

Do You Know the Son's Name?

Proverbs 30:1-9

Some time ago, the sermon entitled "Commit Your Work to the Lord" was preached. Of course, you should do that, for God made all things and does all things according to His will. It's so obvious, and it's best for you. God's direction is to crush the serpent's head and to receive the glory. Everything must be done according to God's will. That's how Satan's head will be crushed. The safest way is to entrust everything to the Lord and follow Him. Then you'll succeed and conquer, and you'll receive answers and live like it is written in the Bible. It's original sin that you can never have it your way, and it's Satan that will never win, no matter what you do, so the one who can entrust is victorious and conquers. If you do it your way and for your purposes and reasons, there are side effects and failures. Sometimes the direction is the same as God, but there is something of me in the reason, purpose, and method. The direction is world evangelization, but the reason, purpose, and method are not mine. Therefore, it is not usually the spiritual authority. May you entrust everything and fight the spiritual battle.

1. Do you know the Son's name?

- 1) Amazingly, a book like Proverbs would have this gospel core, and, amazingly, someone like an obscure lay person would have known Christ in his day.
- 2) If you look at Proverbs 30:22, you see Solomon's very specific confession of Christ, which is amazing, and then in Proverbs 30:4, you see a very specific description of the Creator. He had this wisdom, but in Proverbs 30:2, he confesses that he is not as intelligent as the beasts, compared to other men.
- 3) In Proverbs 30:3, he says that he has not learned wisdom and does not have the knowledge of the Holy One, which is a humble way of saying it, but it also feels like the expression of someone who knows how important this wisdom and knowledge are. So he goes to the extreme of saying that he is like an animal, which is probably a way of saying he doesn't know something that important.
- 4) But he seems to be certain, at least in his attitude toward God the Creator and his Son. It is unclear if he really didn't have that wisdom and knowledge, but the way he describes himself similar to a beast makes him seem like someone who is analyzing himself accurately and knows how precious and high that knowledge is. He might be more knowledgeable than those who profess to know who God is.
- 5) Agur asked him if he knew his Son's name, and what does it mean to know your son's name? It means do you know who He is and what He did, what it means, and why He did it? When you introduce a person, you say their name and what they do, and you get to know who they are in a second.
- 6) Therefore, to know the name of the Son is to know that He is the Christ, the only way of salvation to meet God, and that He is liberation from the curse and the power to break the head of Satan. You come to know His death and the covenantal blood.
- 7) Therefore, when you pray in His name, you are praying to God in the name of the Son who has done these things. When you pray in His name, you are holding on to this covenant that He has made.
- 8) It's not just lip service, it's holding the covenant and praying the three offices of Christ that were accomplished through His death and the blood of the promise. It is for you to know the name of the Son. Again, may the blood of Christ be the covenant.

2. The Word

- 1) Proverbs 30:6 "Do not add to his words, lest he rebuke you and you be found a liar." No other words should ever be added to God's word. Revelation 22:18-19 "I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues described in this book, and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book."
- 2) You must never add to God's word. It is because the Word contains Life. Many will be at a loss if God's message and the gospel are distorted. Satan is at work, so God strongly emphasizes it. Satan distorts and manipulates God's word.
- 3) If you're deceived, you will be at a loss, so you must accurately know the Bible. If you accurately know the Word, then you can save many. You must receive the Word as it is. If it is not aligned to the

field, you must change yourself and life rather than change the Word. You may think of that as an excuse, but in the end, it is the work of Satan. Your fundamental thoughts must start with Nobody and Nothing.

- 4) You don't have to help anyone, you don't have to have anything. You must live like the biblical figures who solved all of this with just one covenant. You need to be victorious and conquer with this one covenant. Angur left the a precious prayer at the end of the Bible passage, and he said, "Remove far from me falsehood and lying; give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with the food that is needful for me, lest I be full and deny you and say, "Who is the Lord?" or lest I be poor and steal and profane the name of my God."
- 5) The daily bread in the Lord's Prayer does not speak of sheep, but of your status and authority. Nobody and Nothing is a confession of faith. It's like David's confession that he is not in want because Almighty God provides all His needs. It's like David's confession that because the Lord is my shepherd, I don't lack, because the Lord is always with me and will answer.
- 6) God equips you to fight against the world and Satan. There will never be any difficulties - the day original sin ends is the day trouble will be completely departed from you. The covenant enables you to confess and enjoy victory amid difficulties. It allows you to confess that it's okay to be without and of no help.
- 7) This is Christ. Original sin means that humans can never come out of it on their own. It is Christ who has solved this. On Resurrection Sunday, may His blood once again be the covenant.