

ULTIMATE AUTHORITY | WEEK 2 PASTOR DANNY ANDERSON

"A miracle is an event that is brought about by the power of God that is a temporary exception to the ordinary course of action." - Richard Purtill "I tell you the truth, anyone who believes in me will do the same works I have done, and even greater works, because I am going to be with the Father." John 14:12 desires his children to be the miraculous. "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Mark 10:47 But he only shouted louder, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Mark 10:48 _____is the _____ of the kingdom. "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be opened." Matthew 7:7-8 We think it's ______. We think we are self-God has bigger . We have been ______.



You do not have because you do not ask. James 4:2

"What do you want me to do for you?" Jesus asked. "My Rabbi," the blind man said, "I want to see!" And Jesus said to him, "Go, for your **faith** has healed you." Instantly the man could see, and he followed Jesus down the road. *Mark* 10:51-52

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But when you ask, you must **believe** and **not doubt**, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should **not expect** to receive anything from the Lord. *James* 1:6-7

Immediately the father of the child cried out and said, "I **believe**; help my **unbelief**!" *Mark* 9:24

"Lord, don't trouble yourself by coming to my home, for I am not worthy of such an honor. I am not even worthy to come and meet you. Just say the word from where you are, and my servant will be healed. I know this because I am under the **authority** of my superior officers, and I have **authority** over my soldiers. I only need to say, 'Go,' and they go, or 'Come,' and they come. And if I say to my slaves, 'Do this,' they do it." *Luke 7:6-8*

When Jesus heard this, he was **amazed**. Turning to the crowd that was following him, he said, "I tell you, I haven't seen **faith** like this in all Israel!" *Luke 7:9*

Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus **every knee** should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and **every tongue** acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. *Philippians 2:9-11*

"The one essential for a miracle is faith... to place one's life in the hands of Jesus and say, 'I know that you can make me what I ought to be."

– William Barclay

Do you trust God's authority?



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