

## Dominion Satellite Fellowship

### Rest and Freedom in the New Covenant, Dec 5 2012

**Opening prayer:**

**Praise and Worship: 10 minutes:**

**Testimonies: 5 minutes**

**Review: Rest and Freedom in the New Covenant, Dec 5, 2012**

The secret to rest, freedom and reigning in life is rejoicing in the fact that we have already received the abundance of grace and the gift of righteousness. Rom 5:17 says, "For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ." Grace is unmerited favor. We did nothing to deserve it. We also have the gift of righteousness.

Under the law, or old covenant, there is always something you need to do or accomplish in order to be blessed. Under the law there is sin consciousness. You always wonder if you have tried hard enough, prayed long enough, or had enough faith. You wonder if God is still teaching you a lesson because of the mistakes you made years ago. There is never an assurance or complete rest.

Under the new covenant of the abundance of grace and gift of righteousness, it is not based on your efforts. It is based on Jesus' finished work on the cross. By believing in Jesus, you now have an abundance of unmerited favor. When God says abundance, it is abundance. Galatians 3:9 says, "So then they which be of faith **are blessed** with faithful Abraham." You have already been blessed with the same blessing of Abraham. You can stop striving for the blessing! It is already on you. You can stop striving to be healed. He already purchased your healing on the cross. It is finished! Praise God!

The old covenant was based on you and your efforts. The new covenant is designed to change you from the inside out. You already have every blessing Abraham had. He had divine health. He was a friend of God. He lived a very long life. He was very generous. He enjoyed God's favor and protection throughout his life. He was also very rich in material goods. When you realize God has given you the same blessing, you can enter His rest for you and stop trying to achieve it. He has given you unmerited favor and the righteousness of Christ because of His love for you. This changes your heart and the blessings begin to flow out of your life.

If the Son has set you free, you are free! You are the righteousness of Christ! From this day forward, you will reign in life because of the abundance of grace and gift of righteousness that have been purchased for you by Jesus! We thank God that captains in industry are coming out of this body. We thank God that world-changing ministries are coming out of this body. We thank God for great marriages and families in this body. We thank God that we are above only because of Jesus finished work on the cross!

**Prayer 1: 3 Minutes:**

We are going to thank God for the abundance of grace and the gift of righteousness that Jesus has purchased for us. We are going to thank God for His unmerited favor in our businesses, careers and family lives. We are going to thank God that the Son has truly set us free.

**Prayer 2: 3 Minutes:**

We will be praying for a harvest of souls this week. Ask the Lord of the Harvest to whistle to all his sheep in every city and fellowship around the country. Ask the Holy Spirit to drive them into church and into every fellowship with His irresistible wind. We will also be praying for the Holy Spirit to convict them of their sins, so they will be saved, and Christ will be formed and complete in all of the people present.

**Prayer 3: 3 minutes**

We are going to thank God for all past signs and wonders, and that signs and wonders will erupt this week in all of the services and fellowships. Pray for miracles that will gather unbelieving crowds into church.

**Prayer 4: 3 Minutes**

We are going to thank God that the Word of God will flow freely and Jesus Christ will be glorified in every service and fellowship.

**Offering: 5 minutes (Share one scripture and then take the offering.)**

**Announcements:**

All services are streamed live and archived at [www.dccofcolorado.org](http://www.dccofcolorado.org).

**Share God's goodness together.**

Psalm 23:6 "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever." Amen

**Ask anyone who has specific prayer requests to stay, and pray with them in prayers of agreement.**