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The Power of Prayer: In the Name of Jesus

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Matthew 16:19 I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

Keys:

1. Covenant Promises/Words (2 Peter 1:4)
2. These are Spoken Words (Romans 10:8)
3. God's grace (Jesus) is the authority (Ephesians 1:21)
4. God's promises are legally binding (Matthew 16:19)

John 14:13-14 And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

John 15:16 You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you.

The Holy Spirit knows God's will.

God's breath (His Spirit in us) speaking God's Word brings about God's will.

In the name of Jesus

To be in agreement with the will and nature of God is the meaning of "in the name of Jesus."

1 John 5:14-15 This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him.

What's in a Name?

In ancient times a person's name was believed to reflect his nature and character.

1 Samuel 25:25 (NKJV) For as his name is, so is he.

God created all things through words.

Genesis 1:3 And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.

Words are not given to describe something...words are spoken to create.

Proverbs 18:21 The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit.

In Jewish thought, the soul consists of 3 parts: neshama (root word nesheema "breath"), ruach "wind" or "spirit", and nefesh (root word nafash "rest").

Genesis 2:7 The LORD God formed the man from the dust of the ground and breathed [blowing: ruach] into his nostrils the breath of life [breath: neshamah], and the man became a living being [soul/rest: nephesh].

Hebrew words broken down into English before they are rearranged into a fluid sentence:

and he-is-forming Yahweh Elohim the-human soil from the-ground and-he-is-blowing in-nostrils-of-him breath-of lives and-he-is-becoming the-human to-soul living

God's breath leaves His lips, travels as wind and comes to rest in us...a vessel for His glory!

John 14:17 But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you.

Acts 2:1-4 When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. ²Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

What does Jesus mean?

Jesus (Yeshua): The Lord saves: delivers, heals, forgives.

JESUS is the anglicized form of Greek name YESOUS in N.T.

Hebrew name: YESHUA which is short for YEHOSHUA ("Joshua" in English)

Joshua's name was changed: HOSHEA → YEHOSHUA → YESHUA (in Babylonian Exile)

יהושע

YEHOSHUA

YEHO

Abbreviation of YHVH **יהוה**

God's Most Holy Name! Yahweh

SHUA

from root word yasha **ישע**

Salvation: to deliver, to save or to rescue

We are the dwelling of God on the earth...we are His house...we are to be a house of prayer.

Matthew 21:13 My house will be called a house of prayer

Romans 10:13 Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.