

Topic: The NoiseMakers

Bible Text: Acts 19:13

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Father we thank you for how far you have carried us, tonight Lord teach us yourself, Holy Spirit take the lead in Jesus name. I welcome you all to tonights bible study program

I would like everyone of us to position our hearts into receiving from God tonight as the Holy Spirit teaches us by Himself. I believe that that word(noisemaker) is not unfamiliar to us, as it is commonly used by us, and I'm sure that a lot of people would be asking what noisemaker has to do with the Bible. I would like you to follow tonight's teaching carefully,

When we were all in primary and secondary schools, our teachers back then would select a particular student (class captain) to write down the names of noisemakers. This is because, noise is an unwanted sound, that is at most times disturbing, It is a loud or unpleasant sound, Do you know that as we have people making noises all around us, in the same way we have people making noises spiritually these are called spiritual noisemakers. You think it is not true right?

Turn with me to Acts 19:13 KJV

Then certain of the vagabond Jews, exorcists, took upon them to call over them which

had evil spirits the name of the Lord Jesus, saying, We adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth.

Now, please follow me carefully, let's break it down for better understanding.

Then certain of the vagabond Jews, exorcists,

Who a vagabond is according to this verse, refers to someone who wanders, travels from one place to another, but we are made to know that they are more than one, they took it upon themselves to start casting demons out, and we are also made to know that they are exorcists which means that they use a spell or formula in other to achieve this. I want us to know that these same set of people have witnessed Paul preach and perform miracles so they wanted to do same without having a fundamental knowledge or relationship with Christ.

So they addressed the evil spirit by saying, **we adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth** in other words we beg you or we plead with you. Now let's see what happened in verse 14-16 KJV **And there were seven sons of one Sceva, a Jew, and chief of the priests, which did so. [15] And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye? [16] And the man in whom the evil spirit was leaped on them, and overcame them, and prevailed against them, so that they fled out of that house naked and wounded**. These people are of like minded, remember that we said noise making is giving an unpleasant sound. Do you know that demons too does not like noise just as humans do not like noise.

Who then are the spiritual noisemakers? As we can see that those Jews did not know Christ they did not have any encounter with him, yet they wanted to use is name. Spiritual noisemakers are those who do not have Christ because whatever thing they say does not have any effect in the spiritual realm. Just like those Jews who said in the name of Jesus whom Paul preach, there are a lot of religious people in our society even in the church of God today, who do not know whom they are serving.

That is why whenever they pray, nothing happens and nothing changes because they are still in their sins. It is not wrong to cast out demons in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, but not knowing Him personal before doing so amounts to Noisemaking in the realm of the spirit, and it can be very dangerous. How do we know this, we know it through the reply those demons gave the seven sons of Sceva in verse 15, [15] **And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye?** *Jesus I know, and Paul I know*, in other words, I recognise the voices of these people because their talkings and commands are clear to me, **but** who are you? this implies that who are you these noisemakers because what you are saying I do not even understand because they are not clear to me.

See, before your voice can gain recognition in the spiritual realm, you must have received the authority to speak clearly in the language of power, which is the commodity of exchange and communication in the realm of the Spirit. Luke 9:1 KJV Then he called

his twelve disciples together, **and gave them power and authority over all devils, and to cure diseases.** You see now?, Jesus gave His disciples power and authority, which means it is only when you are a disciple of Christ that you can get such authority, anything outside that amounts to noisemaking.

Another thing is that when your heart is far away from God, just know that none of your words would count in the spiritual realm. Do you know that the devil only challenge those who speak jargons. I want to ask you tonight are you not a noisemaker? The day you stop praying is the day your voice begin to lose recognition in the spirit realm, when you do not pray your words will not carry fire it would just be as normal words which has no effect. Spiritual noisemakers are those who joke/play with sin, they fall and rise everyday, they sin willfully and deliberately walk into temptation. In short every wheelbarrow Christian is a noisemaker!.

When prayer, fasting and studying of the word of God begin to be an history in your life than you and the devil will begin to become companions, wining and dining together. So there would be over familiarity between you and demons which would make them question your authority over them, because your words would be like a smoke - ineffective. Spiritual noisemakers are those who lack discernment, they do not know what is right from what is wrong, they are spiritually dull and insensitive, every form of doctrines go with them. They always believe something can be wrong but that does not mean that it is bad, that is how they think.

They are not even sure of the God they are serving, most of them are just church goers who have not experienced salvation, sanctification, and baptism of the Holy Spirit. The ones who manages to speak in tongues among them, only speaks confusion in the spiritual realm, which always make the devil himself ask that who is this noisemaker sef?

Do you know that one can also be a noisemaker to God?, John 9:31 KJV **Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a worshipper of God, and doeth his will, him he heareth.** Even God Himself does not hear the prayers of sinners because they are noises to Him. Are you a noisemaker?, If your spiritual ground is not yet defined everything said in the physical amounts to spiritual noisemaking.

As I round up for tonight, check your life if there is anything that is making the devil to challenge the word of God in your mouth. That mouth you used to pray for the blind that his eyes did not open, is still the same mouth another person would use to pray the same prayer without changing words and the eyes will open. See, it is not the mouth that matters it is the vessel, are you not an empty barrel that makes noise in the realm of the spirit, just because you have been so lazy to fill yourself up with the things of the Spirit of God

Too much sleep has made you irrelevant to the kingdom of light, demons now joke with you. What nonsense!, Change!, stop being a noisemaker, Go to God now, and take over, don't let the devil cheat you, I pray that the Lord Himself would remove us from ditch of noisemaking in Jesus name!

I will stop here, please ask your questions if you have them.

QUESTION

Please is a noisemaker an unsaved person?

Answer

A noisemaker is not only an unsaved person, he can also be a backslider or a lukewarm Christian in as much as the person's spiritual life is not how it ought to be strong then there is every tendency for the person to (be)come a noisemaker.

Hope this answer helped?

If you are tired of being a noisemaker and you are ready to take charge please **say** this prayer with your mouth

Say,

Lord Jesus, I accept You as my personal Lord and Saviour, I believe that You died for me and took away my sins so that I will not face the penalty of them. I make a decision to obey and follow You tonight. Thank You for saving me, in Jesus name I pray Amen.

Congratulations, now you are saved. If you prayed this short prayer please WhatsApp the number below, I want to have a word with you.

God bless you.

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