True Leadership

As born-again believers, as born leaders we already have the capacity, inherent desire, natural talents, potential and abilities to correspond to being a leader. God does not demand from a product what it cannot do. God was not just speaking to Adam to be the leader of the church for the world but to every seed that was in his loins. God's awesome intent was to share his rulership and his administration of creation with humanity. We were designed to reflect God's attributes and his characteristics as it relates to true leadership.

- 1. God doesn't have the dominion, he is Dominion.
- 2. God doesn't have authority, he is Authority.
- 3. God doesn't have love, he is Love.
- 4. God doesn't have glory oh, he is Glory.
- 5. God doesn't possess leadership, he is Leadership.

Therefore, the Godly man or woman inherits these attributes and God the Creator, is the (only) leading maker of True Leadership.

- 1. Being designed to be leaders means that we are ordained to be one.
- 2. We are leaders by nature, whether we manifest it or not.
- 3. The desire to lead and achieve greatness lies in every human heart passionately and silently.
- 4. If you want to become a great leader, be a great sermon. This is the main secret of greatness. Matt 20:28; Mark 10:45
- 5. Whatever your gift and assignment is; if you want to be great, serve it to all mankind.
- 6. Don't seek greatness, but seek to serve your gift to the maximum and you will become sought-after. This way you become valuable to others. Never find yourself boasting about your services or ministry. Let others encourage and boast about you. I never go around trying to make people acknowledge my gifting. Never go around trying to find a place to preach or teach; let others invite you; let them open the door. Our job is to continue to seek God, learn of him,

obey his word, conform to His image, serve at your local church, stay humble and the doors will open by God himself and your timing to go forth will be perfect. Luke 16:12 kj If you are or have been faithful in that which is another man's, who shall give you that which is your own? Phil 2:7-10 kj But made himself of no reputation, and took upon himself the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men, 8) and being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.9) wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name, 10) that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven and things in the earth, and things under the earth; 11) And that every tongue shall confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

- 7. When you lead effectively, then people will call you a leader.
- 8. All True Leaders are simply glorified servants for the benefit of others.
- 9. Jesus, the greatest leader, said "the son of man came not to be served, but to serve and to give his life for a ransom for a many (Mark 10:45").
- 10. Servants exist for the world, we are all servants to this world. Paul says being then made free from sin, he became the Servants of righteousness (Rom 6:18 kj).

<u>What is your purpose</u>? Your purpose will be enclosed with your passion, your inclinations, your likes, your talents and your natural abilities. This is all part of your divine design.

These are areas that you are supposed to have dominion in. This is your domain. People are waiting to be blessed with your gift. God want to use you to answer many prayers. Now focus and get perfectly prepared to lead through your service.

Every human being has a seed of greatness buried in a gift needed by the world. Your gift is a miracles for this world.

We must be trained and prepared to serve one's gift to the world at every opportunity for the overall betterment of humanity.

Your service ,your assignments and your ministry are correctly identified as your self-distribution to your generation, the maximization of your self-manifestation and the pursuit of your inherent vision by God.

The Natural results of True Leadership

- 1. True leadership is displayed in genuine confidence based on one's natural and spiritual abilities, enabled, anointed and **guided** by God, his creator.
- 2. The true leader will experience genuine confidence, personal fulfillment and great satisfaction in leading with a holy and righteous heart. (He will not be perfect in all things, all the time. But he will be perfect in many). (Ist John 1:9, Prov 28:13)
- 3. A true leader is not one with a competitive spirit because he is secure in his own uniqueness. He has the ability to enjoy the gifts and talents of all of his brothers and sisters.
- 4. The true leader is not one to compare himself with no one else at any time. He knows for a fact that he is completely secure in who God made him to be. He knows that there's only one person like him and nobody can beat him, being himself. He or she knows that he is ordained to be in this generation for such a time as this. He knows that his gifts and talents, **perfected**, **skilled and refined** will result in miracles for the world.
- 5. The true leader will never allow jealousy to take root in his spirit because of another person's gifts or values.
- 6. The true leader has a sense of intrinsic value based on the Word of God and the knowledge of his significance.
- 7. True leaders won't be like the so-called leaders that parade in our communities that are entangled with being power-hungry, insecure and unqualified.

- 8. A true leader is a good manager. He is also one that has a good self concept of himself, a strong self-worth, and a high self-esteem level to compensate for his feelings of inferiority and vulnerability. He will not intimidate, manipulate or oppress anyone.
- 9. A true leader knows, no matter how many spiritual leaders he listens to or sermons that he listens to by other Pastors. He will always know that his true weekly anointed leading, guidance and words of life will primarily come from his own covering; the vision of his own church, from his own Pastor. (Pastors of churches have different visions and teaching focuses therefore they will sometimes have different rhema words delivered for only their congregations). Be aware of this wisdom.
- God will give True Leaders prosperity in every area of life and 10. he will give him a good name and influence.

True Leadership

Is a mindset.

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- Dictates one's motivation.
- 3. Is revealed in one's response to his environment.
- 4. Is the perception of oneself to the world.
- 5. Is one's belief system which controls his behavior.
- 6. Determines how other people treat you and how the world will respond to you.
- 7. Is your mental conditioning.

Know who you are and whose you are. If you carry low self-esteem- it will manifest in low valuation of humanity.

Unfortunately many in this world know others-worth, but no self-worth at all.

True Leaders spend their entire lives giving others value. They give people hope and a cause, a reason for living and reason for continuing. Moreover, as True leaders value themselves, they value the significance of others. (Everything in the heavens and the earth can be replaced except a soulthe worth of a soul in invaluable)

Remember you can't give significance, if you don't have it yourself (Mark 12:29,30). (Love and think highly of yourself too) Rom 12:3 kjv For I say, through the grace given unto me, to every man that is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, according as God has dealt to every man The Measure of Faith.(Notice: it did not say to not think highly but not to think more highly than ye ought.)

