Godly Leadership

Sovereignty
vs
Nicolaitanes



EPHESIANS 4:1-7

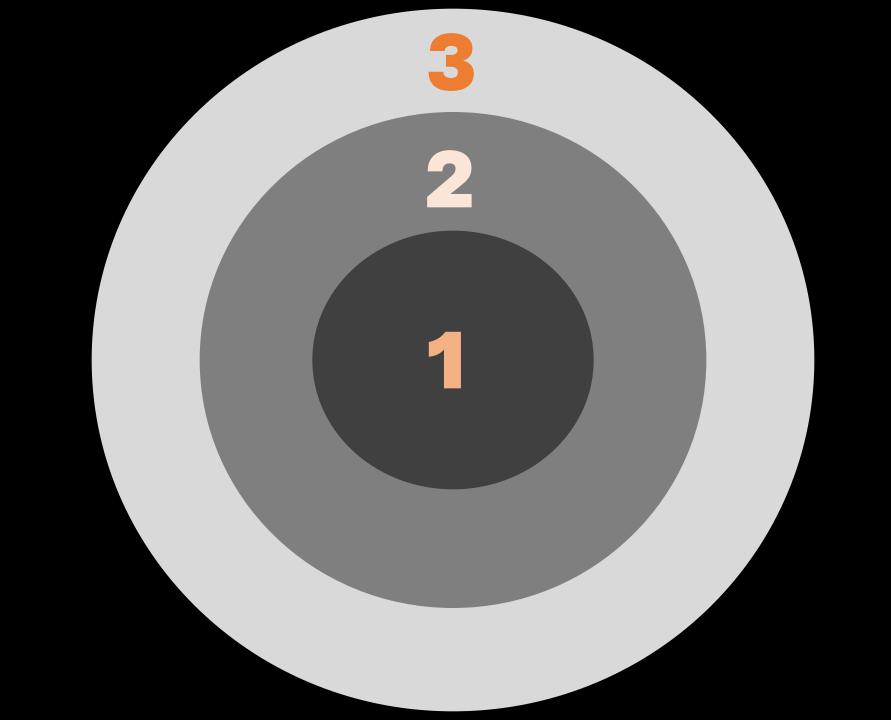
. . . Walk worthy of your calling . . .

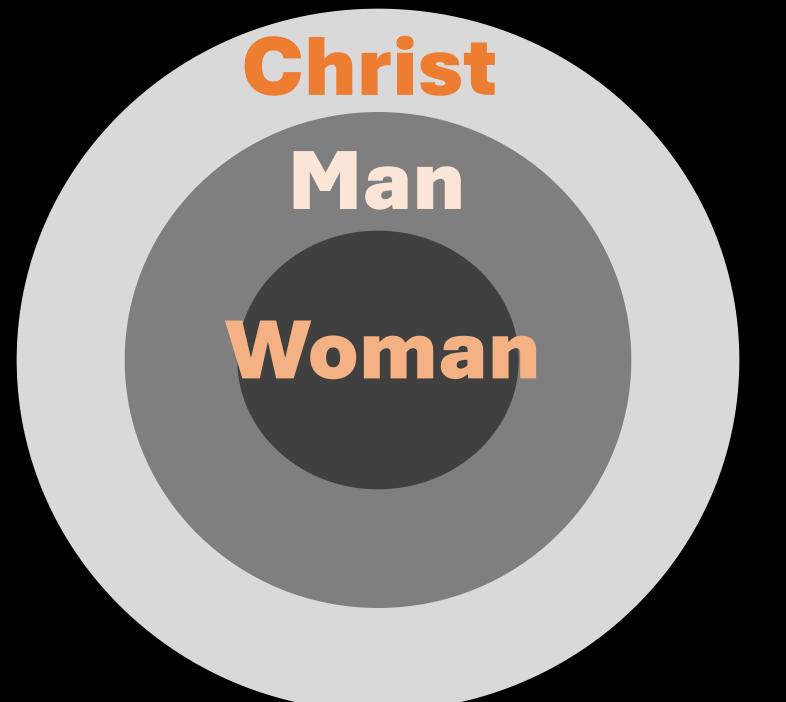


EPHESIANS 4:11-16

. . . "5 fold" ministry . . .







The leadership and authority of Christ is given to the Church in the 5-fold ministry.

The Five parts of the ministry are TOOLS IN THE HAND OF CHRIST used

for the perfecting of the Saints.

But who is THE authority?Christ!!!!

Godly leadership bears the authority of God only as it is according to the Word of God.

Godly leadership serves God....

By serving God's People!

SOVEREIGNTY

REVELATION2:1-6

... Ephesus, false Apostles & Nicolaitans ...



63-0318 - "The First Seal"

297 Look, he starts out to conquer. Notice, he has no crown. The white-horse rider, I'm speaking of here. See? "A bow; and a crown was given him, afterwards." See? He had no crown, to start with, but a crown was given him. Notice, later he was given a crown, yeah, three of them, three on one.

63-0318 - "The First Seal"

... That was three hundred years later, at the Nicaea Council. When he started out, a spirit of Nicolaitane, to form an organization among the people. And then it kept on, going on, going on, become "a saying," then it become "a doctrine."

63-0318 - "The First Seal"

298 You remember, Christ speaking back to the church, said, "Thou hatest the deeds of these Nicolaitanes, which I hate, too." Trying to conquer, take the Holy Spirit just only one holy man; he could forgive all the sins and everything.

REVELATION 2:8-9

. . . Smyrna, false Jews . . .



REVELATION 2:12-15

... Pergamos, Balaam & Nicolaitans ...



REVELATION 2:18-24

. . . Thyatira, Jezebel, kill her AND HER CHILDREN . . .



63-0319 - "The Second Seal"

129 Nikao, "conquer" the laity. In other words, they want to make, instead of everybody be one, they want to make some holy fellow. They wanted to make some kind of a...They wanted to pattern it in paganism, from where they come out, and they finally done it.

63-0319 - "The Second Seal" 130 Now watch. First, "Nicolaitane." The Nicolaitane was called, in the Bible, "antichrist," because it was against the original Doctrine of Christ and the apostles.



REVELATION 3:14-20

. . . Laodicea, Christ now separated from the Church . . .

