neither give ***PLACE** to the devil.

PLACE: topos {top'-os}

Room, licence, any portion or space marked off, opportunity, power, occasion for acting

PSALM 32:1

1 ¶ A Psalm of David, Maschil. Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

PSALM 32:2

2 Blessed is the man unto whom the LORD imputeth not iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no guile.

PSALM 32:3

3 When I kept silence, my bones waxed old through my roaring all the day long.

PSALM 32:4

4 For day and night thy hand was heavy upon me: my moisture is turned into the drought of summer. Selah.

PSALM 32:5

5 I acknowledged my sin unto thee, and mine iniquity have I not hid. I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD; and thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin. Selah.

PSALM 32:6

6 For this shall every one that is godly pray unto thee in a time when thou mayest be found: surely in the floods of great waters they shall not come nigh unto him.

PSALM 51:1

1 ¶ To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David, when Nathan the prophet came unto him, after he had gone in to Bathsheba. Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy lovingkindness: according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions.

PSALM 51:2

2 Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

PSALM 51:3

3 For I acknowledge my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me.

PSALM 51:4

4 Against thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight: that thou mightest be justified when thou speakest, and be clear when thou judgest.

PSALM 51:5

5 Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me.

PSALM 51:6

6 Behold, thou desirest truth in the inward parts: and in the hidden part thou shalt make me to know wisdom.

PSALM 51:7

7 ¶ Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

PSALM 51:8

8 Make me to hear joy and gladness; that the bones which thou hast broken may rejoice.

PSALM 51:9

9 Hide thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

PSALM 51:10

10 Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.

PSALM 51:11

11 Cast me not away from thy presence; and take not thy holy spirit from me.

PSALM 51:12

12 Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit.

PSALM 51:13

13 Then will I teach transgressors thy ways; and sinners shall be converted unto thee.

PSALM 51:14

14 ¶ Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, thou God of my salvation: and my tongue shall sing aloud of thy righteousness.

PSALM 51:15

15 O Lord, open thou my lips; and my mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

JAMES 4:7

7 Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

JESUS.CHRIST.THE.SAME.YESTERDAY.TODAY.AND.FOREVER_ EDMONTON.AB MONDAY_ 52-1027

E-10.....But when He met Satan, **watch where He brought it to: for the weakest Christian here tonight**, He never used any of His divine gifts. When Satan come to Him and said, "If Thou be the Son of God, command these stones to be made bread," Jesus said, "It is written,": the Word of God. "It is written, man shall not live by bread alone."

Again He was tested. And Jesus said, "It is written." The third time He was tested, and Jesus said, "It is written." Is that right?

Right to the Word of God, showing that the weakest Christian can defeat Satan by, "It is written." If you'll believe the Word of God teaches it, believe it, accept it, hang on to it; God will bring it to pass.....

EXPECTATION_ SHAWANO.WI SATURDAY_ 55-1001

E-19.....**Remember, gifts and callings are wonderful; but remember, here is the greatest thing that God gave the world outside of Jesus Christ, is the Bible.** And do you know what? The Word of God will defeat the devil any place, anywhere, any time, on his own ground. Did you know that? The Word of God alone...

Jesus made it so simple until the--the--**the weakest Christian could do it.....**

GOD'S.COVENANT.WITH.ABRAHAM_ CHARLOTTE.NC SATURDAY_ 56-0428

E-34.....He defeated Satan on his own ground with the Word of God. And **the weakest Christian** here tonight can defeat Satan anywhere, any place, any time, under any conditions with **THUS SAITH THE LORD**. That's right.....

JAMES 4:7

7 Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

TESTIMONY_ CHICAGO.IL WEDNESDAY_ 53-0902

E-52.....Remember, the Word of God will defeat Satan anywhere, any time. Just say, "It is written. It is written." **That settles it. Satan will have to flee. "Resist the devil and he will flee from you."**.....

THE.GREATEST.BATTLE.EVER.FOUGHT_ JEFF.IN V-3 N-11 SUNDAY_ 62-0311

54-3 We are taught in James 4:7 (I don't have time to read it.), James 4:7, to resist the devil, and **he just won't walk away, but he will flee.** Resist the devil. How do you resist the devil? The same way our Chief Captain told us to do it. **Take the Word of God; that's how you resist the devil is by the Word of God.** The Chief Captain told us just how it was done. All right.

PERFECT.FAITH_ JEFF.IN V-6 N-11 SUNDAY_ 63-0825E

115 We are taught to "resist the Devil, and he will flee from us." **Now, to resist is to just simply "turn him down"; just resist him, that is "just walk away from it."** God said a certain thing; no matter what he's trying to tell you, **you don't even listen to him. You have... your ears are deaf to anything else but what the Spirit says.** See? "To he that has an ear (that listens), see what the Spirit saith unto the churches"; the one that's got the listening post, that catches what the Spirit says to the churches. See?

I PETER 5:8

8 ¶ Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: