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verb

- become or make larger or more extensive.
 "their business expanded into other hotels and properties"

KINGDOM SERIES: KINGDOM COME | WEEK ONE

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EXPAND ACADEMY VISION:

Our heart at Expand Academy is to <u>Equip</u>, <u>Empower</u>, and <u>Expand</u> the kingdom of God, within the believer & around the globe. We will gather around the testimony of Jesus Christ. We believe as the Spirit of God kisses the Word of God; it is activated to produce eternal fruit in our lives.

Let's expand the Kingdom of God!

"Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples of to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20



Discipleship & Development

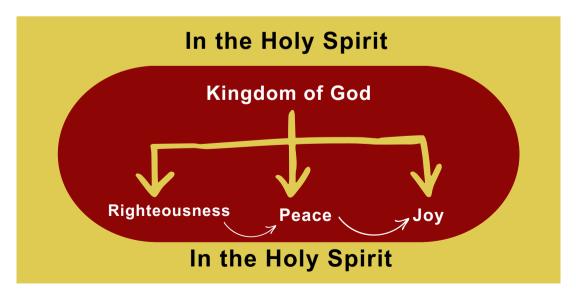
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- What is the will of God?
- What is the Kingdom?

The will of God is the establishment of the Kingdom. The Kingdom is the Kings domain, which is being called forth to <u>expand</u> from Heaven into Earth according to Matthew 6:10.

"for the Kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit." Romans 14:17 NKJV

Breakdown of Romans 14:17



The Kingdom of God is not a matter of feeding the flesh, but rather a matter of living in the Spirit. Through Salvation, life in the Spirit has been made available to believers in Christ.



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Deeper Dive-

"We also pray you will be strengthened) with all his glorious power so you will have all the endurance and 2. patience you <u>need. May</u> you be filled with <u>joy</u>, <u>always</u> thanking the Father. He has enabled you to share in the inheritance that belongs to his people, who live in the light. For he has rescued us from the kingdom of darkness and transferred us into the Kingdom of his dear Son, who purchased our freedom and forgave our sins."

Tab's Notes-

Colossians 1:9-13

He has given us the ability & the invitation Grace- the divine empowerment of God We are people of the light. to share in the inheritance. He is the force behind the flow. Rejoicing is the key As children of the light, you have been transferred into the Kingdom of His dear Son. to living in Joy.

Father God didn't just forgive your sins, but He also purchased your freedom from sin. We were rescued. We did not transfer ourselves from the domain of darkness. Jesus is our redeemer & rescuer.

The Kingdom is upside down. You receive an inheritance of life as you die. As you understand that you were cocrucified with Christ upon baptism (according to Romans 6:3-11) and "just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we may also live new lives."



HEAVEN'S ESTABLISHMENT

The Kingdom of God is righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit. How can the Kingdom of God be established in our lives in a greater way today?

We can never establish or released what we have not first received. The Kingdom has to be established first within our lives before it's established through our lives.

<u>lets do some inventory. Righteousness</u>

- Do you identify with the reality that the blood of Jesus has paid for your sins & has made you righteous? Is there anything in your life that is shouting shame, rejection, guilt, or condemnation at you?
- If you answered yes- then let's dive deeper. According to the word of God, if you have believed the Gospel, you have been counted as righteous. That's truth. You are righteous. Let's confront every lie that is telling you otherwise.

Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal any lie that you are believing that contradicts the reality of righteousness that Jesus purchased on the cross.

- · Identify the lie.
- Come out of agreement with the lie.
- Wholeheartedly receive the truth.
- Live in His righteousness