



Introduction 2: Town of Nothing

Town of Nothing Arizona Founded 1977 ELevation 3269 Ft The staunch citizens of Nothing are full of Hope, Faith, and Believe in the work ethic. Thru-the-yearsthese dedicated people had faith in Nothing, hoped for Nothing, worked at Nothing, for Nothing,









Pillar #1 - Anointed Worship

1. The Lord is seeking true worshippers.

John 4:23-24

23 But the hour is coming, and now is, when the <u>true worshipers</u> will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. **24** God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must **worship in spirit and truth**.



Pillar #1 - Anointed Worship

 True worship is when our spirit (heart) <u>connect</u> with the Holy Spirit.

Philippians 3:3 For we are the circumcision, who worship God in the Spirit, rejoice in Christ Jesus, and have no confidence in the flesh ...

It is <u>MORE</u> than just singing songs!

Pillar #1 - Anointed Worship

- **3.** Communing with the Holy Spirit strengthens our <u>relationship</u> with God as:
 - A. The Holy Spirit is the One who pours out the <u>love</u> of Father-God in our hearts.

Romans 5:5 Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.



B. The Holy Spirit is the One who <u>reveals</u> the Lord Jesus, the <u>finished</u> works of the Cross and <u>glorifies</u> Him.

John 15:26 But when the <u>Helper</u> comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the <u>Spirit of truth</u> who proceeds from the Father, He will <u>testify of Me</u>.

John 16:13 However, when He, the <u>Spirit of</u> <u>truth</u>, has come, He will <u>guide you into all truth</u>; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come.

Pillar #1 - Anointed Worship

- 4. True worship involves all 3 Aspects of:
 - A. Thanksgiving



Romans 1:21 because, although they knew God, they did not glorify Him as God, nor were **thankful**, but became futile in their thoughts, and their foolish hearts were darkened.

The bottom-line of **thanksgiving** is a <u>grateful</u> heart

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4. True worship involves all 3 Aspects of:
B. <u>Praise</u>

Hebrews 13:15 Therefore by Him let us continually offer the <u>sacrifice of praise</u> to God, that is, the <u>fruit</u> <u>of our lips</u>, <u>giving thanks (confessing)</u> <u>to His name</u>.



The bottom-line of **praise** is declaring the Names of God Enlarge our **praise vocabulary** beyond lyrics of songs!

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4. True worship involves all **3 Aspects** of:

C. Worship

Romans 12:1 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you <u>present your bodies a living sacrifice</u>, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service.

The bottom-line of **worship** is **<u>surrender</u>**! Everything in our lives + our tithes and offerings! Pillar #1 - Anointed Worship

Let us now give thanks, render praise and worship the LORD!











Pillar #2 - Anointed Word

- **1.** The Word of God must result in:
 - A. <u>Edification</u> building our <u>faith</u> in God
 - **B.** <u>Exhortation</u> strengthening our <u>relationship</u> with God
 - C. <u>Comfort</u> <u>encouragement</u> in our hearts



1 Corinthians 14:3 But he who prophesies speaks <u>edification</u> and <u>exhortation</u> and <u>comfort</u> to men.

Pillar #2 - Anointed Word

- 2. The Word of God has 4 Primary Outcomes:
 - A. <u>Doctrine</u> Truths-Principles of Life
 - **B.** <u>**Rebuke**</u> when we sin and live in disobedience.
 - C. <u>Correction</u> of ungodly beliefs and wrong patterns of thinking.
 - **D.** Training in <u>righteousness</u> right believing and right living.



2 Timothy 3:16-17

16 All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for <u>doctrine</u>, for <u>reproof</u>, for <u>correction</u>, for <u>instruction in</u> <u>righteousness</u>, **17** that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.



Pillar #3 - Anointed Altar

1. Whenever God speaks to us, we must <u>respond</u> to Him.

Hebrews 3:7-8, 15

7 Therefore, as the Holy Spirit says: "Today, if you will <u>hear</u> <u>His voice</u>, 8 <u>do not harden your hearts</u> as in the rebellion, in the day of trial in the wilderness.
15 while it is said: "Today, if you will <u>hear His voice</u>, <u>do not harden your hearts</u> as in the rebellion."

Hebrews 4:7 again He designates a certain day, saying in David, "Today," after such a long time, as it has been said: "Today, if you will <u>hear His voice</u>, <u>do not harden your hearts</u>."



Pillar #3 - Anointed Altar

2. We must therefore <u>posture</u> our hearts to hear Him.

Proverbs 4:20-21, 23

20 My son, give <u>attention</u> to my words; incline your <u>ear</u> to my sayings. 21 Do not let them depart from your <u>eyes</u>; keep them in the midst of your <u>heart</u>;
23 Keep your <u>heart</u> with all diligence, for out of it spring the <u>issues of life</u>.



Anointed Word & Altar

BOMD

- B Busyness
- O Offences
- M Materialism
- D Disappointment



Pillar #4 - Anointed Leaders The Kingdom of God - Church is <u>not</u> a democracy, it is a theocracy.

