



Proceeding Word Bible Institute: School of Prophecy

Course ID: PR102

Course Name: Intro to Prophetic Ministry – Part Two

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Title

Biblical Training for Operating in the Prophetic Ministry

Objective

- To review basic biblical guidelines for developing the prophetic gift under the guidance of the Holy Spirit through the power of God's Word.
- Review of Developing the Prophetic Ministry by Frank Damazio, Chapter Seven – How to Channel the Prophetic Ministry

Lecture Notes

The Old Testament School of the Prophets – Spiritual Facts

Outline of some of the major facts concerning the sons (or schools) of the prophets which Samuel formed:

4. Received spiritual instruction (II Kings 4:38, 6:1; I Samuel 19:20)

2 Kings 4:38 King James Version (KJV)

³⁸ And Elisha came again to Gilgal: and there was a dearth in the land; and the sons of the prophets were sitting before him: and he said unto his servant, Set on the great pot, and see the pottage [make some stew] for the sons of the prophets.

2 Kings 6:1 King James Version (KJV)

And the sons of the prophets said unto Elisha, Behold now, the place where we dwell with thee is too strait [small] for us.

1 Samuel 19:20 King James Version (KJV)

²⁰ And Saul sent messengers to take David: and when they saw the company of the prophets prophesying, and Samuel standing as appointed over them [Samuel leading a group of prophets

who were prophesying], the Spirit of God was upon the messengers of Saul, and they also prophesied.

5. Prophesied together (Isaiah 10:5ff)

6. Were spiritual messengers (II Kings 9:1 – Elisha sent to anoint Jehu king; I Kings 20:35 – 43)

2 Kings 9:1 King James Version (KJV)

9 And Elisha the prophet called one of the children of the prophets, and said unto him, Gird up thy loins, and take this box of oil in thine hand, and go to Ramothgilead:

1 Kings 20:35-43 New Living Translation (NLT)

A Prophet Condemns Ahab

³⁵ Meanwhile, the LORD instructed one of the group of prophets to say to another man, “Hit me!” But the man refused to hit the prophet. ³⁶ Then the prophet told him, “Because you have not obeyed the voice of the LORD, a lion will kill you as soon as you leave me.” And when he had gone, a lion did attack and kill him.

³⁷ Then the prophet turned to another man and said, “Hit me!” So he struck the prophet and wounded him.

³⁸ The prophet placed a bandage over his eyes to disguise himself and then waited beside the road for the king. ³⁹ As the king passed by, the prophet called out to him, “Sir, I was in the thick of battle, and suddenly a man brought me a prisoner. He said, ‘Guard this man; if for any reason he gets away, you will either die or pay a fine of seventy-five pounds^[a] of silver!’” ⁴⁰ But while I was busy doing something else, the prisoner disappeared!”

“Well, it’s your own fault,” the king replied. “You have brought the judgment on yourself.”

⁴¹ Then the prophet quickly pulled the bandage from his eyes, and the king of Israel recognized him as one of the prophets. ⁴² The prophet said to him, “This is what the LORD says: Because you have spared the man I said must be destroyed,^[b] now you must die in his place, and your people will die instead of his people.” ⁴³ So the king of Israel went home to Samaria angry and sullen.