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Topic: You have a divine exchange

Embrace it!

"Divine" - coming directly from God

Col 1.16 "For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him: 17And he is before all things, and by him all things consist."

"Exchange" - Col 1.20"And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven."

Psalm 109.5 They have put on me evil for good; hate in exchange for my love.

Divine exchange- Derek Prince teaching

1. **(Forgiven)** Jesus was punished, that we might be forgiven.
2. **(Health)** Jesus was wounded, that we might be healed. (Isa 53.4-5)
3. **(Righteousness as a free gift)** Jesus was made sin with our sinfulness, that we might be made righteous with His righteousness.(Isa 53.1-; 2 Cor 5.21)
4. **(The life of God)** Jesus died our death, that we might receive His life. (Heb 2.9)
5. **(Blessings)** Jesus was made a curse, that we might enter into the blessing. (Gal 3.13-14)
6. **(Abundance)** Jesus endured our poverty, that we might share His abundance.
7. **(Glory)** Jesus bore our shame, that we might share His glory. (2 Cor 8.9; Matt 27.35-36; Heb 12.2)
8. **(Family of God - Royal, sovereign heritage and inheritance)** Jesus endured rejection, that we might have His acceptance with the Father.(Matt 27.46-51; Eph 1.5-6)
9. **(Eternal existence)** Jesus was cut off by death that we might be joined to God eternally.(Isa 53.8; 1 Cor 6.17)
10. **(Godliness Nature)** Our old man was put to death in Him that the new man might come to life in us.(Romans 6.6; Col 3.9-10)

How do you qualify for this divine life?

You must accept Jesus as savior and make Him the Lord of your life.

John 5.11 And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. 12 Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

1 Cor 1.26 Brothers and sisters, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. 27 But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. 28 God chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things—and the things that are not—to nullify the things that are, 29 so that no one may boast before him. 30 It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God—that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. 31 Therefore, as it is written: “Let the one who boasts boast in the Lord.”

The covenant of divine exchange was entered into between Abraham and God - bringing about this promise to all humanity throughout the generations

Jesus Christ redeemed us in order that the blessing given to Abraham might come to the Gentiles through Christ Jesus, so that by faith we might receive the promise of the Spirit.” (Galatians 3:13-14, NIV)

Gen 22. Abraham’s Test for covenant exchange between mankind and Godkind

22 Some time later God tested Abraham….

15 The angel of the Lord called to Abraham from heaven a second time 16 and said, “I swear by myself, declares the Lord, that because you have done this and have not withheld your son, your only son, 17 I will surely bless you and make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as the sand on the seashore. Your descendants will take possession of the cities of their enemies, 18 and through your offspring all nations on earth will be blessed,because you have obeyed me.”

How do we embrace this new covenant?

We accept Jesus as Savior and we give Him the right to be the Lord of our life.

Jacob accepted this covenant agreement and enjoyed the Kingdom of God inheritance here on the earth. Gen 28 - Jesus presented the covenant agreement to Jacob - Jacob accepted the covenant and made Jesus the Lord of His life by way of making Him Lord over his household and honoring the covenant through tithing. That was the covenant acceptance.

10 Jacob left Beersheba and set out for Harran. 11 When he reached a certain place, he stopped for the night because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones there, he put it under his head and lay down to sleep. 12 He had a dream in which he saw a stairway resting on the earth, with its top reaching to heaven, and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. 13 There above it stood the Lord, and he said: “I am the Lord, the God of your father Abraham and the God of Isaac. I will give you and your descendants the land on which you are lying. 14 Your descendants will be like the dust of the earth, and you will spread out to the west and to the east, to the north and to the south. All peoples on earth will be blessed through you and your offspring.15 I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go, and I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.”

16 When Jacob awoke from his sleep, he thought, “Surely the Lord is in this place, and I was not aware of it.” 17 He was afraid and said, “How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God; this is the gate of heaven.”

20 Then Jacob made a vow, saying, “If God will be with me and will watch over me on this journey I am taking and will give me food to eat and clothes to wear 21 so that I return safely to my father’s household, then the Lord[f] will be my God 22 and this stone that I have set up as a pillar will be God’s house, and of all that you give me I will give you a tenth.”

The covenant has been passed down to us by faith “The just shall live by faith” (Roman 1.17)- as in letting God’s word reign in our hearts for we are an expression of what is in our hearts.

Jeremiah 31.33 For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

1 Colossians 1.21 Once you were alienated from God and were enemies in your minds because of your evil behavior. 22 But now he has reconciled you by Christ's physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation.

1 Corinthians 11:25 - 25 In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." (covenant agreement so that you can live in that covenant lifestyle)

Divine Exchange is resting in God

Psalm 95

1 Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD;
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
2 Let us come before him with thanksgiving
and extol him with music and song.
3 For the LORD is the great God,
the great King above all gods.
4 In his hand are the depths of the earth,
and the mountain peaks belong to him.
5 The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hands formed the dry land.
6 Come, let us bow down in worship,
let us kneel before the LORD our Maker;
7 for he is our God
and we are the people of his pasture,
the flock under his care.
Today, if only you would hear his voice,
8 "Do not harden your hearts as you did at Meribah,
as you did that day at Massah in the wilderness,
9 where your ancestors tested me;
they tried me, though they had seen what I did.
10 For forty years I was angry with that generation;
I said, 'They are a people whose hearts go astray,
and they have not known my ways.'
11 So I declared on oath in my anger,
'They shall never enter my rest.'"

Romans 14.17 For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.God's rest is living in the Kingdom of God which is "peace, joy and righteousness in the Holy Spirit"

Jesus describes a Kingdom nation - 1 Peter 2.9 But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.

John 19.30 When he had received the drink, Jesus said, "It is finished."
(You have rest in the finished works)