1 Corinthians 12:27-28

27 Now you are the body of Christ, and members individually. 28 And God has appointed these in the church: **first apostles**, **second prophets**, **third teachers**, after that **miracles**, then **gifts of healings**, **helps**, **administrations**, varieties of **tongues**.

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Titus 1:5 For this reason I left you in Crete, that you should set in order the things that are lacking, and **appoint elders** in every city as I commanded you—



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Ephesians 4:11-12

11 And He Himself gave some to be <u>apostles</u>, some <u>prophets</u>, some <u>evangelists</u>, and some <u>pastors</u> and <u>teachers</u>, 12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ.





Pillar #5 - Anointed Body-Life

2. When we, the body, are connected to the Head, we receive the <u>Life</u> of God.

Colossians 2:9 For <u>in Him dwells all the fullness</u> of the Godhead bodily ...

Pillar #5 - Anointed Body-Life

3. We are <u>members</u> of one another in the Body of Christ.

Romans 12:4-5

4 For as we have <u>many members in one body</u>, but all the members do not have the same function, **5** so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and <u>individually</u> <u>members of one another</u>.



Pillar #5 - Anointed Body-Life

- **4.** We are therefore,
 - A. to <u>connect</u> with one another.
 - **B.** to <u>accept</u> one another.
 - C. to love one another.
 - **D.** to <u>serve</u> one another.



Colossians 3:12-14

12 Therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, put on tender mercies, kindness, humility, meekness, longsuffering; 13 bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do. 14 But above all these things put on love, which is the bond of perfection.







Pillar #6 - Anointed Ministries

2. We are saved to do good works.



Ephesians 2:10 For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for <u>good works</u>, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

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Hebrews 10:24 And let us consider one another in order to <u>stir up love and</u> <u>good works</u>

Pillar #6 - Anointed Ministries

3. Good works are always about <u>value-adding</u> to the needs of the lives of people in our ministries.

1 Peter 4:10 As each one has received a gift, <u>minister</u> it to one another, as good <u>stewards of the manifold grace of God</u>.







Pillar #6 - Anointed Ministries

4. As we grow and mature in the Lord, we are to be zealous for <u>good works</u>.



Titus 2:14 who gave Himself for us, that He might <u>redeem</u> us from every lawless deed and <u>purify</u> for Himself <u>His own special people</u>, <u>zealous for good works</u>.





- 1. We are called to
 - **A.** <u>be</u> with the Lord;
 - **B**. <u>preach</u> the gospel;
 - C. heal the sick;
 - D. cast out the demons.



Mark 3:14-15

14 Then He appointed twelve, that they might <u>be with Him</u> and that He might send them out to <u>preach</u>, **15** and to have <u>power to heal sicknesses</u> and to <u>cast out demons</u>:

Pillar #7 - Anointed Works of Faith

2. We are to do so with people who <u>cross our paths</u>.



Mark 16:15 And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.

3. We must depend on the <u>Holy Spirit</u> to enable and empower us to share the gospel, heal the sick and cast out demons.

Luke 4:18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me,

because He has anointed Me to <u>preach</u> the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to <u>heal</u> the broken-hearted, to <u>proclaim liberty</u> to the captives and <u>recovery of sight</u> to the blind, to <u>set at liberty</u> those who are oppressed

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Mark 16:17-18

17 And these <u>signs</u> will follow those who believe: In My name they will <u>cast out demons</u>; they will speak with new <u>tongues</u>; 18 they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by <u>no means hurt</u> <u>them</u>; they will <u>lay hands on the sick</u>, <u>and they will</u> <u>recover</u>."



Exercise: Works of Faith!

The Word Empowered Church comprise priests & kings who know how to wield the Sword of the Spirit!



- Authority and power of priests and kings. As kings, we speak to the <u>mountain</u> Speaking to the mountain is <u>NOT</u> speaking to God.
 - A. Speaking to God is prayer as a priest.
 - B. Speaking to the mountain is our commanding and rebuking the mountain as a <u>king</u>.





- As <u>kings</u>, the disciple is called by the Lord with His delegated <u>authority</u> to
 - A. cast out demons;
 - B. rebuke sickness and diseases;
 - **C.** take authority over the <u>environment</u> of our situations.



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 - B. rebuke <u>sickness</u> and <u>diseases</u>.

Luke 4:39 So He stood over her and <u>rebuked the fever</u>, and it left her. And immediately she arose and served them.





Exercise: Works of Faith!

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4. Continue to **nations - people groups** the Lord lays on our heart.

Matthew 28:18-20

18 And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,
20 teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Amen.



BOTTOM-LINE

1 Corinthians 2:4-5

4 And my speech and my preaching were not with persuasive words of human wisdom, but <u>in demonstration of the Spirit</u> and of power, 5 that <u>your faith</u> should not be in the wisdom of men but <u>in the power of God</u>.

1 Peter 2:9 But you are a <u>chosen generation</u>, a <u>royal priesthood</u>, a <u>holy nation</u>, <u>His own special people</u>, that you may <u>proclaim the praises of Him</u> who called you out of darkness into His marvellous light.