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**Sermon Series:** Movin' in the Spirit

**Sermon Title:** *"The Second Man"*

**Primary Text:** 1 Corinthians 15:45-49 (KJV); Romans 5:12-19 (NLT)

**Supporting Text:** Genesis 5:2 (KJV); Romans 8:29 (KJV); Romans 5:12 (NLT); Romans 5:14 (NLT); Matthew 26:41 (KJV); Romans 8:5-9 (KJV); John 17:14-16 (KJV); Colossians 3:12-14 (NLT)

**Translation/Version:** See above

**Podcast Description:**

Death to self is a requirement in the kingdom of God. True kingdom-believers understand this dynamic. Christ Jesus is the goal...his standard and stature. Before Christ, people follow in the ways of the First Man—Adam. Though Adam was created by God and given authority to govern the earth, he sinned against God. Rather than remain heavenly in his disposition, Adam became earthy, and it cost him. It cost humanity. Through Jesus, people all over the world can be reconciled to God the Father. Unlike the First Man--Adam, Jesus obeyed God the Father in all things. He is humanity's supreme example. **He is The Second Man.**

**Notes:**

**1. Adam**

- a. **Romans 5:12** – In Adam all die. “When Adam sinned, sin entered the world. Adam’s sin brought death, so death spread to everyone.
- b. **Genesis 5:2 (KJV)** “male and female created he them: and blessed them, and called their name Adam, in the day when they were created.”
- c. Adam is our ancestor. We were all in Adam’s loins. Genetically, what flowed in Adam, flows in us.
  - i. **Genetic code for rebellion.** Rebellion is sin. Hebrew word “*asham*”.
  - ii. **Predisposed to disagree with God.**
    - a. A sin nature.
    - b. Wages of sin is death. **(Romans 6:23)**

**2. Everything we need is in the blood.**

- a. When we get saved, we get a blood transfusion.
- b. Jesus is the only one with pure blood.
  - i. No earthly father.
  - ii. Mother and baby’s blood doesn’t mix.
  - iii. That’s why other religions don’t work. No other leader had blood good enough to die for their followers.

- iv. **Lev. 17:10-11**—“For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you to make atonement for yourselves on the altar; it is the blood that makes atonement for one’s life.
  - 1. God gave animals as substitutes b/c human blood was contaminated.
  - 2. Animals never sinned.
  - 3. The animals people brought to the temple only covered sins temporarily. That’s why God provided His own lamb (John 1:29-31).

### 3. Justification

- a. **Justification:** Greek: *Dikaioosune*; to make valid, to absolve, to vindicate, to set right
- b. **Romans 4:25 (KJV)**
- c. **Expiation**-means to atone for; make amends
- d. **Propitiation**- satisfying the righteous demands of a holy God, making it possible for the removal of sin that stands btw God and mankind.

### 4. God’s Destiny For Your Life is For You to be Like Jesus.

- a. **Romans 8:29 (KJV)**
- b. Conformed = *Gr. Summorphos*
- c. Share the same inner essence
- d. Exhibit similar behavior by having the same nature

### 5. Image = *Gr. Eikonos*

- a. Image, statue, representation, or bust
- b. Mirror-like representation
- c. A prototype, of which it not only resembles, but is drawn from; more than a shadow, but a replication

### 6. To Be Like Jesus Means We Must “Move in the Spirit”

- a. Carnal
- b. *Gr. Sarx*; flesh; of human origin and empowerment
- c. Making decisions according to self—independent of God
- d. Unaided human effort
- e. Proceeds from the part of us that is not transformed by God

### 7. Second Man Attributes

- a. **1 Corinthians 15:49 (KJV)** “And as we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also *bear* the image of the heavenly”
- b. **1 Corinthians 15:49 (TPT)** “Once we carried the likeness of the man of dust, but now let us<sup>l</sup> carry the likeness of the man of heaven.”
- c. *Greek phoreo*
  - i. *To bear constantly, as a habit*
  - ii. *To wear as clothing or a constant accompaniment*
  - iii. *“We shall bear”*
  - iv. *To carry a single message, fill the office of a messenger*
- d. *Apparel:*
  - i. **Col. 2:14**

