

The Wine and the Blood

Matthew 27:28

Hell's number one goal is to convince you and I that God's Word and God's Spirit cannot help us!

Just like Adam and Eve were tricked into believing they needed something else outside of God's Word to find happiness. So, they are from the tree of knowledge and evil.

This is the spirit of our times:

- A. " You can't trust authority in your life anymore," is what our media will have you believe.
- B. Don't trust your spouse, your boss, or the police
- C. Because underlying reason is coming from a demonic system through entertainment, media and politics that you cannot trust God's delegated authority over your life.
- D. Especially when a person has tried other philosophies and other forms of Christianity and got no results for their pain and their hurts.

So, he has factored in a plan that hell nor man can stop or change.

God even uses the devil's seductions to bring you and I to a place we can experience grace and love.

Let's go further on this point from our opening text. Jesus, in Matthew 26:27, combines the two words "wine" and "blood" together in a covenantal context.

And here's why:

- A. wine is symbolic of relational love. We see this in Song of Solomon 1:2-4
- B. These verses are symbolic of a prayer relationship between you and Jesus or a Palanquin Bed: for safety, wisdom, and strength.
- C. The wine is symbolic of intimate love of the Holy Ghost. He wants you to drink of it in prayer. This kind of wine is Holy Ghost lives from the Bridal Car of Jesus making you intimate with others.

**But Jesus combines wine with love as a factor to fight offenses, flaws and failures for us.
And here is how he does it:**

Read Leviticus 17:11 AMP

- A. So, when the Old Testament High priest sprinkled blood on the altar for a person's sins, God would atone or cover their sins. This was like the coats of skin for Adam and Eve. This was God's demonstration of love and grace through the blood of animal sacrifices.

- B. This all happened in the tabernacle of Moses by way of the brazen altar. For this blood brought life, joy, and victory to the Old Testament believer
- C. Now look at Hebrews 9:11-14, 10:15-22. This is Jesus bringing wine and blood together to fight the dead conscience from dead works.

Hell said God cannot help you anymore

- 1. Just stop hoping for a miracle in that relationship.
- 2. Just take matters in your own hands when people don't care to hurt you.
- 3. The bible works, but not for everything—that's how the devil lies.

But this wine is a love that when combined with the blood of Jesus, produces a power hell cannot stop.

Read Ephesians 2:13.

The blood gives us access to the worship and joy. This way we come boldly. Psalms 6:2-8

The blood awakens love. Ephesians 1:6-8

The wine and blood activities grace and love. Your worship and your repentance activate power from another world. It gives you the will power to fight in love with Holy Ghost fortitude.

The life of the flesh is in the blood. And when we go to the brazen altar first to activate the blood—then God releases the power of love and grace on your dead conscience.

The dead conscience of:

- 1. Unbelief that God just refuses to help me with my relational long-suffering. Read James 3:15-17. We deactivate the blood and step on it when we will fully choose to operate in our own opinions.
- 2. The dead conscience of a busy mind that won't quiet down. The life of the flesh is in the wine and the blood.
- 3. The blood activates the power of love and grace to your dead conscience of a disturbed mind that cannot find peace.
- 4. The dead conscience of being wounded and wrestling with unforgiveness (this is why we baptize in the name of Jesus).
- 5. The dead conscience of wrestling with fear and worry that keeps overhang my faith in God. God said for me to preach the power of his loving blood that activates the power of God in our lives right now in this service. It's the Palanquin Bed of wine and the blood, they go together.
- 6. This blood of Jesus purges your dead conscience from a hardened heart from constant failures. It's the blood of Jesus that activates power to love. It activates the grace to walk in victory and to declare victory in bad times. Don't list to negative and evil people who look to other solutions for relational problems. For Jesus said this wine and blood is my covenant. And this blood needs to get activated by your praise, your worship, and repentance.
- 7. This blood purges your conscience from bad memories of your past. Nothing works like the blood.
- 8. It clears a guilty and condemned conscience.
- 9. It activates power to overcome willful sinning. Philippians 2:13 AMP
- 10. This blood will help a dead conscience that wrestles with being insensitive to people's hurts.

11. Apathy towards should
12. Selfishness
13. Habits and addictions
14. Dead lifeless worship

Read Hebrews 4:16

- This blood cuts through the power of humanism and the strong stubbornness of the will.
- Because that wine is symbolic of a love that gives with the blood
- It gives you the power and desire to surrender and die out to the self-will. No love can do what the wine and blood covenant of Jesus can do in your life.

This blood is to be taken seriously.

- A. It reminds you of mercy and judgment because of the death of an animal or Jesus.
- B. So, you come to Jesus in the fear of the Lord.
- C. It's telling you to come to God in self-denial, put away your issues. You can only do this by accepting and activating the blood of Jesus in worship and repentance.
- D. This blood activates love and grace to be healed today!!! For the life of the flesh is in the blood.

Jesus offers you wine and blood today, because he is asking will you allow me to bring relational suffering into your life and give me praise today!

Will you drink the wine of love that now turns in blood sacrificial living?

Read Matthew 10:34-39

This blood activates new life in your love for people.

Your image, your reputation and talent will not be enough for your relational truffles. Mr. Cain. I need you to admit, "I need the wine and the blood for overcoming victory".

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