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# The Power of Language

Objectives: To learn the language of the Kingdom. To understand the language of the Kingdom. To apply the language of the Kingdom in daily life.

## Part 1: What is Language?

Main Passage: Genesis 11:1-9

Focus Verse: Genesis 11:6

First Additional Context: Ex. 4:11, Gen 42:23

Genesis 11:1 "And the whole earth was of one language and of one speech."

The entire earth spoke ONE LANGUAGE. In business deals, legal matters, trade, accounting, in every area of their life – they all spoke ONE LANGUAGE. Language was not yet described by where you live because everyone everywhere spoke the SAME LANGUAGE. There was no need for interpretation because they were all of ONE SPEECH.

<u>Miscommunication</u> was at an all-time low. Husbands understood wives and wives understood children. Children understood animals. All the earth was of ONE LANGUAGE! Matters before court, cases concerning land, matters of the hearts, acts of the body – they all spoke ONE LANGUAGE.

And because the earth spoke ON	IE LANGUAGE – tl	hey declared:	
(Gen. 11:3) C, let	make	, and burn them	
thoroughly. And they had	for	, and	had they
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The Power of Language develops the smartest, most intellectual people.

They understand the power behind purpose because they listen to each other's

expertise. Why? Because they are not confused about what they are talking
about. Why? Because they speak the same language there were no arguments.
Why? Because no one is trying to explain their point of view to someone else
because everyone understands everyone's point of view.
A. What percentage of the Bible do you think you actually know?%
B. Is Kingdom Language your main language?

### Part 2: One Language vs Confusion

Main Passage: Genesis 11:1-9

Focus Verse: Genesis 11:6 First Additional Context 2<sup>nd</sup> Additional Context

The only way to build a kingdom is to spread (teach) the language. The only way to destroy a kingdom is to cofound (mix) the language. Fearful language produces fear.

Scripture:

What we are trying to do now: Get back to the same language.

Speaking the language will <u>produce</u> the language.

<u>Producing</u> the language <u>creates</u> visible witnesses.

<u>Witnesses</u> attract outsiders who are looking to be converted (adopted) – as an heir.

...Because, sheep attract other sheep.

Those outside the Kingdom family) are looking (listening) for that certain language. When we speak (all) the SAME LANGUAGE, the only thing that can stop us - is literally God. Only God can stop this. Just like the Tower of Babel; They spoke one language, were of one mindset, so God and only God had to confuse their understanding so that they could/would not reach their goals! But our motives will be pure and hands will be clean so that the Kingdom of God advances! We must speak one language. We must share one language. We must show one language. We must love one language.

How did a once thriving people get off track? God confounded their language.

(v7) Confound: Mixed; God mixed their language

List ways that a language can become mixed.

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I. The first way the enemy attacks is through language. He first listens to how you speak. He is listening to what you speak so that he will know what demons to send out. The demons present the angelic power shift of things from devil's kingdom. YOUR ANGELS are also listening. They are listening to what you speak so they will know which angels to dispatch on your behalf in order to present the Kingdom of God's power shift in your life. This is what is meant by "Your Words Have Power". They possess either God's Kingdom angelic beings or Satan's. You can either send out angels attracted to the one language in the Kingdom: Unity, Order, Structure, Abundance, Overflow, Peace, Joy Answers, Resolve, Conclusions, Creativity... or send out demons to work on behalf of the language of the flesh - Chaos, Confusion, Gossip.

Language is a spirit. Language creates and destroys. Language lifts and tears down. Language is everything and with it everything. Nothing that is, is, without language. This is why Adam had to name everything. To give everything its spirit. Because <u>nothing exists without language</u>.

So satan, being here for centuries and understanding man, intentionally fills up your Kingdom language with language of the flesh so that you never understand the power of your language: Your language to destroy the enemy. Your language to release the chains from your family. Your language that creates safe family environments. Your language to recognize the enemy when he shows up and put him in his designated place – rolling on his stomach!

Resolution: The Power of Language needs Purpose. Speak the Word of Life so that your angels, whom hold angelic power, can be dispatched to work on your behalf.

II. One key tool the enemy uses to miscommunicate your language is to find unqualified criticizers of like-minded things. Spirits that don't like each other will find a way to connect about something they don't like, together. Because the second thing the devil needs to confound the language is - Agreement! Say, "Agreement"! Language means nothing without agreement. It has no value without agreement. It's like a blank check. It don't care what number you put on it to cash it, if it isn't enough money in

that account- You Gets Nothing!!!

Those who were working on the Tower of Babel - were in agreement. One mind. One goal. One language. Satan has the same goal everyday – to keep God's children in disagreement, speaking a different language, so he can delay his demise.

Resolution: The Power of Language needs Agreement. Stay connected to those who Agree with the Purpose of the Language. Immediately correct miscommunication.

If a language is already mixed, you must aggressively reconstruct the language. Start back at the beginning when **everybody agreed** and walk it forward until we find where the language got mixed.

Every gangster movie, every plan goes sideways movie - starts off good until somebody starts speaking another language & then try to sabotage others.

The enemy can do nothing to sabotage until he first identifies what can destroy him.

### Part 3: Kingdom Language = Kingdom Authority!!!

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- 1. The Power of Language determines our success, determines our ability to conquer and determines our ability to expand the Kingdom. If the kingdom is not advancing check the language.
- 2. The Power of Language establishes leadership. TPOL needs someone to direct the language. TPOL needs someone to discern the language. Under certain circumstances, it may have to change the language e.g. a verbal fast from saying negative things.
- 3. TPOL has a plan. Everyone understands it. It's plain.
- 4. The Power of Language is Family (v3). Familial language connects you in ways that simultaneously separates you from other families (other languages).

The Power of Language builds! It builds cities! It builds towers(v4)! The people of one language knew that they were strong but they knew they would be stronger if they continued to build!

#### Part 4: Begin to do vs. Imagine to do (v6)

Main Passage: Genesis 11:1-9

Focus Verse: Genesis 11:6

First Additional Context

2<sup>nd</sup> Additional Context

Imagination has more purpose than simply frivolous unrelated thoughts in your head. The imagination is the first language. We imagine to do it before we actually begin to do it.

"I'm just beginning to do what I have imagined to do." We're not talking about any type of imagination. This "imagined to-do" actually means "purposed to do". This means the people of one language were determined, prepared, and in action. Don't worry about the beginning. The beginning is just catching up with imagination. And when beginning and imagination meet: Kingdom: NO LIMITS!

- 1. Create life with my words!
- 2. Create family with my words!
- 3. Create kingdom community with my words!

The people of the Tower of Babel determined to conquer vertically to reach heaven. However, they were disobedient because they were given a mandate to conquer territory horizontally. Why? Because Kingdom is about territory. When they decided to build up and not across - they sinned. They wanted to build up instead of wide and in essence not gaining any territory. Building self up is pride because it destroys the purpose of God. Because God said "....

The kingdom with the most territory is the dominant kingdom. The word 'Land' is used in the Bible \_\_\_\_\_ of times.

### Do We Ever Master Language?

When have I mastered the power of language? When I think before I speak. When I fully understand what the power of my words mean. I choose to strategically speak out of my mouth

- 1) Either knowing what it means and the impact it will have on others
- 2) Not knowing all it means or all it means to others but with the right heart motive