SONSHIP

Sons of God, Heirs of God, and Heirs of God According to the Promise

Galatians 3:26 – 4:7

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"For you are all the children, literally "sons", of God by faith in Christ Jesus." Galatians 3:26.KJV

"For as many of you as have been baptized **into Christ** have put on Christ." Galatians 3:27. (Baptized into Christ and now "in Christ", as in 2Corinthians 5:17.)

"There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond, (slave), nor free, there is neither male nor female: **for you are all one in Christ Jesus**." Galatians 3:28.

(Male and female believers are all sons, and all the sons make up the Bride.)

"And if you all be Christ's, then are you all Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise." Galatians 3:29.

"The promise" is the promise of the Spirit which is mentioned in Galatians 3:14, and it is "the blessing of Abraham", which is also mentioned in Galatians 3:14.

The promise of the Spirit is also mentioned in Matthew 3:11, Luke 3:16, Luke 24:49, Acts 1:4,5, 8, Acts 2:1 - 4, 17, 18, Joel 2:28 – 32, Acts 2:38, 39, Acts 10:44 – 47, Acts 19:2 – 6, Galatians 4:6. (The Holy Spirit in us is "Christ in us", as in Colossians 1:27.)

It is the Holy Spirit, which takes the things of Christ and of God the Father, and makes them a reality to us. John 16:13, 14, 15.

And in this way we are heirs of God and Christ, and are able to inherit, by faith and obedience, the fullness of Christ. Ephesians 1:3, 4, and the full inheritance of Christ Jesus, is revealed to us in Ephesians, chapters 1 to 3.

"For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God." Romans 8:14.

"But the anointing which you have received of Him abides in you, and you need not that any man teach you: but as the same anointing teaches you of all things, and is truth, and is no lie, and even as it has taught you, you shall abide in Him." 1John 2:27.

The inward voice of the Holy Spirit leads us in the centre of God's will for us as we follow, Proverbs 3:5, 6, "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding, in all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths."

If we follow our own ideas and thoughts we go astray. Isaiah 53:6. Isaiah 55:8, 9. Jeremiah 10:23. We need the leading of God.

Seek God. Read His Word. Listen to His voice. Believe what God says to you. Obey God and do His will. Follow God. Be a son of God.

"But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, (Spirit), whom the Father will send in My Name, He shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you." John 14:26.

As the Son of God, Matthew 3:17, Matthew 17:5, **Jesus did not do things independent of the Father, or things that were self-initiated,** but only what His Father showed Him to do, or told Him to say. John 4:34, John 5:19, John 5:30, John 6:38, John 8:26, 28, 38, John 12:49, John 14:10, 24.

Not my will but Thine be done,

That the fullness of the Son,

May dwell within this heart that I have given Thee,

So that every-thing I do,

May be the thing that pleases You,

Abba Father I would be a son indeed. Mark 14:36, Romans 8:15.

From glory to glory He's changing me, changing me, changing me,

His likeness and image to perfect in me, the Son of God shown to the world,

For He's changing, changing me, from earthly things to the heavenly,

His likeness and image to perfect in me,

The Son of God shown to the world. 2Corinthians 3:18.