



“God’s Hand...His Favor” June 8, 2025

I. **Isaiah 42:1-9**

A. The Prophecy

1. Jesus and the Spirit of the Lord (The Hand of God) (I have put My Spirit upon Him).
2. Jesus found the place in the book of Isaiah “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me because He has anointed me...”

B. Children of God (**John 1:1-12**)

1. To as many as received Him, He gave power (The ability) to become children of God.
2. But there is more...**Romans 8:14-17**
 - Not just children, but heirs (Part of the family)
 - Not just heirs, but joint-heirs (Part of the throne) (Seated in heavenly places with Jesus who is seated at the RIGHT HAND of God).
3. Isaiah 42 and 61 speaks of Jesus, John 1 and Romans 8 speaks of you....but what is the common denominator between Jesus and You? THE HAND OF GOD!
 - It is only by the Hand of God that you will prosper...
 - It is only by the Hand of God that you will walk in health
 - It is only by the Hand of God that you will have dominion over the enemy
 - It is only by the Hand of God that you will walk in Divine Favor

II. Why Do I Need God’s Favor?

A. **His Favor is His Special Acceptance** (Chosen-ness)

1. **Luke 1:28** “Highly Favored” – **To Grace; Indue with Special Honor**
2. Think about this....it is the same word that Jesus used when He told Paul when he was dealing with troubles from the enemy...“My GRACE is enough for you.” (Paul you have been accepted and chosen by God; Don’t allow the enemy to get you down and discourage you. Take My Spirit...Take My Hand and overcome the wicked one, right now!)

B. **Genesis 39:1-6**

1. God’s favor is where the blessing is!
2. **Genesis 39:20-23** (“THE LORD WAS WITH HIM...”)
3. When you know you are accepted, you will not allow the devil to talk you out of your blessing...this is why you need to stand in His Favor, stand in His anointing, Stand knowing that the Hand of the Lord...That same Spirit that raised Jesus from the dead....It dwells in you!