THE HOLY SPIRIT - V

"The Anointing of the Holy Spirit"

Ex. 30:25-33

I. THE ANOINTING MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

A. What is the anointing?

B. Basic meaning is simply to smear something on an object (usually oil)

C. Special setting apart for an office or function

D. Whatever anointing touches becomes holy

E. Anointing is special unction of Holy Spirit

1. I Jn. 2:27 - "...anointing abides..teaches you of all things."

2. Is. 61:1 - "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me; because the Lord hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek..."

II. THREE OFFICES OR MINISTRIES ANOINTED IN OLD TESTAMENT

A. Prophet - Elisha anointed to be prophet by Elijah

B. Priest - "And thou shalt anoint Aaron and his sons, and

consecrate them, that they amy minister unto me in the priest's office."

C. King

III. DAVID'S THREEFOLD ANOINTING

A. Anointed to be king while still a shepherd (general anointing for calling)B. Anointed as king of Judah (Anointing that equips and qualifies for service)

C. Anointed as King of Israel (Anointing for promotion)

IV. MAKE IT AN OIL OF HOLY OINTMENT - EX. 30:25-33

A. Anointing of vessels

1. Anoint tabernacle, ark of testimony, table and

vessels, candlestick and vessels, altar of incense

- 2. Altar of burnt offering, laver and his foot
- 3. Thou shalt sanctify them, that they may be most

holy

4. Whatsoever toucheth them shall be holy

B. Human vessels anointed - to consecrate them

- C. Upon man's flesh shall it not be poured
 - 1. Shall not make any other like it
 - 2. Whoever duplicates it or puts upon stranger shall be cut off from his

people

D. Lev. 8:23 - "Blood applied upon right ear, thumb of right hand, great toe of right foot--then anointing oil applied."

V. TOUCH NOT MY ANOINTED AND DO MY PROPHETS NO HARM

A. I Sam. 24:6 - "The Lord forbid that I should do this unto my master, the Lord's anointed, to stretch forth mine hand against him, seeing he is the anointed of the Lord."

B. I Sam. 24:10 - "I will not put forth mine hand against my lord; for he is the Lord's anointed."

C. II Sam. 1:14 - "How wast thou not afraid to stretch forth thine hand to destroy the Lord's anointed?"

D. "Tell it not in Gath, publish it not in the streets of Askelon; lest the daughters of the uncircumcised triumph." - II Sam. 1:20

VI. I SHALL BE ANOINTED WITH FRESH OIL - PS. 92:10 A. Heb. 1:9 - "..therefore God, even thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows." B. Ps. 23:5 - "Thou anointedst my head with oil."

VII. AND THE YOKE SHALL BE DESTROYED BECAUSE OF THE ANOINTING - IS. 10:27

VIII. ANOINTING FOR HEALING - James 5:14 - Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him."

IX. THE ANOINTING ABIDES - I John 2:27 - "But the anointing which ye have received of him abideth in you, and ye need not that any man teach you: but as the same anointing teacheth you of all things, and is truth, and is no lie, and even as it hath taught you, ye shall abide in him."