

## IMPARTATION OF THE ANOINTING #2 DON'T TOUCH ME!

1Kings 19<sup>16</sup> Also, anoint Jehu son of Nimshi king over Israel, and anoint Elisha son of Shaphat from Abel Meholah to succeed you as prophet. <sup>17</sup> Jehu will put to death any who escape the sword of Hazael, and Elisha will put to death any who escape the sword of Jehu. <sup>18</sup> Yet I reserve seven thousand in Israel—all whose knees have not bowed down to Baal and all whose mouths have not kissed him.” <sup>19</sup> So Elijah went from there and found Elisha son of Shaphat. He was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen, and he himself was driving the twelfth pair. Elijah went up to him and threw his cloak around him. NIV

Elijah found Elisha. Elisha did not find Elijah. How can the man of God find you if you are not THERE?

“Faith comes by hearing” which in the original means “present there”.

**The anointing of God has to find you. How it finds you is you have to be around it.**

Elisha was plowing in a field with twelve yoke of oxen.

### FOUR THINGS WE MUST KNOW ABOUT THE ANOINTING

1. The anointing does not come on anyone who is not called.

2. The anointing of God comes from **preparation**

It took 25 years from the mantle being laid on him for him to “catch it”.

The Father finds the son. If the son is not with the Father there will be no impartation.

The impartation of the anointing began when the Father found the son. (Elijah and Elisha)

**Impartation takes a long time. Transference takes only a moment.**

“Lay hands on no man suddenly”. 1 Timothy. This is where transfer takes place. There is power in the hands.

**Finishing the calling brings the impartation.**

2Kings 2<sup>6</sup> Then Elijah said to him, “Stay here; the Lord has sent me to the Jordan.”

And he replied, “As surely as the Lord lives and as you live, **I will not leave you.**” NIV

After 25 years of service he is ask his spiritual son, “what would you ask of me?” Elisha responded with, “a double portion of thy spirit”.

**Elisha receives the impartation because he was present.** The other sons of the prophets who were called did not receive it because they had not followed, nor was present.

### **Three callings on your life before the mantle is received**

\* **God’s calling on your life from the womb.**

David, Samson, Jeremiah,

\* **The calling of man.**

God sends Samuel to David, Nathan to David, Joshua to Moses.

\* **God always calls you and your family.**

If your wife or family is not with you it will hinder your call.

**3. It is while you serve that you are being prepared.**

Elisha was found plowing. **God does not anoint laziness.** Only those who labor get to eat the harvest.

1Kings 19 <sup>21</sup> So Elisha left him and went back. He took his yoke of oxen and slaughtered them. He burned the plowing equipment to cook the meat and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out to follow Elijah and became his attendant. NIV

He does away with anything that keeps him from following the man of God. He has a “cook out” and immediately follows Elijah and begins to serve him.

1Timothy 5 <sup>22</sup> Do not be hasty in the laying on of hands, and do not share in the sins of others. Keep yourself pure. NIV

How can you share in others sins? There is a transfer of spirit. Keep yourself pure! Know who is praying for you.

There is power in the hands.  
Lay hands on the sick and they shall recover.

**The hands have power to partake or to release!**

III. Man in a crusade holds the hands of a lady with arthritis and he feels pain in his hand and heat. The lady starts weeping and is healed.

III. A man is sitting in a crusade and a man tells him he has cancer. He denies it. God told me you have cancer! He didn't. The man laid his hand on him and began rebuking the cancer. Later the so called prophet met him in the hall and said, "you! you need deliverance. You have a devil". He said it took him a year to get over the oppression that came on him when that man laid his hands on him.  
The prophet so called died 2 weeks later.

**Don't let just anyone lay hands on you! Know them that labor among you.**

If it is from God something powerful will happen. If it is from a man he will transfer his spirit on you.

III. A man refused to allow a preacher to lay hands on him. He was asked, why?  
He said he felt like the man was a homosexual. People laughed at him. Later it was discovered that the man was indeed homosexual.

Keep your hands clean! Who shall ascend unto the mount of the Lord save he that has clean hands and a pure heart.

4. He caught the garment after serving

God had to bury Moses to promote Joshua, and Elijah had to leave before Elisha could take his place.