



## “Power on Earth”

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### I. **Matthew 18:18-20 (Amplified)**

#### A. The Believer’s Authority

##### 1. The ability to bind & loose

- God’s will on earth is the same as His will that is already occurring in heaven
- Find God’s will and use your God-given authority to stop the curse and loose the blessing!

##### 2. Where does the Believer’s Authority begin? Revelation (**Matthew 16:17-19**)

- *When you find out who God is, He will reveal to you who you are!*
- When this happens, Satan will know your name!

#### B. The Power of Agreement (vs. 19)

##### 1. Agree: *To be in perfect harmony and one accord*, but what does it really mean? (No doubt or unbelief, no wavering or wishful thinking, and total confidentiality between those who are in agreement – Covenant Promise)

##### 2. Agree...where and for what? (Jesus is making it plain: on earth and touching anything)

##### 3. **Amos 3:3** “How can two walk together except they agree?”

- Real power on earth starts with real relationships (God and people).

### II. Disagreement & Strife

#### A. **1 Corinthians 1:10**

##### 1. Reality Check: It is impossible to speak the same thing if you don’t believe the same thing! (Believing in Jesus may get you to heaven, but what about His teachings...His life that we can and should experience right here on this earth?)

##### 2. How is it that so many people can read the same Bible but come up with so many different interpretations and belief? The answer is two-fold:

\* Satan works tirelessly, twisting and deceiving

\* Believers do not properly dissect the Word (rightly divide).

\*\*\*\* **The result: Division & Strife (Satan’s master plan)**

#### B. **Matthew 20:24-28**

##### 1. *How to be great in the kingdom of God: The Servant’s Heart*

##### 2. **James 3:16** /Strife brings confusion and every evil work / It opens a fast door to the enemy / This is why we should refuse strife, refuse un-forgiveness, and anger. Quick to hear, slow to speak; don’t allow the sun to go down on your wrath!