True leaders must make a lifelong commitment to develop every element of divine character in his or her own life so he will safely reflect upon others, what he will then truly believe about himself.

The greatest discovery in life is self-discovery. Ask God to show you - you. He will do it so you can see, there will be much work to be done. The best way to know you is to know the attributes of God. He will be your perfect example and gauge. Ps 37:37 Mark the perfect man, behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace. (Mark or mimic, the perfect man, Jesus) (Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God- Phil 2:5,6).

Acts 10:38 kj –How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that was a that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him.

You will be what you believe and allow into your head and your heart

- 1. What you believe create your world.
- 2. Your beliefs create your convictions.
- 3. Your convictions create your attitude.
- 4. Your attitude control your perceptions.
- 5. Your perceptions dictate your behavior.
- 6. Therefore what you allow your mind to listen to will inevitably create your world, your convictions, your attitudes, your perceptions, and will ultimately dictate your behavior; what you do and how you respond in life.(Be very careful concerning what you allow your ears to hear.)

When wrong, contaminated, and defective beliefs and thoughts enter our heart, they will cause major insecurities and errors in your life.

Mental Illness

It's said that mental illness include:

- 1. Having power without purpose.
- 2. Money without meaning.
- 3. Houses without homes.
- 4. Sons and daughters without nurture.
- 5. All out protection of animals, but won't protect the unborn.

- 6. The Pursuit of power at the expense of principles.
- 7. The daily sacrifice of Integrity for temporary pleasure.

Our personal philosophies of life will be produced from what's in our subconscious mind. There will be various influences such as teachers, books that we read, family, friends, associates, and the experiences of life. These all will affect us tremendously.

If we live in error, that error will be the only truth we know. Therefore, our philosophy, our faith and beliefs need to be keyed into the words of our Creator, because without it, everything received will be simply opinions, ideologies and suggestions of others. Therefore, major limitations and error will become the master of your life and your posterity.

True leaders learn all they can, they keep moving past their limitations. All of their God given goals will always seem too big or too hard for them to accomplish alone. They will be accomplished by the accompanying strength of their God- the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob).

Eph 6:10-18 amp-

Matt 7:7,8 amp-

2 nd Cor 12:8-10 amp

Zech 4:6 kj

Characteristics of True Leaders

- 1. Honors the God of the Father of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.
- 2. He receives Christ Jesus as Lord and Saviour of His life.
- 3. Integrity
- 4. Holiness
- 5. Faithful
- 6. Loving
- 7. Humble
- 8. Merciful
- 9. Kind
- 10. Courageous
- 11. Bold
- 12. Forgiving
- 13. Persistent
- 14. Never give up- Never quits
- 15. Friendly
- 16. Never a respect of persons
- 17. Patient
- 18. Respectable
- 19. Cordial
- 20. Hospitable
- 21. Approachable
- 22. Principled
- 23. Refined
- 24. Educated
- 25. Submissive
- 26. Committed
- 27. Wise
- 28. A person of great knowledge
- 29. A person of understanding
- 30. Takes great care of himself
- 31. Take great care of his or her family
- 32. Take great care of their spouse. Treats them as royalty.
- 33. Set goals for their life.
- 34. Teachable

- 35. Accepting
- 36. Listener
- 37. Lover of Peace
- 38. Smiles, laughs and are a pleasure to be around.
- 39. They master compliments.
- 40. They are Master encouragers.
- 41. They allow the light to shine on others and not on them all of the time.
- 42. Love their Neighbors
- 43. Never give up on their Family.
- 44. Prays
- 45. Committed to having a daily private time seeking God and studying their Bible.
- 46. Never says anything bad about their church or their leadership. If they find out something not perfect, they are those that will simply pray for their leaders.
- 47. Not ashamed of God in public.
- 48. Tell of how God blesses them.
- 49. Let for the good in everyone.
- 50. Love all Nationalities.
- 51. Has a Spirit of excellence.
- 52. Has a level of self- confidence
- 53. Is compassionate.
- 54. Creative- has a belief in the untested and untried. Out of the box type of person.
- 55. Want to see others succeed.
- 56. Passionate
- 57. Has a personal commitment in continuing their overall growth.
- 58. Has a belief in unlimited ability with God's help.
- 59. Unlimited thinker anything is possible with them.
- 60. Completely positive and optimistic.
- 61. Self motivated knowing that if you are not motivated, you will pull energy out of everyone around you. It will destroy action and power to accomplish goals..
- 62. A force to be reckoned with.
- 63. Overcomes resistance- World Overcomer
- 64. Has great resilience.
- 65. Stronger than opposition.

- 66. Always have a great attitude.
- 67. Take initiative.
- 68. Is always on-time.
- 69. Finishes what he has his hands to do.
- 70. Believes in causes and communicates them carefully and clearly.
- 71. The team worker.
- 72. Honors Authority.
- 73. Hates sin
- 74. Hates Gossip
- 75. Hates satan and evil.
- 76. Responsible. You can depend on them to do exactly what they have been entrusted to do.
- 77. Determined
- 78. Joyful
- 79. Long-suffering.
- 80. Lively
- 81. Does not rejoice when even his enemy suffers.
- 82. Not luke-warm
- 83. Does all of his part to manifest the Promises of God in his personal life.
- 84. Has his priorities in order.
- 85. Has great balance of his time.

Read:

Ist Tim 3:1-10 kj

Titus 1:5-9 kj