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**“This is My beloved Son,
in whom I am well pleased.”**

“HEAR HIM!”

It has always been critical to the people of God that they hear directly from God. When they have heard and done as He commanded, they were blessed. When they did not hear, or heard but did not do as He commanded, they failed to receive His blessing. This spiritual principal has never changed. It is as valid today as it was in the days of Moses. Simply put - obedience to God brings blessing, while disobedience results in the loss of blessing.

Today, the Church is filled with an untold number of voices, and of the opinions of man, there is no end. I have my opinion, you have yours and each of us believes that our opinion is correct. When it comes to God's people and His Kingdom activity there seems to be very little unity. It is my firm opinion that this widespread disunity is the direct result of our forming opinions and calling them truth, when in fact far too often our opinion was formed as a result of hearing another voice, rather than “the Voice”. The end result is that the vast majority of those of us who call ourselves followers of JESUS CHRIST miss His full blessing. If ever we needed to hear the voice of JESUS, we need to hear Him now. We have sinned and brought shame and reproach on His name. The rank and file of the Church today is suffering from all kinds of sickness and disease, especially cancer. Divorce is rampant and sexual sin is being exposed at the highest levels of the Church. Debt and personal bankruptcy is widespread. We seem to have lots of form but virtually no power, and the gift of discerning of spirits is rare indeed. Oh yes! We need to hear JESUS and we need to Hear Him now.

Several months ago I read an article that was published in the *Herald of His Coming*. The article was entitled “The Authority of Christ” and it addressed the problem that we now face of having forgotten that JESUS is ruling and reigning over us as a King. He is speaking to us today and His message has not changed since He delivered it in person here on the earth. Anyone who tells you differently is not your friend and they, like Judas, betray our Lord.

I contacted the offices of *Herald of His Coming* and asked them if I could share the article on the Authority of JESUS with those on my mailing list. They gladly furnished the necessary copies, one of which I have enclosed. You can receive the *Herald of His Coming* free of charge each month, simply by contacting them. I highly recommend that you do so.

Now please prayerfully read the enclosed article and ask FATHER to grant you the grace to hear Him. May God grant us all the gift of repentance before He comes and deals with the rebellions of His people.

God Bless,

Tom

