

# THE AUTHORITY OF OUR LORD

1. Authority and dominion were delegated to man by God  
Gen.1:26 – the right to act, initiate, rule, introduce things;  
permission and freedom to act; jurisdiction to rule/govern
2. It was not to be used independent of God or with no connection or relationship with God
3. The scope of this dominion Ps. 8:3-9; Heb. 2:5-8
4. Dominion/authority was lost when Adam fell into sin  
Lk.4:5, 6; 2 Cor. 4:4; Jn. 12:31
5. Jesus came where we were and became what we were to get it back Heb. 2:9-18; Matt. 28:18.
6. The authority of our Lord Jesus is vested in His Name, the Name of Jesus Phil. 2:5-9.