

# FirstFruits Gathering At Harvest Christian Church

## The Power of Transferences

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### A False Transference (Matthew 4:2-11)

During the 40 days and 40 nights, GOD sustained Jesus from being hungry. Because the word says "And after he had fasted for 40 days and 40 nights, He then became hungry. So, our father will sustain us from things as well. Sustain (Latin origin) means-hold up, support, keep something in existence. God was keeping Jesus alive because he had to fulfil his destiny. The enemy says "IF you are the son of man turn these stones into bread. The enemy wants Jesus to transfer stone material into an edible material. But Jesus answered and said, *"It is written, 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that proceeds out of the mouth of God.'"* Then the enemy took Jesus, took means – to remove something, especially without permission according the cambridge dictionary. The enemy transferred Jesus into the holy city and had Him stand on the pinnacle of the temple, and said to Jesus, "IF You are the Son of God, throw Yourself down; for it is written, he will command his angels concerning you and on their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone. "Jesus said to him, *"On the other hand, it is written, 'You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.'"*

Again, the enemy supernaturally took (transferred) Him to a very high mountain and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory; and he said to Jesus, "All these things I will give You, if You fall down and worship me." Then Jesus said to him, *"Go, Satan! For it is written, 'You shall worship the Lord our God and serve him only.'"* Then the enemy left Him; and behold, angels came and began to minister to Jesus. This reminds us that the enemy has to listen to us because we have the Holy Spirit within us.

This lets us know that every transference is not from God which means we need to test the spirit and make sure it's from God. New Living Translation **(1 John 4:1)**. Dear friends, do not believe everyone who claims to speak by the Spirit. You must test them to see if the spirit they have comes from God. For there are many false prophets in the world.

### Transference on the Sea (Matthew 14:22-36)

The disciples were in a boat dealing with a storm. Jesus came (transferred his presence into their situation) to them walking on the water, transferring liquid matter into a spiritual foundation. Peter stepped out in faith to join Him. But then Peter got scared when he saw the wind. Then Peter began to sink, Jesus lifted him up and said, *"You of little faith why did you doubt?"* Then, when they returned to the boat, the storm ceased. The ones in the boat started to worship Jesus and said, "You are truly the son of God." (New International Version). Then they crossed (transferred) over and landed at the Gennesaret. The men in the country recognized Jesus and the word spread that Jesus was there, so people brought the sick to him and begged him to let the sick touch the edge of his cloak, and all who touched (transferred their sickness onto Jesus) were healed. Peter transferred his trust from staying in the boat to walking toward Jesus on water. Even though he sank, his step of faith set him apart from the others. The moment Jesus entered the boat, (the moment Jesus enters your situation), the atmosphere shifts. The storm ceased, (your problem is over) and the disciples were transferred instantly to the shore, (you are now on the solution side of your problem, you are safe). Jesus is not paddling the boat nor are his disciplines. Jesus supernaturally (transferred) moved the boat off the sea to the land.

Jesus wants us to transfer ourselves out of those situations. We have the greater one inside us. According to **1 John 4:4**, You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. Since Jesus can walk on water, heal the sick, raise the dead, manifest, multiply, and transfer people and objects we can do so as well.

### **Transference of Healing (Mark 5:25-34)**

The story about the woman with the issue of blood is another example of transference. The woman reached out in faith to touch Jesus' garment. Jesus said, "Who touched me?" Some people debate whether this is a rhetorical question or a real one. In **Luke 2:52**, says Jesus grew in wisdom which means he did not know all things at one point in his life on earth. There are several other scriptures to refer that as well that show His humanity. One thing that there is no need to debate is, Jesus is a healer. Sometimes when you lay hands on people, touch other people there are good or bad things that can be transferred. It is important to use wisdom, have discernment, and have shields up. Put on the full armor of God according to **Ephesians 6:10**.

### **Transference Through Christ (Matthew 28:18-20; John 20:21-22)**

The ultimate act of transference happened when Jesus, having all authority in Heaven and earth, transferred His mission to the disciples. He breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit." Authority was transferred: "Go therefore and make disciples." Power was transferred: "You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you" (**Acts 1:8**). Responsibility was transferred: to carry the Gospel to the nations. Every believer today walks in this transference. We are empowered by the same Holy Spirit and sent with the same mission. Godly transfers empower and advance His kingdom and if it doesn't, it is not from God.

### **Declaration for the City of Detroit:**

We declare a physical and supernatural transference over the City of Detroit today. Our City is not a battlefield of tragedy and disappointment, but the storm winds that have come against our City are being transformed by the divine breath of God. He is transferring to protect, defend, and lavish Detroit with the bounty of His table, setting our City on a new and glorious land. What has been spiraling downward will now blast into the atmosphere of divine favor. The dead things in Detroit are being called forth from the grave, ready to walk in newness and purpose.

Prepare the way of the Lord, Detroit, for an outpouring of favor and blessing is coming in the new season. Detroit is breaking new ground, having highways of holiness, streets of peace, with the transference of joy and wealth. Detroit will continue to build as the courts of men are now aligning with the courts of Heaven. **Detroit, transfer yourself back on the map and take back the land that was promised to you.**